



Áras Chill Dara
Páirc Devoy
An Nás
Co. Chill Dara

06 April 2023

To the Mayor and each member of the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District

A Bhaill Uile,

Tionólfar an chéad cruinniú eile Cheantar Bardasach Chill Dara-Droichead Nua ar 10:00 maidin Dé Céadaoin, an 19ú Aibreán 2023 i seomra na Chomhairle, Áras Chill Dara, Páirc Devoy, An Nás, agus iarrtar ort bheith i láthair.

The next meeting of Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District will be held at 10:00 a.m. on **Wednesday, 19 April 2023** in the **Council Chamber**, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

Josh Hannigan

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Meetings Administrator



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Agenda (10:00 a.m.)

1. Fógra um (a) leasanna coinbhleachtaí nó (b) leasanna airgeadais nó leasanna tairbhúla faoin alt 177 den Acht Rialtais Áitiúil 2001, arna leasú.
Declarations of (a) conflicts of interest or (b) pecuniary or beneficial interests under section 177 of the Local Government Act 2001, as amended.
2. Chun cruinniú míosúil Ceantar Bardasach Chill Dara-Droichead Nua an 15ú Márta 2023 a faomhadh (ceangailte) agus an tuairisc tuarascáil ar dhul chun cinn a thabhairt faoi ndeara (le leanúint).
To approve the minutes of the monthly Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District meeting held on Wednesday, 15 March 2023 (attached) and to note the progress report (to follow).
3. To receive an update on the municipal district road works.
4. To agree the residual LPT Allocations 2021, 2022 and 2023.

Bóithre, Iompar agus Sábháilteacht Poiblí

Roads, Transportation and Public Safety (10:15 a.m.)

Building and Development Control

5. To consider the taking in charge of DC6206 Ros Glás Avenue, Monasterevin (report attached).



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6. To approve a nominee to the Kildare Sustainable Transport Forum (Sub-committee of Transportation, Safety and Emergency Services Strategic Policy Committee) (report attached).
7. **Motion – Councillor Peggy O’Dwyer**
That the council install a pedestrian crossing onto the R445 to facilitate crossing from Curragh Farm Estate to safe walking routes to schools etc.
8. **Motion – Councillor Chris Pender**
That the council add additional time to pedestrian lights in this municipal district in an effort to support vulnerable road users.
9. **Motion – Councillor Chris Pender**
That the council provide an update on the Newbridge Area Based Transport Assessment (ABTA) and timelines for the next stages.
10. **Motion – Councillor Tracey O’Dwyer**
That the council carry out an assessment on the possible effectiveness of installing Flashing Feedback Speed Signs in Brannockstown.
11. **Motion – Councillor Anne Connolly**
That the council install additional public lights from Yellowlough Cross to the Bog Cross, Rathangan.
12. **Motion – Councillor Kevin Duffy**
That the council undertake road resurfacing/maintenance to the front and rear access estate roads to the Cowpasture Housing Estate.



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13. Motion – Councillor Mark Stafford

That the council realign Crossmorris Cross, Kildare by way of a staggered cross in the interests of road safety.

14. Motion – Councillor Mark Stafford

That the council proceed with the piping of the drain at Ellistown at the Ellistown/Green Road as previously agreed.

15. Question – Councillor Chris Pender

Can the council confirm the locations, status and priority of all street lights currently on the KLIPS within the municipal district?

16. Question – Councillor Peggy O’Dwyer

Can the council provide an update on the progress of the recent Newbridge Area Based Transport Assessment (ABTA) consultation survey?

17. Question - Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council provide an update on the Main Street, Edward Street and Station Road cycle project. Will this project be in consultation with the transport strategy (ABTA) or is it separate?

18. Question – Councillor Noel Connolly

Cén céatadán de shoilsiú sráide poiblí sa Cheantar Bardasach atá tíosach ar fhuinneamh agus cad iad na pleananna atá ann chun é seo a fheabhsú?

Can the council confirm what percentage of public street lighting in the municipal district is energy efficient and what plans it has to improve this?

19. Question – Councillor Mark Stafford

Can the council consider the opening of a new entrance to the Hill of Allen carpark that would achieve sufficient sightlines for the car park to be used safely?



