

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

03 May 2024

# 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 14ú Bealtaine 2024, i Leabharlann Agus Ionad Cultúrtha An Náis, An Phríomhshráid Thuaidh, An Nás, agus iarrtar ort bheith i láthair.

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The next meeting of the Naas Municipal District will be held at **3:30 p.m.** on Tuesday, 14 May 2024, **in the Naas Library and Cultural Centre, North Main Street, Naas,** and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

Maria Richardson

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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 míosúil Cheantar Bardasach an Náis ar 09ú Aibreán 2024 a faomhadh (ceangailte) agus an tuairisc tuarascáil ar dhul chun cinn a thabhairt faoi ndeara (le leanúint).
  To adopt the minutes of the monthly Naas Municipal District meeting held on 09 April
  - To adopt the minutes of the monthly Naas Municipal District meeting held on 09 April 2024 (attached) and to note the progress report (to follow).
- **3.** To receive an update on the municipal district road works programme.
- **4.** To discuss the Capital Programme 2024-2026.
- To agree and approve remaining LPT allocations for the Naas Municipal District Committee.
- **6.** To agree and approve the Naas Municipal District LPT Schedule of Works 2024.

# Iompar, Soghluaisteacht agus Spásanna Oscailte Transport, Mobility and Open Spaces (3:50 p.m.)

#### **Transport**

- 7. To note section 38 of the road Traffic Act 1994 (as amended) Caragh Road and Newbridge Road Junction Safety Improvement 2024 (report to follow).
- 8. To note Section 38 of the Roads Traffic Act 1994 (as amended) Proposed Traffic Calming, Naas Road (R411), Ballymore Eustace, Co. Kildare (report to follow).



To consider the suspension of pay parking bye-laws in three spaces at Fairgreen, Naas to accommodate recycle bins.

**9.** To receive an update from Local Link.

#### 10. Motion – Councillor Fintan Brett

That the council installs a yellow box on the Craddockstown Road, Naas at its junction with Cleevaun.

#### 11. Motion – Councillor Fintan Brett

That the council applies a red epoxy coating to cycle lanes at all junctions on the Kilcullen Road, Naas to help motorists identify the newly installed cycle lanes and act as an additional safety measure.

#### 12. Motion – Councillor Anne Breen

That the council installs traffic calming ramps and speed control notices on the Ballymore Road, Naas, on the stretch of road between the roundabout at the ring road and Swans Corner, in the interests of pedestrian and road safety.

#### 13. Motion - Councillor Bob Quinn

To alleviate traffic congestion for anyone interacting with the Piper's Hill area and to encourage modal shift, that Kildare County Council invites the educational campuses, ETB, residents' association and other impacted parties in the vicinity of Piper's Hill to collaborate in drafting and implementing a traffic management plan for the area. The plan should pay particular attention to permeability measures (for walkers and cyclists) in the vicinity of Piper's Hill, and the public transport servicing the area. Local Link, Bus Eireann and other relevant parties should be invited to participate in the drafting of this traffic management plan.

#### 14. Motion – Councillor Evie Sammon

That the council delivers the promised pedestrian crossings on the Dublin Road and budgets for the works or applies to the Department for funding regardless of when the Dublin Road scheme is to be delivered.



#### 15. Motion – Councillor Evie Sammon

That the council addresses the drainage issues on Barrack Street and Truce Road, Ballymore Eustace with extra gullies ahead of traffic calming measures that are planned.

#### 16. Motion – Councillor Anne Breen

That the council installs traffic lights at the exit/entrance junction from Elm Wood/Chestnut Hill on to the Blessington Road, Naas in the interests of road safety and proper traffic control.

#### 17. Question – Councillor Fintan Brett

Can the council examine the possibility of providing a crossing on the Blessington Road, Naas adjacent the exit from Elmwood (near Friary Rd) to facilitate wheelchair users, children and other pedestrians in the estate?

#### 18. Question – Councillor Fintan Brett

Can the council examine the feasibility of installing a yellow box on Monread Avenue, Naas at the junction with Aylmer Park?

#### 19. Question - Councillor Anne Breen

Can the council provide an update and timeline for the installation of a yellow box at Railway Cottages in Sallins?

## 20. Question – Councillor Carmel Kelly

Can the council confirm if it plans to install a 'Welcome to Kildare' and/or 'You Are Entering Kildare' at the border in Kilteel?

