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3rd February, 2015

Chuig: Cathaoirleach M Kennelly
Gach ball de Cheantar Bardasach Lios Tuathail

A Chomhairleoir, a chara,

Tionólfar an chéad cruinniú eile de cheantar Bardasach Lios Tuathail ar Luan an 9 Feabhra, 2015 in Áras an Phiarsaigh, Lios Tuathail ar 10.00rn, chun na míreanna thíos luaite a phlé.

Beidh an fhoireann pleanála cuí ar fáil chun cúrsaí pleanála a phlé le na baill, idir 9.45rn agus 10.00rn

Ba mhaith leis an mBainisteoir Ceantair, Seán Ó Floinn, bualadh leis na comhaltaí idir 9.30rn agus 9.45rn chun roinnt rudaí a phlé libh.

The next meeting of the members of the Municipal District of Listowel will be held in Áras an Phiarsaigh, Listowel on Monday 9th February, 2015 at 10.00am to consider the under mentioned items.

Relevant planning staff will be available to discuss planning matters with the members between 9.45am and 10.00am

The Area Manager Mr. John Flynn would like to meet with the members between 9.30am and 9.45am to discuss some issues with you.

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Gerard O'Brien

Riarthóir Cruinnithe/ Meetings Administrator

Ceantar Bardasach Lios Tuathail/ Municipal District of Listowel

AGENDA / CLÁR OIBRE

- 1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the Listowel Municipal District Meeting held on 21st November, 2014.**
- 2. Business prescribed, by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of the Municipal District Members for transaction at such meeting.**

(a) To consider the proposed development and the Manager's Report thereon in accordance with Section 179(3) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) Part VIII of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 and Articles 17 to 19 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2006 in respect of the proposed new Burial Ground at Dromkeen, Causeway, Co. Kerry. The proposed new Burial Ground will measure 0.2 acres and have provision for 230 grave spaces.

(b) To consider in accordance with the provisions of Section 34(6) of the Planning & Development Act 2000, as amended by Section 23 of the Planning & Development Act 2010, the grant of permission to Bevely, Ballybunion Health & Leisure Centre to construct 4 no. c.120 sq.m. each and 2 no. c 142 sq.m. each holiday home units in 3 no. 2 storey semi-detached blocks, 12 no. car parking spaces and associated landscaping to the rear of Ballybunion Health & Leisure Centre at Lartigue Road, Ballybunion, Co. Kerry in accordance with plans submitted on Planning Register No. 14/158 which development would materially contravene the Kerry County Development Plan 2009 – 2015 and the following Objectives of the Listowel/Ballybunion Functional Areas Local Area Plan 2013-2019 as the subject site is located in an area zoned for Active Open Space Amenity and zoned Tourism/Leisure.

Objective BN-22: Facilitate the sustainable development of an all-weather playing pitch at this location,

Objective BN-8: Ensure that all new dwelling units shall be permanent places of residence,

Objective BN-9: Ensure that the development of further holiday homes is discouraged,

3. Job Creation / Sustainable Economic Development

(a) Presentation on the Local Enterprise Office – Tomas Hayes, Head of Local Enterprise.

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. D Nolan: That Kerry County Council give an update on the Historic Towns programme and the status of new towns coming into the programme this year in relation to funding.

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

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. R Beasley: That Kerry County Council clean up and paint the lifeguards huts in both beaches in Ballybunion and install a small refrigerator for refreshments to keep sandwiches and milk fresh.

2. Cllr. R Beasley: That the toilets on the Castle be painted and brightened up inside and outside until such time as the new facility is built. They are very dark and dated at present.

3. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council in conjunction with Kilehenry graveyard committee Ballybunion initiate the works required at this graveyard.

4. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council carry out immediate refurbishment of the public toilets located at the blue flag Ladies Beach, Ballybunion to provide a positive reflection during the upcoming tourism season in this County. The facilities are in real need of urgent upgrade.

5. Cllr. D Nolan: That Kerry County Council survey current provision and identify the absence or shortage of particular types of waste recycling in the Listowel area.

(c) Question

1. Cllr. J Brassil: What is the up to date status regarding funding for repairs to rural cottages in North Kerry?

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

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. R Beasley: Are there any plans for a sewage treatment plant in Asdee and has land been acquired for same ?.

2. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to prepare an Asset and Needs Brief for Irish Water in relation to a new Waste Water Treatment System in the site adjacent to Baile na Garrai housing estate in Lixnaw which was purchased for this purpose. There are six housing estates in the rural village and another ghost estate at the Abbeydorney side of the village. Can the Council also confirm the number of new houses developed in these estates which have been connected to the main sewer.

