



Áras Chill Dara,
Páirc Devoy,
An Nás,
Co. Chill Dara.

04 December 2020

Don Mhéara is gach ball de Cheantar Bardasach An Nás

A Bhaill Uile,

Tionólfar an chéad cruinniú eile de Cheantar Bardasach An Nás ar 3.30 tráthnóna Dé Máirt, an 15ú Nollaig 2020, i seomra na Chomhairle, Áras Chill Dara, Páirc Devoy, An Nás, agus iarrtar ort bheith i láthair.

The next meeting of the Naas Municipal District will be held at **3:30 p.m.** on Tuesday, 15 December 2020 in the council chamber, Áras Chill Dara, Naas, Co. Kildare and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Hannigan', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

J. Hannigan
Meetings Administrator

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Agenda (3:30 p.m.)

1. To approve the minutes of the monthly Naas Municipal District meeting held on Tuesday, 17 November 2020 and to note the progress report.
2. To receive an update on the municipal district road works.
3. To receive an update on LPT Expenditure 2020 (report to follow).
4. To approve the transfer of all unspent 2020 LPT funds into 2021.
5. To agree and approve the Naas Municipal District LPT Schedule of Works 2021 (including the agreed list of roads projects).
6. To appoint a member to the Corporate Policy Group.

Bóithre, Iompar agus Sábháilteacht Poiblí
Roads, Transportation and Public Safety (3:55 p.m.)

Building and Development Control

7. To consider the taking in charge of the following housing estates (report to follow):
 - i) Straffan Way, Sallins.
 - ii) The Mews, Whitethorn Grove, Kill.
 - iii) Earls Court, Kill.
 - iv) Furness Wood, Johnstown.
 - v) Monread Close, Naas.
 - vi) The Maudlings, Naas.



Roads

8. To receive an update on all Part 8 projects in the Naas Municipal District.
9. To receive an update from the Technical Assessment Advisory Group (TAAG).
10. To consider the Road Traffic Act 1994 - Section 38 proposed installation of ramps in Arconagh Housing Estate (report to follow).
11. **Motion – Councillor Bill Clear**
That the canal car free day on Sunday continue until 31 of July 2021.
12. **Motion – Councillor Bill Clear**
That the council install a yellow box at Mill Lane and Sallins Road junction, Naas.
13. **Motion – Councillor Carmel Kelly**
That the council begin a Section 38 to relocate a disabled bay across the road at Canal View, Sallins.
14. **Motion – Councillor Carmel Kelly**
That prior to the official opening of the Sallins bypass that permission be granted by the council for a charity fund raiser on the bypass (details to be agreed) for local sports clubs and organisations subject to Covid-19 guidelines.
15. **Motion – Councillor Colm Kenny**
That the council audit and clarify the status of undefined pedestrian road crossing points within the Naas Municipal area, for example the delineated speed ramp crossing from Naas Fairgreen to the Ballymore Road lakes on the Craddockstown road (L6043).



16. Motion – Councillor Colm Kenny

That the council clarify the priority of dedicated cycle lanes on major roads which intersect with minor road junctions for example Rathasker road junction with South Ring Road (R447).

17. Motion – Councillor Evie Sammon

That the council explores how Johnstown could benefit from the Aylmer Bridge to Sallins Grand Canal Greenway route.

18. Question – Councillor Seamie Moore

Can the council confirm what has happened to the carry over agreement between Naas Town Council, Town Traders and the Community of Naas that multi-directional, colour finger-post signs, officially recognised as identifying the general direction of 1) Hospitality Sites, 2) Official Services Sites and 3) Tourist Sites, would replace sidewalk Sandwich Boards?

19. Question – Councillor Bill Clear

Can the council confirm has the pedestrian crossing at Hollywood Park been altered to make pedestrians wait longer to cross?

20. Question – Councillor Bill Clear

Can the council confirm what is the current situation regarding the absence of a footpath at the petrol station in Sallins?

