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13<sup>th</sup> December 2016

Chuíg: Cathaoirleach A Thornton  
Gach ball de Cheantar Bardasach Lios Tuathail

A Chomhairleoir, a chara,

Tionólfar an chéad cruinniú eile de cheantar Bardasach Lios Tuathail ar an Luain an 19 Nollaig, 2016 in Áras an Phiarsaigh, Lios Tuathail ar 10.00 n, chun na míreanna thíos luaite a phlé.

Ba mhaith leis an mBainisteoir Ceantair, Joan McCarthy, bualadh leis na comhaltaí idir 9.15rn agus 9.30rn chun roinnt rudaí a phlé libh. Beidh an fhoireann pleanála cuí ar fáil chun cúrsaí pleanála a phlé le na baill, idir 9.30rn agus 9.45rn

The next meeting of the members of the Municipal District of Listowel will be held in Áras an Phiarsaigh, Listowel on Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2016 at 10.00 a.m. to consider the under mentioned items.

The Area Manager Ms. Joan McCarthy would like to meet with the members between 9.15a.m and 9.30a.m. to discuss some issues with you.

Relevant planning staff will be available to discuss planning matters with the members between 9.30a.m and 9.45a.m.

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**Jean Foley**

**Riarthóir Cruinnithe/ Meetings Administrator**

**Ceantar Bardasach Lios Tuathail/ Municipal District of Listowel**

## **AGENDA / CLÁR OIBRE**

1. (a) Confirmation of the Minutes of the meeting of the members of the Municipal District of Listowel held on 24<sup>th</sup> October, 2016.

(b) Confirmation of the Minutes of the meeting of the members of the Municipal District of Listowel to consider & adopt a Draft Budgetary Plan for 2017, held on 24<sup>th</sup> October, 2016.

### **2. Business prescribed**

#### **(a) Update on Heritage Plan for Listowel**

To note the Listowel Heritage and Community Led Regeneration Strategy

### **3. Water Services Directorate**

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

### **4. Job Creation / Sustainable Economic Development Directorate**

#### **(a) Notice of Motion**

1. **Cllr. D Nolan:** That Kerry County Council coordinate a cross sectoral plan to help get shoppers and visitors back into Listowel Town after the long period of roadworks.

#### **(b) Question**

1. **Cllr. J Lucid:** Do Kerry County Council intend to update the Town Plan for Ballyheigue and if so when?.

2. **Cllr. J Lucid:** Can Kerry County Council state when it will take Barr na Sraide, Housing Estate, Ballyheigue in charge.

3. **Cllr J Lucid:** Can Kerry County Council state when it will take in charge Urlee Housing Estate Lisselton .

4. **Cllr. A Thornton:** When will the new Development Levy Scheme be developed for the Listowel Municipal District?

5. **Cllr. J Moloney :** That this Council request an update from Shannon Properties on recent activity and future plans for Clieveragh Industrial Estate.

## **5. Sustainable Communities / Quality of Life Directorate.**

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

#### **(b) Notices of Motion**

**1. Cllr. R Beasley:** That signs be put up in the gates of St. Johns Churchyard, Ballybunion, warning dog owners to not allow their dogs on the grounds.

**2.Cllr. R Beasley:** That Kerry County Council make a serious effort to clamp down on dog foul in our streets as the situation in Ballybunion has gone completely out of hand, both in our footpaths and Cliff Walk.

**3. Cllr. J Lucid:** Can I please get an update as to what Kerry County Council plan to do with the old house it owns near the Cluain an Aisling housing estate at Causeway village. The house is a listed building and it has not been occupied for the last 30 years.

**4. Cllr. J Lucid:** Can Kerry County Council revise their policy around grant support for septic tanks to bring about a situation that there is some level of grant support for people who wish to upgrade/replace their septic tanks.

**5. Cllr. D Nolan:** How many local authority properties in the Listowel M.D. are to benefit from the recent Warmer Homes funding and what percentage of stock in the Municipal District is yet to receive such an upgrade?

**6. Cllr. A Thornton:** Can Kerry County Council consider what financial and other support it can give the town of Listowel in developing economically and for tourism. Can the new Economic Development Officer provide a certain number of hours to the Listowel Municipal District.

## **6. Operations, Health & Safety Directorate**

### **(a) To note update report from the Operations, Health & Safety Directorate**

#### **(b) Notices of Motion**

**1. Cllr. R Beasley:** That the liner signs indicating The Cashen Ring, Kilmore and Ballyduff be replaced at Clogahane Cross near (Details with Directorate) they have been missing for over 2 years.

**2. Cllr. R Beasley:** That the briars on the ditch down by lower Knopogue be cut as they are causing damage to cars, details of land owner with council.

