

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

01 September 2023

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 12ú Meán Fómhair 2023, 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, 12 September 2023, **in the Boardroom**, 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 (3:30 p.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 bliantúil de Cheantar Bardasach an Náis agus an cruinniú míosúil Ceantar Bardasach an Náis ar an Máirt 11 Iúil 2023 a faomhadh (ceangailte) agus an tuairisc tuarascáil ar dhul chun cinn a thabhairt faoi ndeara (le leanúint).

To approve the minutes of the annual Naas Municipal District meeting and the monthly Naas Municipal District meeting held on 11 July 2023 (attached) and to note the progress report (to follow).

- **3.** To receive an update on the municipal district road works programme.
- **4.** To receive an update on 2023 LPT expenditure year to date.
- To agree and approve remaining LPT 2023 allocations for the Naas Municipal District Committee.

Iompar, Soghluaisteacht agus Spásanna Oscailte Transport, Mobility and Open Spaces (3:45 p.m.)

Roads

6. To note Section 38 of the Roads Traffic Act, 1994 (as amended) – the submissions report on proposed installation of 4 no. new bus shelters at Oldbridge, Osberstown Cottages, Sallins; Roseville, Dublin Road, Naas; and Limerick Road, Naas.



7. Motion – Councillor Anne Breen

That the council inspect the condition of the road surface in Rathasker Heights which is being adversely affected by a high volume of learner driver activity in the estate.

8. Motion – Councillor Fintan Brett

That the council in conjunction with the NTA reinstate a bus stop adjacent to Poplar Square, Naas.

9. Motion – Councillor Fintan Brett

That the council provide additional parking on a temporary basis (approx. 3 months) at the Fairgreen, Naas to facilitate local businesses during the Kilcullen Road upgrade works.

10. Motion – Councillor Carmel Kelly

That the council instigate a review of the parking byelaws within the municipal district.

11. Motion – Councillor Carmel Kelly

That the council provide an update on the progress of the Bin Emptying Programme Review within the municipal district.

12. Motion – Councillor Bill Clear

That the council investigate the feasibility of placing a pedestrian crossing on the Ballycane Road on the east side of the Ballymore Road roundabout which would facilitate the large number of residents that live at Oakpark, Ard na Laoi and Cluain Aoibhinn walking towards Naas Town and schools.

13. Motion – Councillor Bob Quinn

That the council undertake the reconfiguration of Murtagh's Corner immediately, as a way to alleviate thru-traffic through Naas Town, making our Main Street less busy, less noisy, and safer.



14. Motion – Councillor Seamie Moore

That members agree to support a request to the Chief Executive, that Kildare County Council completely review the present policies, around 'Environment and the Use of Herbicides' as a result of which the presentation of the streets and side streets of Naas have been disgustingly neglected of the management of vegetation growth throughout the summer and openly promotes a 'couldn't care less' attitude and favouring those who continue to litter the streets.

15. Question – Councillor Anne Breen

Can the council confirm what plans it has to help alleviate the parking issues that will result due to the proposed road works on the Ballymore Road, Naas particularly the impact it will have on local trading in the area?

16. Question - Councillor Seamie Moore

Can the council confirm what is delaying a decision to make temporary car parking available to shoppers and retailers on Fair Green, Naas, until January 01 2024, whilst the roadworks around sustainable transport are being completed in that junction area during the Christmas period?

17. Question – Councillor Fintan Brett

Can the council confirm if it plans to clean the gullies in Kill Village following recent road resurfacing works?

18. Question – Councillor Fintan Brett

Can the council provide an update on the removal of the stairs at the Johnstown overpass?

19. Question – Councillor Bill Clear

Can the council confirm if it has plans to install slow zones 30kph (Jakes law) signage at the Jigginstown Estate in Naas?



20. Question - Councillor Bob Quinn

Can the council confirm if it has carried out a feasibility study to consider making John's Lane one way, following on from the response to Cllr Breen's motion in January 2023?

21. Question - Councillor Carmel Kelly

Can the council confirm that new road signage directing traffic away from the centre of Sallins has been ordered?

Parks

22. Motion – Councillor Anne Breen

That the council inspect and investigate the issues being caused to residents at (details provided) with regard to trees/vegetation encroaching on the rear of their property. High trees and overhanging branches are causing serious problems and blocking light to the premises.

23. Question - Councillor Anne Breen

Can the council share with members the ecology report which was commissioned with regard to the issues and condition of excessive weed infestation on the lakes at Lakelands and on the Ballymore Road Naas?

Tithíocht agus Athnuachan Housing & Regeneration (4:45 p.m.)

24. To receive an update on Public Realm Projects (report to follow).

25. Motion – Councillor Evie Sammon

That the council outline what arrangements and supports will be made for those living in the Cemex site when the building is demolished?



26. Question - Councillor Seamie Moore

Can the council clarify why the two proposed Housing Schemes for Rathasker Road and Caragh Court are now delayed for over ten years, whilst government finance is so readily available and the housing waiting list gets longer and longer?

Pleanáil, Fiontraíocht, Forbairt Eacnamaíoch & Seirbhísí Éigeandála Planning, Enterprise, Economic Development & Emergency Services (4:55 p.m.)

27. Motion – Councillor Seamie Moore

That the council give its considered advice on how the several local interest groups can progress the 'County Development Plan Objective' to consider the development of a southern-side, Naas, triangular shaped amenity, comprising cycle and walking facilities, via the old Naas-Baltinglass Rail Line, the old Stage Coach Road via Mylerstown and Two-Mile House to Corbally Canal Harbour, so as to maximise any opportunity of financial support from National Exchequer funds to develop an interlinking Rural Naas Greenway Facility.

28. Question - Councillor Bill Clear

Can the council provide a report on the items outstanding, costs involved and time required in the taking in charge of Willouise Estate in Sallins?

29. Question - Councillor Bob Quinn

Can the council confirm if it has any mechanisms in place to target the establishment of a broader range of 'high street' retail and enterprise throughout the Naas Municipal District?



Seirbhísí Corporáideacha, Daoine, agus Cultúrtha Corporate, People & Cultural Services (5:10 p.m.)

30. Motion – Councillor Bill Clear

That the members write to the Department of Education asking what plans it has to deal with the lack of primary school places in Sallins, with a population of seven thousand residents and growing rapidly and where a significant number of children have to travel to Naas to attend primary school as St Lawrence's Catholic National School, Sallins has reached capacity with a long waiting list.

31. Motion - Councillor Bob Quinn

That the council initiates a public consultation process on what St David's Castle could potentially become, should funding be made available to take the Castle into public ownership.

32. Question - Councillor Carmel Kelly

Can the council confirm if the process to identify the piece of artworks for the new Sallins Bypass (as part of the Percent for Art scheme) has begun?

Aeráid, Comhphobal, Timpeallacht & Uisce Climate, Community, Environment & Water (5:15 p.m.)

33. Motion - Councillor Evie Sammon

That the council identify a building in Naas suitable for a Family Resource Centre.