21. Question – Councillor Colm Kenny

Can the council confirm if it has reviewed the visibility and sightlines for vehicles exiting St Conleth's place onto R448 Kilcullen Road when the immediate parking bays on the west side of the road are occupied?



Tithíocht agus Seirbhísí Corporáideach
Housing and Corporate Services (4:40 p.m.)

22. To agree a date for the Data Protection Officer to brief members on Section 40 of the Data Protection Act.
23. **Question – Councillor Carmel Kelly**
Can the council confirm how many transfer requests have been received by Housing Section from residents of (details provided)?
24. **Question – Councillor Evie Sammon**
Can the council advise how many houses were sold under the Incremental Tenant Purchase Scheme in the Naas Municipal District since the scheme commenced?

Airgeadas agus CF
Finance and IS (4:50 p.m.)

25. **Question – Councillor Evie Sammon**
Can the council confirm the number of vacant commercial properties in the Naas Municipal District?

Pleanáil agus Forbairt Straitéiseach
Planning and Strategic Development (4:55 p.m.)

26. **Adjourned Motion – Councillor Seamie Moore**
That the council provides a comprehensive report to the members of the Naas Municipal District on the engagement of an individual outside consultant to survey the social, physical, commercial and cultural structures of the Town of Naas during the years 2018-2019-2020.



- to include the guidance given to the consultant,
- details of the recommendations from that consultant and how they will be implemented
- confirmation of the cost and source of funds for the survey.

27. Question – Councillor Seamie Moore

Can the council confirm what has happened to an agreed motion from the Naas Municipal District Committee that a Decorative Presentation of the Capital Town for Seasonal/Festivals/Special Events/Celebrations would be prepared, to include a permanency of suitable street infrastructure, lighting, mini-flag pole-holders, national & international flag stands, roof top flag poles on official buildings to be retained in safe storage by the local authority?

Seirbhísí Uisce agus Comhshaol

Water Services and Environment (5:10 p.m.)

28. Motion – Councillor Seamie Moore

That the council takes into account the current necessary promotion of high value leisure and amenity walk facilities in and around Naas, i.e. canal and lakes areas and the requirement that additional litter bins and servicing of same are part of that promotion and that badly organised servicing or lack of binning facilities is deemed to be unacceptable, and this issue be actioned as a priority by the local authority.

29. Motion – Councillor Anne Breen

That the council considers and reviews the current status of waste bins provision in Naas Town with respect to size of the bins, the number of bins and the frequency of collection and emptying.

30. Motion – Councillor Anne Breen

That the council take action to rectify the situation with regard to the building at (details provided).



31. Motion – Councillor Evie Sammon

That the Naas Municipal District seeks a briefing from Irish Water on the proposed changes to the Naas water supply.

32. Question – Councillor Anne Breen

Can the council confirm if it has a designated collection point for dis-used Christmas trees for the Naas Municipal District area?

33. Question – Councillor Carmel Kelly

Can the council confirm that as part of the county wide review on the emptying of litter bins if the council has considered plans to increase the frequency of the collection service to include a weekend pickup in this municipal district?

**Forbairt Gheilleagrach, Pobail agus Cultúrtha
Economic Community and Cultural Development (5:25 p.m.)**

34. Motion – Councillor Seamie Moore

That due to the failure of the National Development Plan to identify Central Kildare as an Economic Growth Corridor and the lowering of Naas Town in economic classification to only be a Key Town instead of a Growth Town leading to a serious local area identity vacuum, and the consequential need for a focussed promotion of Naas Town as a sustainable Economic Hub, that the Municipal District Manager assist the Naas Municipal District Committee to form a Business Promotional Group to spearhead the promotion of Naas as a suitable Area for specialist Government services, new Internet Shopping Warehouses, Brexit Related Clearance Centres and sites for high profile Global Companies like Microsoft, needing readily accessible site locations, with available energy and other general services for technological businesses, as these opportunities are slipping under the radar to other designated mid-east regions.



35. Question – Councillor Colm Kenny

Can the council confirm if it has any plans to develop a community garden or community allotments within the Naas Municipal District?