20. Question – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

Can the council confirm if the blind bend between Meadow Court stud and the junction at Tully East (R51 WP90) is suitable for a Local Improvement Scheme?

**Tithíocht agus Seirbhísí Corporáideach
Housing and Corporate Services (11:10 a.m.)**

21. Motion – Councillor Peggy O’Dwyer

That the council consider the development of a partnership with a community group in Newbridge for the rental of the Town Hall.

22. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council provide a report on their review of all annual compliance reports from AHBs in the district to include details of whether all AHBs have provided their annual reports, and on time to the council, whether each AHB is in full compliance and whether any concerns have been raised either by the reports themselves or by stakeholders.

23. Question – Councillor Chris Pender

Can the council confirm how many people have listed Newbridge as an area of preference on their social housing application list broken down by number of years on the list, housing need (as in one bed, two-bed need etc.) and medical priority?

**Pleanáil agus Forbairt Straitéiseach
Planning and Strategic Development (11:20 a.m.)**

- 24.** To consider the Community Heritage Grant Scheme 2023 allocation for the Kildare Newbridge Municipal District (report attached).



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25. Motion - Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council provide a list of any/all lands in the municipal district that have the land use matrix 'O' applied since 2014, to include a breakdown of any/all lands where the land use has changed from the original intended zoning, using the land use matrix 'O'.

26. Motion – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

That the council schedule a programme of regular cleaning of street furniture in this municipal district having particular regard for the summer season?

27. Question – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

Can the council provide details of the second stage of the consultation for the Conservation Management Plan for The Curragh Plains.

28. Question – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm what the status is of the temporary Section 254 planning permissions that were granted for outdoor dining during Covid 19 in this municipal district, whether they need to be renewed or reapplied for and if businesses will be kept informed?

29. Question – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

Can the council provide a detailed status update regarding Market Square Kilcullen including funding in place, funding required, timelines, detailed design and next steps.

30. Question – Councillor Anne Connolly

Can the council outline the communications that have taken place with the Department of Education and progress made, if any, on the proposed development of a second level school at Magee Barracks, Kildare?

31. Question – Councillor Noel Connolly

Cé chomh mór agus a dhéanann Comhairle Contae Chill Dara monatóireacht agus cóireáil ar speicis ionracha plandaí laistigh den Cheantar Bardasach?



Can the council confirm to what extent it monitors and treats the existence of invasive species of plant within the municipal district?

32. Question – Councillor Mark Stafford

Can the council advise of the regulations/planning requirements regarding the opening of agricultural entrances in the municipal district and if the council is aware of any recent patterns regarding same?

**Seirbhísí Uisce, Comhshaol agus Gníomhú ar son na hAeráide
Environment, Water Services and Climate Action (11:50 a.m.)**

33. Motion – Councillor Noel Connolly

Go ndéanfadh an Chomhairle móroibreacha ar Reilig Naomh Éibhin i Mainistir Eimhín chun an réimse poiblí a fheabhsú agus chun sábháilteacht cuairteoirí a chinntiú.
That the council carry out repairs to footpaths and a general tidy up at St Evin's Cemetery in Monasterevin to improve the public realm and ensure the safety of visitors to the cemetery.

**Forbairt Gheilleagrach, Pobail agus Cultúrtha
Economic, Community and Cultural Development (11:55 a.m.)**

34. To consider community, festival and resident association grant awards assessed by the Economic, Community & Cultural Development Department for 2023 (report to follow).

35. Motion – Councillor Noel Connolly

Go mbunóidh an Chomhairle bealach siúlóide le comharthaí feadh an bhóthair ó Umeras, áit bhreithe Naomh Bríd, go dtí an Ardeaglais i mBaile Chill Dara.
That the council establish a sign posted walking route along the road from Umeras, the birth place of St Brigid, to the Cathedral in Kildare Town.



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36. Motion – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

That the council carry out further improvement works at St Brigid's Well to improve drainage and accessibility and include a planting programme that will coincide with St Brigids Day 2023, on approach roads to the Well.

37. Question - Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council clarify why the County Library public consultation was pushed back by another week to 18 April, missing its deadline of going to Part 8 by end of Q1?