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MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF TRALEE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, ÁRAS AN CHONTAE, TRALEE ON MONDAY 5th October 2015.

MIONTUAIRISCÍ NA CRUINNITHE SPEISIALTA DE CHEANTAR BARDASACH THRÁ LÍ A THIONÓLADH I SEOMRA NA COMHAIRLE, ÁRAS AN CHONTAE, TRÁ LÍ, AR AN LUAN AN 5ú DEIREADH FÓMHAIR 2015.

PRESENT/I LÁTHAIR

Councillors/Comhairleoirí

**P. Daly
T. Ferris
G. Spring**

**N. Foley
S. Locke
P. McCarthy**

**T. McEllistrim
T. O'Brien
J. Finucane**

In attendance/i láthair

**Mr. C. O'Sullivan
Mr. G. O'Brien
Ms. J. O'Sullivan
Ms. J. Foley
Mr. M. Scannell
Mr. F. Hartnett
Ms. Noreen O'Mahony
Mr. A. Smith
Ms. M. Culloo**

**Delegated Executive for the MD of Tralee
Meetings Administrator
C.O.
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S.E.E.
Economic Planning & Tourism Officer
Housing Investigations Officer
S.O.**

Meeting commenced at 10.50 a.m.

Vote of sympathy for Mr. Bernard Collins

At the outset Cllr. T. Ferris proposed a vote of sympathy to Marian, Aisling and the extended family of the late Bernard Collins. She said that Bernard played a big part in politics in Kerry and was chairperson of North and East Kerry Developments (N.E.K.D). She said that he could predict the outcome of a ballot before the ballot boxes were even open, and he entrusted her with his own formula to predict the opinion polls.

Cllr. P. McCarthy extended his sympathy to the Collins family. He knew Bernard as a neighbour and from all the local community activities he was

involved in. Bernard was a very likeable and knowledgeable man who had a great grasp of issues and was always available to give advice.

Cllr. N. Foley wished to be associated with sentiments expressed. She said that Bernard was a phenomenal man who was motivated for the good of the community and the county. Bernard was hard working and selfless with his time. While he never sought to be elected he contributed a great deal to politics.

Cllr. P. Daly said that he knew Bernard through the LCDC. He was always willing to help and very approachable.

Cllr. T. O'Brien extended his sympathy to the family of Bernard and said that he was a great community worker.

Cllr. T. McEllistrim said Bernard was his neighbour in Ballymacelligott and was a great community worker in the Ballymacelligott and Kilduff areas.

Cllr. T. Ferris asked that a letter of sympathy issue to Marian and the Collins family on behalf of the members of the Municipal District of Tralee.

2015.05.10.01 To agree a date to consider and adopt the Draft Budgetary Plan for the Municipal District of Tralee for 2016

On the PROPOSAL of Cllr. T. McEllistrim SECONDED by Cllr. P. McCarthy, it was agreed to hold a meeting to consider and adopt the Draft Budgetary Plan for the Municipal District of Tralee for 2016 on the 23rd of October at 11.00am

2015.05.10.02 Meeting with Mayor of Derry

Following a request from former Mayor Cllr. J. Finucane, it was agreed that the members would meet with the Mayor of Derry, Elisha McCallion on the 30th October 2015 at 2.00pm

Meeting concluded at 11.00am

Gerard O'Brien
Meetings Administrator

Mayor of the Municipal District of Tralee