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1 July 2020

**Chuig: Cathaoirleach B. Cronin
Gach ball de Cheantar Bardasach Chill Áirne**

A Chomhairleoir, a chara

Beidh an chéad chruinniú eile de Cheantar Bardasach Chill Áirne ag 12.00tn i Ionad Spóirt agus Fóillíochta, An Seachród, Chill Áirne, **Dé Céadaoin, an 8ú Iúil 2020** chun seo leanas a phlé.

The next meeting of the members of the Municipal District of Killarney will be held in Killarney Sports & Leisure Complex, By-Pass Road, Killarney on **Wednesday, 8th July 2020 at 12.00 noon** to consider the under mentioned items.

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Pádraig Corkery
Riarthóir Cruinnithe / Meetings Administrator
Ceantar Bardasach Chill Áirne / Municipal District of Killarney

AGENDA / CLÁR OIBRE

1. (a) Cathaoirleach's Address

1. (b) Confirmation of the following Minutes:

- (a) Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Members of the Municipal District of Killarney to consider and approve allocations from the 2020 Community Support Fund held on 28th February 2020
- (b) Minutes of the Meeting of the Members of the Municipal District of Killarney held on 4th March 2020
- (c) Minutes of Meeting to consider and adopt the Schedule of Municipal District Works Plan for the Killarney Municipal District held on 15th May 2020
- (d) Minutes of the Meeting of the Members of the Municipal District of Killarney held on 11th June 2020

1. (c) Business prescribed by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of the Municipal District Members for transaction at such meeting:

- (a) Nomination for Killarney Municipal District representative on Corporate Policy Group

2. Economic and Community Development Directorate

(a) To note report from Economic and Community Development Directorate

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. M. Gleeson: That the Council would consider the development of a scheme jointly with homeowners in towns and villages in order to encourage the cleaning of roofs/gutters and the painting of chimneys. Such work would, on completion, greatly enhance the overall appearance of our conurbations.

2. Cllr. B. Cronin: What is the current status of the Taking in Charge applications for Birchill and Killarney Thatch Cottages, Aghadoe, Killarney?

3. Cllr. N. O'Callaghan: That the Council will actively look at their landbank or talk to the NPWS in relation to erecting an outdoor basketball court. As other than in housing estates where they have gone to rack and ruin, there is no place provided by the Council.

4. Cllr. M. Moloney: What is the update with the provision of CCTV cameras for Balllyspillane Estate.

5. Cllr. M. Healy-Rae: To ask Kerry County Council what is the update regarding CCTV for Balllyspillane Estate?

6. Cllr. N. Kelleher: Can we get an update on the Lewis Road Masterplan.

7. Cllr. N. Kelleher: What is the update on the tenders for the Pretty Polly site.

3. (a) To note update report from the Water, Environment, Fire and Library Services Directorate

4. (a) To note update report from Housing Directorate

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. M. Gleeson: Has the Council commenced the process of seeking to determine the level of interest among urban property owners in making the upstairs portion of their property available to or through the Council for town centre living through medium to long-term leasing?

2. Cllr. M. Moloney: Following the allocation of the apartments at Coill na Darach, Rock Road, that members be now advised of exactly how many local authority units are now vacant, the number of bedrooms in each vacant unit and also be advised of the location of such vacant units.

5. (a) To note update report from the Roads, Transportation & Marine Directorate

(b) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. M. Gleeson: That the Council would seek to eliminate the torment of ongoing ponding (flooding) at the junction of the N22 and the road towards Gortahoosh Bridge. This situation has persisted for many years.

2. Cllr. M. Gleeson: That the Council would renew and replant the ground at the Abbey Cross junction, Muckcross. This work has in recent years greatly enhanced a prime tourist location.

- 3. Cllr. M. Gleeson:** Has "further consultation with adjoining landowners" (as per reply of 4th March) taken place in relation to the Upper Lissivigeen / Coolcoslough and Ballycasheen junctions with the N22 and if they have, are the design proposals being finalised?
- 4. Cllr. M. Gleeson:** Has there been any progress towards acquiring the land necessary to allow for the development of the much needed footpath cum cycleway from Páirc Chuimín to Kilcummin Village?
- 5. Cllr. M. Gleeson:** Is there any clarity as to when the committed flood prevention measures along the River Flesk will be completed? Residents are wondering and waiting.
- 6. Cllr. B. Cronin:** When will the protective barriers I previously requested be erected at the Kilkneeden junction off the N22 at Brennan's Glen?
- 7. Cllr. B. Cronin:** On the N22 at the right hand turning into Mr Price, can the lane for through traffic be properly defined with proper footpath protection?
- 8. Cllr. B. Cronin:** Can an advance warning sign be provided indicating the upcoming pedestrian crossing for Ardshanavooly, on the approach from Killarney town?
- 9. Cllr. B. Cronin:** As part of the road improvement project, can the roadside ditch be straightened for improved safety at Inchycullane, Kilcummin?
- 10. Cllr. N. O'Callaghan:** That the Council would deal with severe ponding on the bend after The Castlerosse Hotel in Fossa.
- 11. Cllr. N. O'Callaghan:** That the Council will actively enforce and highlight that there is no cycling on the footpaths.
- 12. Cllr. N. O'Callaghan:** That a bollard is needed to stop cars going over the traffic island and doing u-turns at the Friary Roundabout.
- 13. Cllr. M. Moloney:** That Kerry County Council would advise if any decision has been reached following my proposal that the car parks would be free for a number of hours each morning to encourage shoppers to come back to the town centre for their shopping. I now move a motion that parking would be free from 9.00am to 11.00am in all the car parks in Killarney Town.
- 14. Cllr. M. Moloney:** I once again ask that Kerry County Council provide a footpath along the right hand side of the entrance to Bruach na hAbhann and all the Local Authority Estates using that entrance before a serious accident occurs to pedestrians.
- 15. Cllr. M. Moloney:** That Kerry County Council update members with regard to works at the Aghadoe junction at Madam's Hill, Cleeney.