# 21. Question – Councillor Carmel Kelly

Can the council confirm if it plans to widen the pathway along the Sallins Road on the Naas side from the Morell Road Junction to the Traffic Lights at Naas GAA/Scoil Bhride?



#### 22. Question - Councillor Bob Quinn

Can Kildare County Council confirm the number of parking fines issued to motorists for on-street parking in Naas, on a monthly basis over the course of 2023, with the most common reasons cited for the fines?

#### 23. Question - Councillor Bob Quinn

Can Kildare County Council confirm if CCTV is operational for the purpose of monitoring motorists' behaviour and compliance with the rules of the road throughout the Municipal District? In the instance that CCTV is not operational, the council confirms what's required for this to become a reality.

#### 24. Question - Councillor Evie Sammon

Can the council confirm what the delay is to planned traffic calming on Barrack Street, Ballymore Eustace?

#### **Parks**

#### 25. Motion - Councillor Bob Quinn

In light of the obligations placed on Kildare County Council to 'Avoid, Shift, Improve' in reducing carbon emissions linked to transport, the council prioritises bringing Monread Park and its playground up to a comparable standard of the parks and playgrounds in areas such as Kildare Town, Eadestown and Caragh.

In doing so, it will significantly reduce car-based journeys currently being made by people living within the catchment area of Monread Park to parks and playgrounds elsewhere.

# Tithíocht agus Athnuachan Housing and Regeneration (4:55 p.m.)

**26.** To consider the Chief Executive's Part 8 Report for the Proposed Sallins Grand Canal Greenway Link (previously circulated).



#### 27. Motion – Councillor Bill Clear

That the council installs dog waste bins along the path at the greenway in Sallins to facilitate the large numbers using this amenity.

### 28. Motion – Councillor Carmel Kelly

That the council provides a date for the delivery of the Sallins Health Check Report.

#### 29. Question – Councillor Bill Clear

Can the council confirm when the refurbishment of the five derelict houses on Basin Street, Naas that were purchased as derelict properties last year, will commence.

# Airgeadas, Seirbhísí digiteachta agus Nuálaíocht Finance, Digital Services, Innovation and Governance (5:10 p.m.)

#### 30. Question - Councillor Evie Sammon

Can the council outline the percentage of businesses in the Naas Municipal District that applied for the Increased Cost of Business Grant?

# Pleanáil, Fiontraíocht, Forbairt Eacnamaíoch agus Seirbhísí Éigeandála

Planning, Enterprise, Economic Development and Emergency Services (5:15 p.m.)

To consider the proposed Material Contravention of the Sallins Local Area Plan 2016
 – 2022, Planning Reference 24/60106 Oliver Reilly Funeral Directors Ltd., Block 2
 Railway House, The Waterways, Sallins (report attached).

#### 32. Motion - Councillor Bill Clear

That the council outlines what planning permissions have been provided, sought and are required to open Naas Shopping Centre fully to the public, given the significant position this building holds within the town.



#### 33. Question - Councillor Bill Clear

Can the council outline for the members what progress has being made to the Applegreen/Cemex site to enable it to be either demolished or progress to a planning application by the owners. This derelict site is a serious blight of the town of Naas.

#### 34. Questions - Councillor Seamie Moore

Can the council confirm when the public will be asked to contribute to the Feasibility Study of the Corbally Canal Corridor.

# Aeráid, Comhphobal, Timpeallacht agus Uisce Climate, Community, Environment and Water (5:30 p.m.)

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

# 36. Motion – Councillor Carmel Kelly

That the council apply 'Any Bag Any Bin' stencils around the entrance/exit to the New Sallins Greenway as a matter of priority please.

#### 37. Motion - Councillor Seamie Moore

That a review of Community Grant conditions that require three quotations for expenditures of €1000 be reviewed in the light of the difficulties in obtaining specialist service providers at local level for community events.

#### 38. Motion – Councillor Seamie Moore

That a full review of Resident Association Grants in Naas Municipal District be undertaken with comparison data to pre 2014 levels and additional changes in numbers, Kildare County Council's financial allocations and new judgements around eligibility since then.



# 39. Question - Councillor Anne Breen

Can the council update the members on the recent issue with respect to discharge of effluent at Naas Harbour?

## 40. Questions - Councillor Seamie Moore

Can the council confirm to whom (the Local School Management or to the Department of Education) and when the site of the old Naas Swimming Pool was transferred?