3. Cllr. D Nolan: That Kerry County Council test individual household water samples from areas with lead piping previously to stopcock or from cast iron mains to confirm the presence of lead piping from stopcock inwards.

(c) Questions

1. Cllr. D Nolan: Requesting an update on possibility of a scheme to address the financial cost to households who would need to replace unsafe pipes from stopcock inwards

2. Cllr. D Nolan: Will the cast iron sewers that remain in the Listowel area be replaced and upgraded?

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

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. L. Purtill: That Kerry County Council would address the condition of the road that leads from Greenville Road, Listowel to Dromurrin School. This road is extremely dangerous because of the undulations on this road. Warning signs should be erected immediately.

2. Cllr. Robert Beasley: That Kerry County Council would take immediate action to eliminate the difficulties that are on the Ballyduff/Tralee Road, from Ballinclogher Cross to Abbeydorney and that the Council call on the NRA to implement Phase Two of the Dale Road Project before there is a serious loss of life.

3. Cllr. L. Purtill: That Kerry County Council would immediately address a road at the entrance to a field at Ballyline, Ballylongford on the left hand side coming from Listowel (Details with Directorate) and the farmyard on the left. The side of the road and the yellow line has subsided.

4. Cllr. L. Purtill: That Kerry County Council would address the road at Tarmon's East leading to the county bounds. This road is now in a treacherous state and a danger to health and safety. The residents of this road are very concerned. I have been highlighting this for a number of years.

5. Cllr. L. Purtill: That Kerry County Council would urgently address the condition of the road from Greenville to Dromurrin schoolhouse. This is the most dangerous stretch of road I have ever travelled, due to the dangerous undulations vehicles are in danger of being overturned especially if the driver is not familiar with the road.

6. Cllr. L. Purtill: I would ask that Kerry County Council would have the flood relief measures in place in Ballylongford before the very high tides on 20th, 21st and 22nd February which are 5.5m, 5.5m and 5.4m. I would like to

commend Mr, J Sheehan SEE and his staff for preparing and submitting the plans so promptly.

7. Cllr. L Purtill: That Kerry County Council would surface dress the road from Callaghan's Cross to the cross of the wood. In particular, on the right hand side as you drive towards Tarbert which is in an appalling condition. A number of claims have been made to Kerry County Council concerning damage to tyres. It is a safety hazard because motorists try to avoid the side of the road which is in bad condition.

8. Cllr. L Purtill: When will work commence on the N69 at Tarbert as a result of the recent announcement regarding funding ?.

9. Cllr. J Moloney: In line with the rate harmonisation in Listowel that Kerry County Council introduce 1 hour free parking in the town.

10. Cllr. J Moloney: That Kerry County Council re-examine the need for traffic calming measures in Stokers Lawn/ Stokers Place/ Stokers Drive/ Cluainin estates.

11. Cllr. J Moloney: That the 3 malfunctioning lights in The Square, Listowel be repaired immediately.

12. Cllr. J Moloney: That the section of lights on the R555 at Woodford Listowel be repaired immediately.

13. Cllr. J Moloney: That lights be installed between Knockanure Community Centre and the village.

14. Cllr. J Moloney: Can a stove be installed at (Details with Directorate)?

15. Cllr. J Moloney: That a review take place of the traffic lights at Upper Church St, Listowel.

16. Cllr. R Beasley: That Kerry County Council eliminate the flooding at the junction opposite the Golf Hotel Ballybunion where people are continually being drenched. This problem is ongoing since the one way system was put in place over seven years ago.

17. Cllr. R Beasley: That "Slow" signs be erected opposite Lisselton school to prevent a traffic accident as vehicles travel at high speed at this location.

18. Cllr. R Beasley: That Kerry County Council repair the windows at the rear of (Details with Directorate) and also address the loose tiles at this property.

19. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to address the potholes on the road leading from Shannow Bridge to Abbeydorney village.

20. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to address the bad potholes on the main Lixnaw Finuge Road at Dysert Cross, this part of the road was recently resurfaced but unfortunately now has some dangerous potholes.

21. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to address the fallen road sign for Rattoo Tower, Ballyduff.

22. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to address the bad road surface on the road at Cleanderry, Causeway and more particularly the road that leads to the property of (Details with Directorate) which is the fourth road to the right after the left turn off to the grotto out side the village.

23. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to write to the Road Design Office for clarification as to when they envisage being in a position to respond to queries in relation to matters raised such as Duagh Pedestrian Crossing, Moyvane Pedestrian Crossing and issues at the primary school in Abbeydorney. These are matters that are outstanding for some time.

24. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to address the extremely poor condition of the road leading from Ballyduff, after the Ferry Bridge to Dromerin.

25. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to address the footpath in Lixnaw Village towards the post office side of the village.

26. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council take in charge Dirrah Way Estate, Dirrah West, Listowel.

27. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council contact Airtricity to request that they carry out a comprehensive assessment of all public lighting in the Listowel Municipal District, as numerous complaints have been lodged with me over the last few weeks.

28. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council review the street drainage system in Ballybunion as heavy rainfall makes some sections of the street impassable.

29. Cllr. D Nolan: That Kerry County Council carry out repair works to Francis Road, Ahafona.

30. Cllr. D Nolan: That Kerry County Council carry out urgent repair works at Behins Cross, Listowel.

31. Cllr. D Nolan: That Kerry County Council put in place warning signage and road markings on the approach to Moyvane playground

32. Cllr. D Nolan: That Kerry County Council review traffic and pedestrian safety measures in the Market St/Convent St area in relation to increased usage due to relocation of Post Office services to this location.

33. Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would repair and relay the footpath from Killury school to opposite the Church car park in Causeway, the footpath is currently in very poor condition and poses danger to pedestrians.

34. Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would repair and replace the sign and fence at Lowes Cross, Ballyheigue. These have been in need of repair for almost 12 months now.

35. Cllr. J Brassil: The Kerry County Council place a welcome sign at the far side of Abbeyfeale Bridge on the Duagh Road, as was there previously but has been removed.

36. Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would realign the road at the entrance and exit of Ballinagare Bridge, Lixnaw as the current ramps are both dangerous and unsuitable.

37. Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would deal with the road safety issue outside the property of (Details with Directorate) as a matter of urgency.

38. Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council remove the footpath opposite properties 61- 69 Marian Park, Ballyheigue and increase the area for parking as it is a complete bottleneck at present.

39. Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council would put a stove in the property of (Details with Directorate) who is currently suffering serious health problems and this would be of great assistance in her current condition.

40. Cllr. J Brassil: That Kerry County Council replace the windows at the (Details with Directorate), the current windows are rotten and in dire need of replacement.

(c) Questions

1. Cllr. A Thornton: Kerry County Council to confirm when they will be in a position to commence works in relation to Abbeydorney school which are outstanding since July last year and critical to the safety of the children attending the school.

2. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council carry out emergency repair work on the Toor Road, Duagh from Toor Creamery to Knockalucca School Cross.

3. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council carry out emergency repair work at Dirrah East, Listowel and at Dirrah West, Listowel. Can Kerry County Council include these roads in the Road Improvement Scheme 2016?

4. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council extend the Public Lighting in Ballylongford from Well Street to Callaghan's Cross, Ballylongford.

5. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council carry out emergency road repair works on Cleanderry road, Causeway.

6. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council install Traffic Calming measures in Lartigue Drive, Ballybunion Road, Listowel.

7. Cllr. J Brassil: Has Kerry County Council any plans to deal with the Line Road between Ballinorig cross and Buncurrag Cross?

8. Cllr. J Brassil: Does Kerry County Council have any plans to provide a right turning lane at (*Name withheld for data protection purposes. A paper copy of unedited Minutes available on request*) Asdee for traffic travelling towards Ballylongford?

9. Cllr. J Brassil: Has Kerry County Council any plans to fix the uneven road surface on the Ahagran Road, Ballylongford?

10. Cllr. J Brassil: When does Kerry County Council plan to deal with the flashing lights outside Tarbert School, which are installed but not currently working?

7. Motions / Questions relevant to other Directorates or issues not relevant to Kerry County Council business

(a) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. J. Moloney: What is the up-to-date position regarding the installation of CCTV cameras in Listowel Town?

2. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council inform members of Listowel Municipal District on the installation of CCTV in the town of Listowel as already confirmed by the old Listowel Town Council for health & safety reasons.

3. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council request confirmation from Bus Eireann that route 272 serving Tralee, Listowel, Ballybunion, Moyvane and Tarbert is to remain as is with no loss of service.

4. Cllr. M Kennelly: That Kerry County Council investigate and secure a National Car Testing Centre in the North Kerry Area.

5. Cllr. D Nolan: That Listowel Municipal Area express it's disappointment at the fundamental change by An Post in the delivery of Post Office services in Listowel town from direct provision to contract. This is a serious retrograde step for a market town with a large rural hinterland.

- 8. To agree a date for next meeting of the Municipal District of Listowel.**
- 9. Correspondence**
- 10. Matters arising from the Minutes as confirmed at 1 above.**
- 11. Any other Business.**