



Áras Chill Dara
Páirc Devoy
An Nás
Co. Chill Dara

12 June 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 21ú Meitheamh 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, 21 June 2023** in the **Council Chamber**, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

J Hannigan
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 miontuairiscí cruinniú míosúil Ceantar Bardasach Chill Dara-Droichead Nua ar 17ú Bealtaine 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 17 May 2023 (attached) and to note the progress report (to follow).
3. To receive an update on the municipal district road works.
4. To note the date and venue for the Annual Meeting.
5. To agree the residual LPT Allocations 2021, 2022 and 2023.

Iompar, Soghluaisteacht agus Spásanna Oscailte Transport, Mobility and Open Spaces (10:20 a.m.)

Roads

6. To receive an update from the Transport, Mobility and Open Spaces Directorate on Roads Capital Projects.
7. **Motion – Councillor Noel Connolly**
Go n-athshuiteálann Comhairle Contae Chill Dara stad tacsaithe i lár Bhaile Chill Dara
That Kildare County Council reinstall a taxi rank in the centre of Kildare Town.



8. Motion – Councillor Noel Connolly

Go gcomhfhreagraíonn Comhairle Contae Chill Dara le Luach Miondíola ag iarraidh orthu an nasc bus a athbhunú ó stáisiún traenach Chill Dara go dtí Asraon Miondíola Sráidbhaile Chill Dara

That this council correspond with Value Retail asking them to restore the bus connection from the Kildare Train Station to Kildare Village Retail Outlet.

9. Motion – Councillor Tracey O’Dwyer

That following on from site investigations, the council proceed without further delay with the installation of an island traffic safety measure at the entrance to the Square in Kilcullen to mitigate against vehicles mounting the bridge path putting pedestrians at risk.

10. Motion – Councillor Peggy O’Dwyer

That the council consider some road safety measures at the roundabout at Newhall in light of the delay with the CPO in the development of this junction?

11. Motion – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

That the council prioritise the remarking of disabled bays in Kildare town.

12. Motion – Councillor Chris Pender

That the council seek sponsorship from businesses on Main Street, Newbridge for the installation of sponsored solar compactor bins.

13. Motion – Councillor Anne Connolly

That the council put in place traffic calming measures at Tully West, Kildare - namely from Cluain Aileann Estate to Newtown Cross.

14. Motion – Councillor Anne Connolly

That the council put in place a bike rack for parking in Rathangan.



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15. Motion – Councillor Noel Heavey

That the council outline Sustainable Transport options to connect the communities of Caragh, Clongorey District and Tankardsgarden to the self sustaining town of Newbridge.

16. Motion – Councillor Mark Stafford

That the council erect a 'No HGV' sign at Cloncurry and Cappanargid, Rathangan in order to divert lorries away from Glenaree Bridge.

17. Motion – Councillor Mark Stafford

That the council resurface the road at Feighcullen, Rathangan which borders the townland of Drumsru.

18. Question – Councillor Noel Connolly

An féidir leis an gComhairle seiceamhú na trí shraith soilse tráchta ar Bhóthar Mhainistir Eimhín, Cill Dara a scrúdú, go háirithe na soilse ag an aomhal le Lána Pigeon agus ag Tesco, i bhfianaise líon na miontimpistí bóthair ag an láthair seo?
Can the council confirm if they have examined the sequencing of the three sets of traffic lights on the Monasterevin Road, Kildare, particularly at the junction with Pigeon Lane and at Tesco, in light of the number of minor road traffic accidents at this location?

19. Question – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm if there has been a delay in the time frame for the completion of the connectivity path from Belin Woods to the Linear Park?

20. Question – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

Can the council provide a progress report with projected timelines for delivery of a new pedestrian link from Kildare Retail Outlet Village to Kildare town?



21. Question – Councillor Tracey O’Dwyer

Can the council confirm if it has listed the yield and stop road markings in the Castlemartin/Sunnyhill Estate in Kilcullen for repainting in the 2023 works programme?

22. Question – Councillor Rob Power

Can the council outline when footpath repairs in Newbridge will take place, particularly on Cutlery Road and near the Post Office?

23. Question – Councillor Chris Pender

Can the council outline the procedure and ongoing process for sign maintenance within the municipal district area including the replacement or cleaning of the black and white sleeves?

