

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

02 December 2022

# 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 13ú Nóllaig 2022 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, 13 December 2022, **in the Council Chamber**, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

Orla McGee

Meetings Administrator

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# Agenda (3:30 p.m.)

- Fógra um leasanna airgeadais nó leasanna tairbhúla faoin alt 177 den Acht Rialtais Áitiúil 2001, arna leasú.
  - Declaration of pecuniary or beneficial interests under Section 177 of the Local Government Act 2001 as amended.
- 2. Chun cruinniú míosúil Ceantar Bardasach an Nás ar an Máirt 08ú Samhain 2022 a faomhadh (ceangailte), míosúil de Cheantar Bardasach an Nás Speisialta an 14ú Samhain 2022 (ceangailte) agus an tuairisc tuarascáil ar dhul chun cinn a thabhairt faoi ndeara (le leanúint).
  - To approve the minutes of the monthly Naas Municipal District meeting held on 08 November 2022 (attached), the minutes of the special meeting held on 14 November 2022 (attached) and to note the progress report (to follow).
- **3.** To receive an update on the municipal district road works.
- **4.** To agree remaining LPT Allocations 2022.

# Bóithre, Iompar agus Sábháilteacht Poiblí Roads, Transportation and Public Safety (3:45 p.m.)

# **Building and Development Control**

**5.** To consider the taking in charge of Elsmore (Phase 1), Jigginstown, Naas (DC9829) (report attached).

#### Roads



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- **6.** To receive an update on the Sustainable Transport and Active Travel Team projects.
- 7. To consider the Road Traffic Act 1994- Section 38- Proposed Double Yellow Lines/Parking Restrictions at Earls Court, Kill, Co. Kildare (report attached).

#### 8. Motion – Councillor Anne Breen

That the council consider permanently closing the vehicular exit road at the bottom of the canal bridge in Sallins, at the Central Grill, in the interests of public safety and use the opportunity to create public space for the benefit of the local community.

#### 9. Motion - Councillor Anne Breen

That the council take in charge the space adjacent to the former Donegan's Electrical Premises at the top of New Row.

#### 10. Motion – Councillor Bill Clear

That the council install a footpath from Newbridge Road at the Bundle of Sticks roundabout to the M7 business park. This presents a significant danger to pedestrians and cyclists as there is no footpath where the road passes over the motorway bridge.

### 11. Motion - Councillor Bill Clear

That the council carry out a safety audit at the Pedestrian crossing at Bank of Ireland where a recent accident highlights that this crossing is not a safe crossing particularly for children and vulnerable road users.

# 12. Motion – Councillor Colm Kenny

That the council standardise information on street signs and on the new pay parking machines in Naas, specifying maximum duration of stay and specifically, that tickets issued and signs on new machines, in Friary Road carpark, are clear regarding parking charges on Sundays.

# 13. Motion – Councillor Colm Kenny

That the council fit a left turning filter on the left turning lane of the Devoy Road at the junction onto the R445 Newbridge Road to correspond with the right turning filter light from the R445 onto the Devoy Road.



## 14. Motion - Councillor Seamie Moore

That members now agree to set precepts for future climate action and environmental changes, public realm promotion, carbon footprint reduction and a return to community interaction in a town retail theatre, by agreeing to close Main Street and Town Centre Naas from motorised traffic for one Sunday per month during the summer period covering the months from May to September 2023.

# 15. Motion – Councillor Carmel Kelly

That the council provide a date when Castlesize Estate, Sallins can expect the reinstatement works be undertaken, following work by Coffey Construction on behalf of Irish Water over 2 years ago.

#### 16. Question - Councillor Anne Breen

Can the council provide an update on the status of long-term outstanding yellow box requests at Mill Lane, Hillside Drive and Craddockstown Way?

#### 17. Question - Councillor Bill Clear

Can the council confirm if the pedestrian crossing at Tesco, Monread complies with crossing times guidelines for pedestrians as there appears to be excessively long wait times for pedestrians which is leading to so called ghost crossings.

#### 18. Question – Councillor Bill Clear

Can the council provide an update on the Sallins Road Active Travel Scheme and confirm if the councillors will be presented with any drawings in 2023.

#### 19. Question – Councillor Colm Kenny

Can the council confirm plans to remove fallen leaves on the South Ring Road, Naas?



# Pleanáil agus Forbairt Straitéiseach Planning and Strategic Development (4:45 p.m.)

**20.** To receive an update on Public Realm projects (report to follow).

#### 21. Motion - Councillor Seamie Moore

That the Municipal Manager indicate his reasons for allowing the accumulated Community Fund of €2.30 million collected from the construction levies in Naas MD over many years, for the purposes of Community and Amenities Development to keep pace with its huge population increase, has now been emptied to finance the construction of an Enterprise Ireland/Kildare CC Economic Development Building, when such money is so badly needed for the purchase of sporting, cultural and community amenities in the area.

#### 22. Motion - Councillor Evie Sammon

That the council explore the delivery of a website for the Potato Market in Naas.

#### 23. Question - Councillor Anne Breen

Can the council provide an update on the status of the conservation work being carried out to Jigginstown House on the Newbridge Road?

#### 24. Question - Councillor Seamie Moore

Can the council clarify that should a variation of the Naas LAP be required whether the vote will be confined to members of Naas Municipal District or if it will be enlarged to include all members of Kildare County Council and what the numbers of Councillors required in either instance is, to obtain approval for the variant?

#### 25. Question - Councillor Seamie Moore

Can the council confirm if there are any official reasons or requirements to prolong the existence of the 'Naas Town Team' now that the 'Urbact' Programme and the Naas Local Area Plan have been officially declared as 'Closed' and 'Completed'?



# Forbairt Gheilleagrach, Pobail agus Cultúrtha Economic Community and Cultural Development (5:05 p.m.)

# 26. Motion – Councillor Carmel Kelly

That the council provide an update on the Tree Programme of Works for our municipal district.

## 27. Motion - Councillor Fintan Brett

That the council initiate a process to establish a policy on plaques/monuments celebrating events/milestones in the Naas Municipal District to ensure relevancy and to remove same when deemed no longer relevant or superceded by other.

All achievements to be logged in a "records of achievements book" to be maintained in the Library Naas.

# 28. Question - Councillor Colm Kenny

Can the council confirm plans to liaise with the overseers of the art piece located on the public footpath outside Vista Primary care centre entitled "The Space Between" to reignite the blue light between the two diagonally split pieces of Spanish Marble which has not functioned for some time and establish provenance of same.