**3. Cllr. R Beasley:** What is the up to date with the public toilets in Ballybunion, how soon do we expect to see work commence?

**4. Cllr. L Purtill:** Main St in Ballylongford is in dire need of resurfacing. The centre of the road was opened to facilitate the ducting for the Wind Farm at Tullahinell. The roads surface in that area has subsided. When repair works are being carried out, it is most essential that the whole street be surfaced dressed by Kerry County Council?

**5. Cllr. L Purtill:** When will work on the footpaths from Ballyduff Village to the G.A.A. ground be completed?

**6. Cllr. L Purtill:** That Kerry County Council would repair the road leading to Ratoo Tower, Ballyduff? This road also needs to be skirted.

**7. Cllr. L Purtill:** That Kerry County Council would urgently repair the road outside (Details with Directorate), Ballylongford. Part of the road has sunk down causing a traffic hazard?

**8. Cllr. R Beasley:** Has Kerry County Council been in contact with the developer in relation to the lighting situation at Doonard, Doon Road, Ballybunion where there are a number of affordable houses occupied and there has been no lighting in this Estate since March of this year. There are many young children and this is a health and safety issue and someone has to be held responsible for this deplorable situation.

**9. Cllr. R Beasley:** That Kerry County Council improve the footpaths on Doon Road from the entrance to the Glens Road down as far as the steps taking you down to the Cliff Walk, opposite the Cliff House Hotel?

**10. Cllr J Lucid:** Will Kerry County Council investigate options to improve safety at Abbeydorney village cross? Traffic coming from the Dale road going to the Tralee road has right of way, but there have been a number of accidents with cars travelling from the Lixnaw road.

**11. Cllr. J Lucid:** Will Kerry County Council remove the storage heating system from the houses at the back row in Sraid Thaidhg housing estate, Ballyheigue and replace it with a system that works effectively and efficiently?

**12. Cllr. J Lucid:** When is Kerry County Council going to put a safety barrier in place at Castleshannon, Causeway to stop cars from going over the ditch when they take the corner at inappropriate speed?. There is a considerable drop in the field inside the ditch at that part of the road.

**13. Cllr. J Lucid:** Do Kerry County Council intend putting parking plan/strategy in place for people attending the Health Centre at Harty's Terrace, Ballyheigue when it re-opens after the refurbishment works there are completed?

**14. Cllr. J Lucid:** Will Kerry County Council put measures in place to stop parking on the footpath outside the house between (Details with Directorate), and the (Details with Directorate), at Ballyheigue. Could this be put in place as part of a revised traffic plan for the village.

**15. Cllr. D Nolan:** That the Clounmacon Road, particularly in the area of the Community Centre, be repaired.

**16. Cllr. D Nolan:** That the road verge in Kilmorna on the series of sharp bends is repaired, as parts of the pavement have worn away and is in a dangerous condition.

**17. Cllr. D Nolan:** That the pothole on the road in Ballyegan, Lisselton be repaired.

**18. Cllr. D Nolan:** That the wire mesh be repaired on the footbridges in the 'Cahirdown Wood' section of Listowel Town Park.

**19. Cllr. D Nolan:** That the grass verge at The Bog Village, Leamprehane, Kilflynn be cut back as traffic trying to access onto the N69 have little to no view.

**20. Cllr. D Nolan:** Can Kerry County Council provide an update as to new lighting in Knockanure.

**21. Cllr M Kennelly:** That Kerry County Council carry out immediate road repairs at Tullahennel North and South, cut the dangerous hedges from Morans Cross to Asdee and to include these roads in future Road Works Programmes.

**22. Cllr. M Kennelly:** That Kerry County Council do an immediate road side fill to a section of road on the L1012-45 in the Moher Region of Moyvane as this location has become extremely dangerous.

**23. Cllr. M. Kennelly:** That Kerry County Council carry out the public lighting works request at Knockanure Community Centre with the secured 2016 Councillor Specific Municipal District Allocation funding in January 2017.

**24. Cllr. M Kennelly:** That Kerry County Council as a matter of urgency look at the very serious situation at the junction at Ballygologue Cross traffic lights. The problems at this junction leading from John B Keane Road

turning immediately into two housing estates and up to Dromin Upper, where over the years we have seen three large housing estates built. This is a very heavily populated area and the situation at this junction will ultimately end in tears.

**25. Cllr. M Kennelly:** That Kerry County Council carry out immediate road repair works on the L6060-0 road as a section of this road is in very poor condition. This road links the Duagh /Abbeyfeale road to the Listowel /Abbeyfeale road.

