

Áras Chill Dara Páirc Devoy An Nás Co. Chill Dara

03 May 2024

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 15ú Bealtaine 2024 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, 15 May 2024** in the **in the Council Chamber, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas**, and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

Josh Hannigan

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Clár Agenda (10:00 a.m.)

- 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 Cheantar Bardasach Chill Dara-Droichead Nua a raibh ar siúil ar an 17ú Aibreán 2024 a faomhadh (ceangailte) agus an tuairisc ar dhul chun cinn a thabhairt faoi deara (le leanúint). To approve the minutes of the monthly Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District meeting held on 17 April 2024 (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.
- 5. To discuss the Capital Programme 2024-2026.

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

Transport

6. Motion – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

That the council considers installing a raised Zebra Crossing between Barrettstown Meadows and Old Connell Weir, Newbridge to access the only footpath link to the town.



7. Motion – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

That Kildare County Council carries out a traffic calming assessment at Carnalway Five Cross Roads and explore the possibility of installing a raised tabletop across the width of the junction.

8. Motion – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

That Kildare County Council carries out a health and safety audit for slips, trips and falls on a section of public path on Main Street Kilcullen from the traffic lights down to the Credit Union Main Street.

9. Motion – Councillor Anne Connolly

That the council puts in place signage and road markings at the bend at Springfield Cross, Springfield, Rathangan.

10. Motion – Councillor Anne Connolly

That the council puts in place signage and road markings at the bend at R51HP83, Ellistown, Rathangan.

11. Motion – Councillor Paddy Curran

That the council imposes pay parking on Saturdays in Kildare Town to assist businesses and put a stop to parking space hogging from Fridays to Monday mornings in town centre.

12. Motion – Councillor Paddy Curran

That the council repaints the disability parking spaces in Kildare Town and Milltown.

13. Motion – Councillor Noel Heavey

That the council brings forward an action to allow residents of Chapel Lane, Newbridge (adjoining football pitches) free access to and from their homes when game attendees parking blocks same.



14. Question – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm if the footpaths at The Cresent, Newbridge are listed for resurfacing in 2024?

15. Question – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm if it plans to include the roadway from Station Road leading towards house number (details provided) in Piercetown, for resurfacing?

16. Question – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm if the path from the motorway bridge on the Athy side of Kilcullen back towards Nicholastown Estate has been listed for resurfacing due to the tree roots having lifted large sections of the path creating a potential trip, slip and fall hazard?

17. Question – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm if a traffic calming assessment has ever been carried out on the road from Corbally Junction back to Baroda Stud Crossroads, through the area known locally as Hillsborough and Rosetown?

18. Question – Councillor Anne Connolly

Can the council confirm when the road markings and signage will be reinstated at the entrance to the playground and a playschool at Ellistown GAA?

Parks

19. Motion – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

That the council implements by laws in the Linear Park, Newbridge and all public parks in Newbridge that all dogs have to be on a leash at all times.



Tithíocht agus Athnuachan Housing and Regeneration (11:05 a.m.)

20. To consider the Chief Executive's Part 8 Report P82023.08 for the proposed Public Realm Improvement Works to Market Square, Kildare Town (previously circulated).

21. Motion – Councillor Noel Connolly

Go dtionscnóidh Comhairle Contae Chill Dara imeachtaí Ordú Ceannaigh Éigeantaigh maidir leis an teach folamh agus tréigthe ag (sonraí curtha ar fáil) An Droichead Nua. That Kildare County Council initiates Compulsory Purchase Order proceedings in relation to the vacant and derelict home at (details provided) Newbridge.

22. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council provides the most up to date report on the status and end terms of mortgages for all Housing Associations/ Approved Housing Bodies in the district, to include an explaination of what happens to the titles for these properties at the end of the mortgage term and any change in who holds them.

23. Question – Councillor Noel Connolly

Cén dul chun cinn atá á dhéanamh leis na CPOanna a tionscnaíodh sa Cheantar Bardasach le linn shaolré na Comhairle 2019-2024? Can the council confirm what progress is being made with the CPOs initiated in the municipal district during the lifetime of the 2019-2024 Council?

Airgeadas, Seirbhísí digiteachta agus Nuálaíocht

Finance, Digital Services, Innovation and Governance (11:20 a.m.)

24. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council provides a copy to councillors of the terms and conditions attaching to funding allocated by way of councillors discretionary LPT, so that councillors can advise applicants and to ensure public funds are well governed.



25. Question – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council clarify and confirm whether all premises with horses trained for racing by licensed trainers racing yards houses are all eligible for and are paying rates, including an explanation as to whether classifying a yard as a stud renders the yard ineligible for rates even where racehorses are also trained at the yard?

Pleanáil, Fiontraíocht, Forbairt Eacnamaíoch agus Seirbhísí Éigeandála Planning, Enterprise, Economic Development and Emergency Services (11:25 a.m.)

26. Question – Councillor Paddy Curran

Can the council provide an update on how much time elapses between a request to a developer in this municipal district to complete outstanding work in an estate and the council taking action when agreed work has not yet started?

Aeráid, Comhphobal, Timpeallacht agus Uisce Climate, Community, Environment and Water (11:30 a.m.)

27. To consider the proposed grant allocations for Tidy Towns groups and Cemetery Maintenance for 2024 (report to follow).

28. Motion – Councillor Noel Connolly

Go mbeadh Comhairle Contae Chill Dara ag obair i gcomhar le Graí Náisiúnta na hÉireann d'fhonn talamh dá gcuid, a bheadh oiriúnach do chaithimh aimsire agus do chúrsaí fóillíochta, a fháil ar léas.

That Kildare County Council liaises with the Irish National Stud to ascertain if they would have lands suitable for leasing for leisure and recreational purposes.



29. Question – Councillor Noel Connolly

An bhfuil aon dul chun cinn déanta maidir leis na rúin a bhí agam roimhe seo maidir le páirceanna scátála a sholáthar i Mainistir Eimhín agus i mBaile Chill Dara? Can the council confirm any progress in relation to my previous motions relating to the provision of skate parks in Monasterevin and Kildare Town?

30. Question – Councillor Paddy Curran

Can the council outline the process involved in the removal of unsightly abandoned vehicles in housing estates in Kildare Town which are rotting and taking away from any pride of place initiative introduced by Kildare County Council.

31. Visit of Mayor Kevin Kane and other officials from Freehold, New Jersey.