16. Cllr. M. Healy-Rae: To ask Kerry County Council to examine the pathway to Killaha Graveyard, Glenflesk with a view to improving its surface.

17. Cllr. M. Healy-Rae: To ask Kerry County Council to examine the lights in Woodford Manor Estate. They are very dim and can they be considered for an upgrade?

18. Cllr. M. Healy-Rae: To ask Kerry County Council and the TII what is the update regarding the proposed pedestrian crossing for Fossa National School? Has the TII completed the feasibility of this proposal as part of the overall project?

19. Cllr. M. Healy-Rae: To ask Kerry County Council what is the update regarding the requested speed ramps adjacent to Flesk Grove entrance, Ballycasheen Road?

20. Cllr. D. Grady: That we, Killarney Municipal District, would put down on all footpaths in Killarney 'No Cycling' signs where cycling is not permitted as people have got injured.

21. Cllr. D. Grady: That we Killarney Municipal District would return Plunkett Street, to non-pedestrianisation, when the Covid19 Virus is gone or when social distancing is reduced from 2m to 1m.

22. Cllr. D. Grady: That Killarney Municipal District would overlay Main Street with hot tarmac. The paving that is there at present is not fit for purpose. This is costing us a lot of money with years.

23. Cllr. D. Grady: That Killarney Municipal District would arrange topping / trimming of trees in front of Ardshanavooly as they are dangerously overgrown.

24. Cllr. D. Grady: That an update would be provided in relation to the appointment of a grass cutting contractor. Grass cutting which is being carried out at present is not satisfactory, due to the incorrect equipment being used.

25. Cllr. N. Kelleher: When will the Old Kenmare Road be surfaced under the LIS Scheme?

26. Cllr. N. Kelleher: Can Kerry County Council provide free parking in Rock Road Car Park?

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

(a) Notices of Motion

1. Cllr. M. Gleeson: That we call on the TII to formulate a multi-annual programme of strengthening and underpinning the Lake side wall from Torc Waterfall to the entrance to Dinis.

2. Cllr. B. Cronin: To call on the Trustees of Muckross House to ensure that Muckross Traditional Farm is maintained into the future and that this Municipal District give its backing to support this crucial link with our agricultural heritage.

3. Cllr. B. Cronin: To request clarification from Iarnród Éireann as to why new lights erected at the Stagmount Crossing are covered and not working.

4. Cllr. B. Cronin: Has any progress been made following my previous proposal requesting the provision of warning signs regarding ticks and Lyme's Disease at the public entrances to the National Park?

5. Cllr. M. Healy-Rae: That we the members of Killarney Municipal District write to the Minister for Finance requesting that the Wage Subsidy Scheme be extended to include seasonal workers. This is of critical importance to the people living in our area.

6. Cllr. M. Healy-Rae: To ask Kerry County Council what is happening with St. Finan's lands? Can Kerry County Council provide details on what plans are there to protect and restore the original buildings?

7. Cllr. M. Healy-Rae: To ask the Management of Killarney Municipal District to consider that meetings between Management of the Municipal District and the Chamber of Commerce should include the Elected Members or at the very least, the Elected Members should be provided with minutes of such meetings.

8. Cllr. D. Grady: That we Killarney Municipal District would write to the appropriate Minister requesting to urgently improve the waiting time it takes an ambulance to respond in the Kerry area. I will be supplying facts.

9. Cllr. N. Kelleher: Can Kerry County Council liaise with the NPWS regarding repairs needed in roads in our Park?

(b) Correspondence

1.	Letter dated 24 th February 2020 received from Mr Mark Byrne, TII regarding provision of a controlled pedestrian crossing at Mission Road
2.	Letter dated 26 th February 2020 received from Ms Niamh Redmond, Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government regarding proposal to restrict the right to make submissions in respect of a planning application to those who reside within 10 kilometres of the location of the site of a proposed development
3.	Letter dated 20 th March 2020 from Ms Josepha Madigan TD, Minister for Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht in reply to our correspondence dated 10 th March regarding request to meet with a deputation from Killarney MD and the National Park's Deer Management Plan

(c) Suggested date for the next Killarney Municipal District Meeting - Wednesday, 2nd September 2020

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

(e) Any Other Business