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AGENDA / CLÁR OIBRE

1. Confirmation of Minutes following
 - (a) Listowel Electoral Area meeting held on 28th April 2014
 - (b) First meeting of the Municipal District of Listowel held on 13th June 2014.
2. Business prescribed, by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of the Municipal District Members for transaction at such meeting.
 - (a) To consider the adoption of Standing Orders for meetings of the Municipal District of Listowel in accordance with Schedule 10, Paragraph 16 of the Local Government Act 2001.
 - (b) To consider the payment of an allowance to the Cathaoirleach of the Municipal District of Listowel.
 - (c) Update on the transfer of functions from Listowel TC to Kerry County Council.
3. Presentation on Listowel By-Pass by Kerry National Road Design Office
- 4 (a) To note update report from the Job Creation / Sustainable Economic Development Directorate
 - (b) Notices of Motion
 - 1.**Cllr. M Kennelly**: That Kerry County Council give a complete update on the progress of Listowel By-Pass.
 - (c) Questions
 - 1.**Cllr. J Moloney**: What is the up to date position on the proposed Listowel Bypass?

- 5 (a) To note update report from the Sustainable Communities / Quality of Life Directorate.

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. R Beasley: What is up to date with the Single Rural Dwelling in (Details with Directorate).

(c) Questions

1.Cllr. J Moloney: With the new structures in Local Government in place how is it envisaged funding for community groups/local festivals will be administered?

- 6 (a) To note update report from the Operations, Health & Safety Directorate.

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. R Beasley: That Kerry County Council take immediate action to eliminate the flooding in Duagh Village from Killcara down by Foildarrig where the water course was changed some years ago and piped to the other side of the road. It appears that the present pipes are not large enough to carry the flow during torrential down pours which are a common occurrence in recent times and many homes have been flooded 3 to 4 times since 2011. Residents cannot obtain insurance.

2. Cllr. L Purtill:That Kerry County Council should provide a zebra crossing in the vicinity of the church grounds to service Duagh National School, the church and the new sports facility. The 197 pupils in the school will be using the new sports facility next September. The school is located on the opposite side of the Duagh/Listowel Road. The zebra crossing would be essential to ensure their safety.

3.Cllr. L Purtill:That Kerry County Council would address a footpath problem at (Details with Directorate). The Listowel office is already aware of this problem.

4.Cllr. L Purtill:That Kerry County Council would remove an old mobile home adjacent to (Details with Directorate) on the Listowel/Ballylongford Road. This site is now used as a dump and is an attraction for vermin.

5. Cllr. L Purtill:That Kerry County Council should maintain the roads network i.e. potholes especially the roads around Ballylongford and Tarbert on the Wild Atlantic Way. Potholes are not being addressed as

they were in the past and would the Council give a commitment to a time frame when a road problem is reported?

6.Cllr. L Purtill: That Kerry County Council would reinstate a sign at Bunty's Cross, Ballyduff which was knocked as a result of an accident earlier this year. The railing in front of the sign was also damaged and needs to be replaced.

The Ballyduff Tidy Towns Committee said that these works should be done before the inspection of the village otherwise they will lose points

7.Cllr. J Brassil: A Bus Shelter is required for Sraid Thaidhg estate Ballyheigue where the school bus collects and drops children.

8.Cllr. J Brassil: That the beach wall at the car park in Ballyheigue be replaced following storm damage.

9.Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council put in place improved Road Safety Measures at Clounametig Road Abbeydorney to prevent further serious accidents.

10.Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would repair the exterior of the property of (Details with Directorate) as the exterior has been washed away.

11.Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would repair the road at (Details with Directorate).

12.Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would repair the road at (Details with Directorate).

13.Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would resolve the flooding issue at (Details with Directorate).

14.Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council investigate and fix the flooding problem at plot (Details with directorate).

15.Cllr. R Beasley: That Kerry County Council would widen Dores Bridge coming right from Ballyhennessy road . I understand that the landowner (Details with Directorate) would have no problem making the necessary land available

16.Cllr. J Moloney: That road safety measures be put in place on the R555 in Duagh Village due to the imminent opening of the new Community Centre .

17. Cllr. J Moloney: That Kerry County Council would address the issue with water pooling outside (Details with Directorate).

18. Cllr. J Moloney: That Kerry County Council would repair the broken fence at Woodford Listowel.

19. Cllr. J Moloney: That Kerry County Council would carry out urgent repairs on the (Details with Directorate).

20. Cllr. J Moloney: That Kerry County Council would take steps to ensure that flooding does not occur again in Clieveragh, Listowel.

21. Cllr. J Moloney: That the bad stretch of road known as the Scenic Route in Tarmons be repaired as a matter of urgency.

22. Cllr. J Moloney: That Kerry County Council in conjunction with the NRA would address the road safety problems on Bridge Road Listowel, outside the Town Park. This has been an ongoing issue over the past few years and has been highlighted on many occasions with no satisfactory solution.