**26. Cllr. M Kennelly:** That Kerry County Council contact the TII to undergo immediate road surfacing works on the N69 from Mountcoal Cross to Coolanaleen Cross. If sections of this road are not done immediately, it will lead to accidents happening which is totally unacceptable.

**27. Cllr. M Kennelly:** That Kerry County Council carry out immediate road repairs on the streets of Tarbert, where works that were carried out have left section of the road in a dangerous state.

**28. Cllr. M Kennelly:** That Kerry County Council carry out road works and include in future works programme the L1020-21 road from Skeherin Cross to Keylod, as sections on this road has in the past caused serious accidents.

**29. Cllr. A Thornton:** Can Kerry County Council cost the addition of a footpath from BUDS centre, Ballyduff to the village in Ballyduff.

**30. Cllr. A Thornton:** Can Kerry County Council repair the road which leads left at Dromerin School, into the residence of the (Details with Directorate),. It is in a terrible state of disrepair.

**31. Cllr. A Thornton:** Can Kerry County Council repair the road at Irremore, Lixnaw which passes the residence of (Details with Directorate), as the surrounding neighbours have complained re the danger of travelling this road.

**32. Cllr. A Thornton:** Can the Council consider the inclusion of extra signage at the Garden Centre in Listowel as an approach road from the Tarbert side, once the road works are complete. A resident in the area witnessed many visitors who did not stop as appropriate at this junction.

**33. Cllr A Thornton:** Can the Council consider the inclusion of further safety signage on the Dale Road, Lixnaw and particularly signage urging drivers to slow down on the road due to the dangerous condition of the road.

**34. Cllr. A Thornton:** Can the Council consider box parking spaces on Church Street, Listowel

- 35. Cllr J Moloney:** Can the lights in the Town Park be extended to the Gurtenard Entrance?
- 36. Cllr. J Moloney:** Can bollards similar to those at Fairies Cross Tralee be trailed at Lower Church Street?
- 37. Cllr. J Moloney:** Can the council assist Knockanure Tidy Towns extending the planted area on the Moyvane side of the village?
- 38. Cllr. J Moloney:** Is there any update on the safety measures on the Bridge Road Town Park entrance that were due to be reviewed this year?
- 39. Cllr. J Moloney:** Have any public lighting requests been granted since our last meeting?
- 40. Cllr. J Moloney:** Can the green area around St. Johns be replanted in the new year?

#### **(c) Questions**

- 1. Cllr. R Beasley:** Are Kerry County Council monitoring the deteriorating problem on the Cliff Road, Ballybunion?
- 2. Cllr R Beasley:** What is the update in relation to the work that was to be carried out adjacent to the home of (Details with Directorate),?
- 3. Cllr. M Kennelly:** What is Kerry County Council's update on the Lay By at upper Church Street.
- 4. Cllr M Kennelly:** Can Kerry County Council explain why it takes so long for a public lighting complaint call out, this is too serious, one light in particular at Lisselton Cross was reported three times in the space of six weeks. Why can Kerry County Council not maintain this public service?
- 5. Cllr. M Kennelly:** That the Listowel Municipal District welcome the works of " 508,000 to alleviate the flooding issues in the Clieveragh Area of Listowel which has effected home owners and businesses in the past, Can Kerry County Council give an update where these works are and when works will commence.
- 6. Cllr. M Kennelly:** Can Kerry County Council following on from my motions at Municipal District Meeting and recently at full Kerry County Council Meeting of October 2016, give an update on the Serious Traffic Safety Measures outside St Michaels College Listowel.

**7. Cllr. M Kennelly:** Can Kerry County Council give the confirmed route that Gas Networks Ireland is taking to supply gas from Foynes to Listowel.

**8. Cllr. A Thornton:** Can Kerry County Council formally consider the replacement of the traffic lights outside (Details with Directorate), and whether a costing may be produced re its replacement as a pedestrian crossing?

## **7. Any Other Business**

### **(a) Notice of Motion**

**1. Cllr. R Beasley:** That consideration would be given to construct a bus shelter in the locality of the Barracks in Ballybunion.

**2. Cllr. L Purtill:** Once again I have been requested to have the opening times of Carrigafoyle Castle extended from March to October. I am asking Kerry County Council to make contact with the O.P.W. re opening times.

**3. Cllr. A Thornton:** Can the members of Listowel Municipal District agree a date on which they can meet with the Newcastlewest councillors in relation to progress on the Greenway.

**4. Cllr. A Thornton:** What are the plans in relation to the old Neo Data site being put out to public consultation?

### **(b) To agree date for next meeting of the members of the Municipal District of Listowel**

### **(c) Correspondence**

### **(d) Matters arising from the Minutes as confirmed at 1 above**

### **(e) Any other Business**