#### Ceantar Bardais Leitir Ceanainn

Oifig Riarthóir na gCruinnithe Aras an Chontae Leifear 6 Iúil 2017

#### **FOGRA CRUINNITHE**

Beidh Cruinniú de Ceantar Bardais Leitir Ceanainn siúl Dé Máirt 11 Iúil 2017, <u>ag</u> 2.00 i.n. in I.S.P. Leitir Ceanainn.

## DO GACH BHALL DEN CEANTAR BARDAS LEITIR CEANAINN

#### A Chara

Iarrtar ort bheith i lathair ag an gcruinniu seo Ceantar Bardais Leitir Ceanainn. Ta Clar an Cruinnithe le seo.

Mise, le meas

#### Seosamh O'Piobla

Riarthóir Cruinnithe

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#### **Municipal District of Letterkenny**

Office of Meetings Administrator County House Lifford 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2017

### **NOTICE OF MEETING**

A Meeting the Municipal District of Letterkenny will be held on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at 2.00 p.m. in the Letterkenny Public Services Centre.

#### TO EACH MEMBER OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF LETTERKENNY

#### **Dear Councillor**

You are summoned to attend this meeting of the Municipal District of Letterkenny. The Agenda is attached.

Yours sincerely

Joe Peoples

**Meetings Administrator** 

## **AGENDA**

## 1) Consideration of the Minutes;

- (i) MDL Meeting held on 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2017
- (ii) Meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2017

#### **Notices of Motions**

## Cllr. G. McMonagle

- 1) That this Municipal District investigates what work needs to be carried out to make the Market Square in Letterkenny safer and free from vandalism.
- 2) That this Municipal District contact the owners of the land adjacent to Letterkenny Shopping Centre/ Aldi and request that they clear their site and make it safe to prevent further fires breaking out at the site.

## Cllr. J. McDaid

3) That this Council urgently act to address the vision lines at the dangerous junction at Glenmaquinn School, there has been a number of accidents recently at the junction and the issue needs to be addressed before a fatality happens.

## Cllr. D Shiels

- 4) That this Council erect a ball catch/netting system at the Ballymacool Town Park to put an end to the present dangerous situation where heavy footballs are being kicked from the Astroturf pitch into the small children's play area where very young toddlers are playing.
- 5) That this Council consider what measures can be put in place to reduce speeding on the steep down slope at Back Road, Letterkenny.
- 6) That this Council make plans to (a) complete a new footpath on the Ballymacool Road out as far as the New Mills Corn and Flax Mill and (b) complete cycle lanes in both directions on the Ballymacool Road between the Roundabout at the St Eunan's GAA Club and the New Mills Corn and Flax Mill.

## Cllr. J Kavanagh

- 7) That the Council again cut back the trees at Market Square so that the area is opened up, could this work be scheduled and undertaken are needed to ensure the area remains open to view and is safely accessible to tourists and all members of the public at all times.
- 8) That a stone or plaque with the name "Glencar Irish be placed at the area to identify it, also could a survey of estates etc., be undertaken to identify estates in the town that do not have nameplates of any description?
- 9) That the Council take whatever measures necessary to ensure parking at Glencar Irish is for residents and visitors to those houses only.

#### Cllr. M. McBride

- 10) That the members of the Letterkenny Municipal District meet in workshop to discuss measures that can be implemented to upgrade the Lower Main Street in Letterkenny.
- 11) That signage be erected on Barnes Gap for sheep crossing in both directions.
- 12) That a site be identified for the provision of public toilets in the periphery of the Letterkenny Retail Park.

## Cllr. A. Glackin

- 13) That the Council investigates possibility that the speed signs at entrance to Moyle View sports centre, Milford be moved back to encourage traffic to slow down before reaching this busy entrance/exit.
- 14) What steps does this Council propose to take to ensure the Pollet Great Arch Fanad right of access that is enshrined in the 1902 land registry map remains open to the public.
- 15) The signage at the junction on Milford Town By-Pass adjacent to the Old Vocational School for Carrigart and Downings lacks visibility, could the Council Roads Engineer investigate the possibility of improving this signage for the benefit of tourists/visitors to the area.

## Cllr. I. McGarvey

- 16) I am asking Donegal County Council to take a more active role in the access obstruction to the Great Arch at Pollaid, Fanad.
- 17) That this Municipal District supports and makes an application to the Dept and E.U. for special Funding for the Roads on our Islands specifically.
- 18) That all areas of risk flooding be dealt with in our M.D. & county before winter.

## Cllr. L. Blaney

- 19) Can an update on construction of Rathmullan Public Toilets be provided.
- 20) That this Municipal District supports the Mica Action Group's call for a Redress Scheme for all buildings affected by Mica
- 21) Mayors Business
- 22) Correspondence
- 23) Environment Report
- 24) Community Enterprise & Cultural Services
- 25) Roads & Transportation
- 26) Planning & Economic Development
- 27) Housing & Corporate Services

## **Questions**

# Cllr. G. McMonagle

28) Can we have an update on Proposed Bin Charges and when will Householder' receive their Brown Bins?

### Cllr. J. McDaid

- 29) Any update from the Minister for Transport regarding a meeting with the Council to acquire funding to address the traffic problems in Letterkenny town.
- 30) Is this MD expecting any additional money for the roads programme this year?
- 31) Any update regarding my motion to get a meeting with Comreg to address the broadband roll out in rural areas?

## Cllr. D Shiels

- What turnkey housing proposals have been received by this Municipal Council and in respect of each such proposal: (a) who is the proposer, (b) where would each proposal be located, (c) how many housing units are proposed and what type(s) of housing units are proposed and (d) what is the cost of each proposed development.
- Can I have a copy of the letter sent as a result of my previous request that: "This Council correspond with the Courts Service and (1) request that it review its decision not to provide on site carparking at the new Courthouse on the High Road and (2) request that it agree to transfer the existing Courthouse Building for nominal consideration to Donegal County Council to be used for civic and community purposes" and can I also have a copy of the response(s) received from the Courts Service.
- Can this Council confirm when it intends to complete the new public lighting on the Lismonaghan Road.

# Cllr. J Kavanagh

- 35) Can the Council advise on why there are 3 stops signs at the 3 roads coming in to Kerrykeel, traffic from Fanad used to have right of way?
- 36) Are the toilets at Portsalon still being cleaned and secured at night time?
- 37) Could the Council please provide dropped kerbing at the footpath in front of Nowdoc, as it is used on a regular basis by elderly and disabled persons?

### Cllr. M. McBride

- 38) Is it possible to identify a second access road to the rear of the tourist from the Joe Bonnar Road as it is often impossible for tourists to gain access from the Neil T Blaney Road due to two lanes of traffic forming on the approach to the Polestar Roundabout.
- 39) Has there been any progress following my previous motion that Donegal County Council lead out on the 1500th anniversary celebration of the birth of St Colmcille in conjunction with all other interest groups in the year 2021.
- 40) Can the Beech hedging along the Neil T Blaney Road be extended down past the existing entrance to the Letterkenny PSC so it will match the existing beech hedging in a short space of time.

## Cllr. I. McGarvey

- 41) What is being done about Landside at Bank Tce. Ramelton that is causing unsightly appearance and obstruction?
- 42) Is there a serious Water crisis looming in this Municipal District?
- 43) Is there any progress in the proposed Carpark at the Bank Tce. Burial Bround, Ramelton?
- 44) Date and Venue for next meeting 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 Milford Public Services Centre