23. Cllr. J Moloney: That Kerry County Council would carry out repairs to the chimney (Details with Directorate).

24. Cllr. D Nolan: That traffic safety measures, such as a pedestrian crossing and signage, be put in place at the entrance to the new Moyvane Playground crossing to Holly's Gala Supermarket as access to the playground is proving dangerous for children.

25. Cllr. D Nolan: That a review of lighting provision for Woodgrove Estate, Moyvane, would take place as parts of the estate are poorly serviced.

26. Cllr. R Beasley: Will the Council immediately improve the appearance and the interior conditions of the Life Guard huts in Ballybunion.

27. Cllr. R Beasley: That a small range be installed for (Details with Directorate), who is incapable of using the stove which he has at present and it keeps smoking as a result of not replacing the lid correctly. As a result the smoke alarm keeps going off and upsets a lot of the neighbours who are very kind to him.

28. Cllr. R Beasley: What is the up to date position on derelict houses that are unsightly in many towns and village.

29. Cllr. R Beasley: That Kerry County Council drop the path outside the Men's Sheds in Ballybunion so as to make easy access.

30.Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council resurface Upper William St (R552), in Listowel Town Centre with immediate urgency. This road is now a driving health and safety hazard.

31.Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council install speed control ramps on the Rear access road of Upper William St (Back of Listowel Post Office) which has been recently resurfaced by Listowel Town Council.

33.Cllr. M Kennelly: What is the policy of Kerry County Council on the upkeep and maintenance (Including grass-cutting) of Housing estates within the Municipal District of Listowel?

34.Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council in conjunction with Irish Water would do a full audit and survey of the drainage system in Listowel, focussing on the areas worst affected by the most recent floods and that their agencies would prepare and initiate an emergency plan in the event of future flooding.

35.Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council would install speed-ramps in the Meadow Lane Housing Estate in Ballyduff as a matter of urgency, in the interest of safeguarding the large number of children living there.

(c) Questions

1.Cllr. J Brassil: Can Kerry County Council put in place improved Road Safety Measures at (Details with Directorate)?.

2.Cllr. J Brassil: Can Kerry County Council put in place improved Road Safety Measures at The Grotto, Ballyheigue?.

3.Cllr. J Moloney: How many wind farms/turbines have been (a) erected and (b) still have valid planning permission to build in the Municipal District of Listowel and in Kerry as a whole?

4.Cllr. J Moloney: What is the position re funding/grants for graveyard maintenance?

5.Cllr. D Nolan:I request an update on the provision of speed ramps for Cluainin Housing Estate (Kerry County Council), Listowel as per motion forwarded from Listowel Town Council meeting 2/12/13.

6.Cllr. D Nolan:I would ask that the wall damaged, during February's storms, at Ahavoher Graveyard be repaired before the Annual Graveyard Mass on the August 1st.

7.Cllr. D Nolan:Will work on the removal of the dangerous bend on Dromin Hill, Listowel (Details with Directorate) be able to commence in the near future?

8.Cllr. R Beasley:When is the wall at the end of the Men's Beach in Ballybunion going to be rebuilt which was badly damaged in the storms of January and February?.

9.Cllr. M Kennelly: To ask Kerry County Council Roads Department to give an update to new members of what Private Roads are in existence within the Municipal District of Listowel, and to give an update on what works are being carried out on Private Roads as requested by the residents of Gortdromasilly.

10.Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council would source and supply finger signage for all rural schools within the Municipal District of Listowel.

11.Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council would investigate the hazardous road junction from Coolardentering on the R553 to Ballybunion. Currently Vans, Cars and Trucks are parking up on the footpath, reducing driver visibility of oncoming traffic, (Details with Directorate).

12.Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council Roads Department would give an update on the progress of erecting a pedestrian crossing adjacent to Listowel Post Office.

13.Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council would give members an update on speeding ramps to be installed in Dromin Green Estate Listowel, following on from a motion to Listowel Town Council in April 2014.

7(a) To note update report from the Water Services Directorate.

(b) Notices of Motion

1.Cllr. L Purtill:That Kerry County Council should ensure that Irish Water allows a water fountain in the square in Tarbert to remain usable. This fountain is supplying water for 80 years for locals and tourists. In the event of a break down in the regular supply this was an excellent back up supply and this supply should remain in place.

8(a) Motions / Questions relevant to other Directorates or issues not relevant to Kerry County Council business.

(b) Notice of Motion

1.Cllr. R Beasley: That Kerry County Council write to the “Towers”, which is the old folks holiday home, and remind them that they can’t use the rear of the building as a parking facility as it is part of the Sandhill Road Housing Estate and people working from the estate, that work with the Fire Station and Sea Rescue live in the vicinity and are often trapped and can’t get to the emergency

9. To agree a date for the holding of the next Municipal District Meeting.
10. Correspondence.
11. Matters arising from the Minutes as confirmed at 1 above.
12. Any Other Business.