24. Question – Councillor Anne Connolly

Can the council confirm if it has carried out an investigation on the possibility of putting in place a footpath from the Nursing Home to the Community Field in Suncroft?

25. Question – Councillor Anne Connolly

Can the council confirm if it has received any communication from the Department of Defence on the matter of carrying out safety measures at the junction at the bottom of Art McMurrough Hill/Centra Supermarket, Curragh Camp.

26. Question – Councillor Noel Heavey

Can the council outline it’s programme to provide adequate parking facilities for residents of Cedarwood Park, Newbridge?

27. Question – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council clarify the estimated timeline for delivery of the bus shelter at Cross and Passion School, Kilcullen?



28. Question – Councillor Mark Stafford

Can the council furnish an update on the proposals to surface dress the Old Road, Southgreen, Kildare?

**Tithíocht agus Athnuachan
Housing and Regeneration (11:40 a.m.)**

29. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council clarify in detail the reasons for the delay in delivery of the social housing approved beside Mountain View at Athgarvan to include a history of negotiations/discussions with state department and with private landowners/ developers for whom the social housing development and the building of access routes have relevance, clarifying who benefits and/or pays for the new road.

30. Question – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council clarify how much had been asked for car park space in Kilcullen in 2022 at the time the municipal district manager recommended support for a motion to proceed with the market square development but to make it a condition that car parking be secured?

**Pleanáil, Fiontraíocht, Forbairt Eacnamaíoch agus Seirbhísí
Éigeandála
Planning, Enterprise, Economic Development and Emergency
Services (11:50 a.m.)**

31. Motion – Councillor Chris Pender

That the council implement and enforce Kildare County Council's Signage policy throughout the town of Newbridge.



32. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council clarify whether the council owned land, sold to a private individual in 2019, to facilitate the building of homes, not yet delivered is also potentially a route of access to residentially zoned land currently on the market.

33. Question – Councillor Noel Connolly

An féidir leis an gComhairle soiléiriú a dhéanamh ar an ngá atá le grúpaí pobail a fhógraíonn imeachtaí gearrthéarmacha cead a lorg chun comharthaíocht a chur suas?

Can the council clarify the need for community groups in this municipal district advertising short term events, to seek permission to erect signage?

34. Question – Councillor Tracey O’Dwyer

Can the council confirm if it plans to make reference to and incorporate elements from the Kilcullen Town Plan as prepared by Hogarts when reviewing Kilcullen Local Area Plan?

35. Question – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

Can the council provide a progress report on the taking in charge of the Plains/ Collaghknock and Loughminane Estates, Kildare town?

36. Question – Councillor Chris Pender

Can the council provide a list of currently active section 254 applications for this municipal district in tabular form to include location, description of licence and individual/department responsible for enforcement?

**Seirbhísí Corporáideacha, Daoine, agus Cultúrtha
Corporate, People & Cultural Services (12:05 p.m.)**

- 37.** To approve the Arts Awards and Bursaries for 2023 for the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District (report to follow).



Aeráid, Comhphobal, Timpeallacht & Uisce
Climate, Community, Environment & Water (12:05 p.m.)

38. To consider the proposed grant allocations for cemetery maintenance for 2023 (report attached).
39. **Motion – Councillor Tracey O’Dwyer**
That the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District receives a workshop from the Community Department giving members an overview of the suite of grants they manage, how they are processed, deadline dates and how they are arrived at.
40. **Motion – Councillor Suzanne Doyle**
That the council provide a report on causes of changes in water flow and water colour at St Brigid’s Well with identified solutions and assurances regarding future preservation of this important site.
41. **Motion – Councillor Noel Heavey**
That the council outline its strategy to ensure Newbridge has adequate land and resources to develop facilities for volleyball, basketball, athletics, swimming and other sports and leisure activities in keeping with the needs and demands of its present and projected demographics.
42. **Question – Councillor Peggy O’Dwyer**
Can the council provide an update on the planned road markings in St Conleth’s Cemetery Car Park.
43. **Question – Councillor Noel Heavey**
Can the council provide a demographic analysis of the five biggest population centres in this Municipal area?



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44. Question – Councillor Mark Stafford

Can the council confirm if Coolegagan Cemetery is managed by a joint burial board between Kildare and Offaly County Councils?