

2nd May 2018

**Cathaoirleach agus Gach Ball,
COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LIATROMA.**

A Chara,

A Meeting of Leitrim County Council will be held **in the Council Chamber, Aras An Chontae, Carrick-on-Shannon, Co Leitrim on Tuesday, 8th May 2018 at 11.00 am** for the purpose of considering the business set out on the Agenda hereunder.

You are hereby summoned to attend.

In accordance with Statutory Provisions, the Register of Manager's Orders will be available for inspection at the Meeting.

Mise le meas,

Joan Lowe
Meetings Administrator
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1. Deimhniu Miontuairisci

Minutes of Meeting of Leitrim County Council held in Aras an Chontae, Carrick-on-Shannon on Monday, 5th March 2018 (copy enclosed).

2. To approve the Chief Executive's Report and Recommendation pursuant to Section 179 of the Planning & Development Acts 2000 - 2017 & Part 8 of the Planning & Development Regulations 2001 – 2018 for the development of 27 no. dwelling houses at Autumn View, Summerhill, Townparks, Carrick-on-Shannon, Co. Leitrim. (Report enclosed).

3. To approve disposal of land at Attirory, Carrick-on-Shannon, Co Leitrim comprising of 0.87 hectares in the townland of Attirory, Carrick-on-Shannon, Co Leitrim in accordance with Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 and Notice of intention to dispose of 0.87 hectares of land in the townland of Attirory, Carrick-on-Shannon, Co Leitrim dated 25th April 2018 which was circulated to each Member.

4. To consider the Chief Executive's report on submissions received in respect of proposed Variation No. 1 of the Leitrim County Development Plan 2015-2021 and if thought fit to resolve to make the Variation, with or without further modification, pursuant to Section 13 of the Planning & Development Acts 2000-2017. (Report previously submitted).
5. To consider the Chief Executive's report on submissions received in respect of proposed Amendment No. 2 of the Carrick-on-Shannon Local Area Plan 2010-2019 and if thought fit to resolve to make the Amendment, with or without further modification, pursuant to Section 20 of the Planning & Development Acts 2000-2017. (Report previously submitted).
6. To adopt the draft Casual Trading Byelaws 2019 pursuant to Section 6 of the Casual Trading Act 1995 in relation to the control, regulation, supervision and administration of casual trading in Co. Leitrim. (Report enclosed).
7. To consider the Annual Financial Statement for the year ended 31st December, 2017 in accordance with Section 108 of the Local Government Act, 2001. (Report enclosed).
8. To approve additional expenditure incurred by Leitrim County Council in the performance of its functions during 2017 in accordance with the provisions of Section (108) 4 of the Local Government Act, 2001. (Report enclosed).
9. To consider the adoption of Special Speed Limit Bye-Laws 2018 for County Leitrim in pursuant of Section 9 of the Roads Traffic Act 2004 and Part 19 of Local Government Act 2001. (Report enclosed).
10. To consider the Draft Annual Report 2017. (Draft to follow).
11. To consider date and time of Annual Meeting 2018.
12. To consider Monthly Management Reports by the Chief Executive for February, 2018 and March, 2018 in accordance with the provisions of Section 136(2) of the Local Government Act 2001 as inserted by Section 51 of the Local Government Reform Act 2014 (Reports previously circulated).
13. To note commitments to be entered into under Section 138(1) of the Local Government Act 2001.
14. To consider report from Corporate Policy Group.
15. To approve the attendance of the Elected Members at forthcoming conferences.
16. Correspondence (enclosed).

Part I - Notice of Motions.

17. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Des Guckian;

"That Members of Leitrim County Council agree that a list of priorities be established by Leitrim County Council, for housing allocations. This list to include the lengths applicants are on the list and their immediate needs, but never to include applications coming from far away places, such as the Dublin Region, who are seeking to jump an already over-long waiting list."

18. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Pdraig Fallon;

"I propose that Leitrim County Council call on Minister Harris his Department and the HSE to automatically award medical cards to people who receive a cancer diagnosis."

19. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Sinead Guckian;

"I ask for the support of the members of Leitrim County Council in calling on the Minister for Health, Simon Harris TD, to intervene in the HSE's decision of not automatically awarding medical cards to cancer patients, and, to issue a directive from Government, to ensure that all patients who receive a cancer diagnosis are awarded a medical card."

20. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Finola Armstrong-McGuire;

"I am calling on Leitrim County Council to engage with Irish Water on behalf of the ratepayers of the county in regard to 'Planned Water Outages' in towns and villages. During the past month there was a 'planned outage' in Carrick which was relayed through social media. Such notice is not sufficient. Communication must be more formal as business must put a plan in place if water is restricted. The cost today of a water outage is much greater than heretofore. Every business involves customer service and Irish water must provide a service to the standard that its customers deserve."

21. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Sean McGowan;

"I seek the support of Members in calling on the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine to designate all of County Leitrim as a Disadvantaged area for the purpose of Areas of Natural Constraints (ANC) Scheme payments from 2019."

22. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Justin Warnock;

"I ask Leitrim County Council to invite the Environmental Health Officer for Fermanagh and Omagh District Council to give a presentation to the Elected Members on how that authority deals with discharge from septic tanks from one off houses in rural County Fermanagh"

23. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Felim Gurn;

"In recognition of the wonderful achievement by Manorhamilton's Dearbhla Rooney in winning a silver medal at the European Youth Boxing Championships, I propose that the Council write a congratulatory letter on behalf of the people of Leitrim to her and the Sean McDermott Boxing Club."

24. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Enda Stenson;

"While Tourism within Leitrim is one of our Major Employers, I'm asking is there more that we can do to sell the uniqueness, clean air, and peaceful surroundings that we have here.

Too often when we hear Leitrim mentioned its in a negative way, but we have, Glencar Waterfall, Lough Rynn Rowing Centre, The Shannon, Excellent Blue and Greenways, etc, etc. I believe we should brand this, and have a Major marketing campaign, we had a few years back The Roots Festival, Leitrim Ambassador programme, and many more, this push for recognition needs to be Kick Started again."

25. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Brendan Barry;

"I request that Leitrim County Council call on the HSE to urgently make more nursing home places available in Ballinamore, Carrick on Shannon and Manorhamilton Co. Leitrim and to increase home help hours to assist families to care for their loved ones in their own homes where practical."

26. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Sean McDermott;

"I raise this issue of recycling, I have received letters and phone calls about the collection and disposal of mattresses to recycling centres. I am aware that some furniture stores oblige their customers, who have no means of carriage to do so, by transporting their used mattress to the recycling centre. These stores have been told they can no longer give this service because of the Councils demands and concern is, this is going to lead to further illegal dumping."

27. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Mary Bohan;

"I propose that Leitrim County Council call on Shane Ross TD, Minister for Transport, Tourism and Sport to make a once off allocation of funding to clear the back log of L.I.S schemes in Leitrim as a matter of urgency."

28. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Caroline Mulvey;

"I request Leitrim County Council to write to the Minister of State and the Minister of Transport and require immediate changes to the treatment of Irish emigrants returning to Ireland."

29. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Paddy O'Rourke;

"I ask that this Council contact Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine, to seek a subsidy to assist farmers to purchase fertilizer in order to grow this year's crop of silage and avert a repetition of this year's fodder crisis. Many farmers are experiencing difficulty paying for fertilizer and cannot obtain any more credit from merchants and co-ops given the large bills they have accumulated with the purchase of feed over the spring, with silage ground having been grazed up to now the only way silage crops can be got back on track is by spreading expensive fertilizers."

30. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Gerry Dolan;

"I ask this Council to request the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine to have the topping for meadows and low input permanent pasture date extended to at least the 15th of May, as the bad weather and wet ground up to now have left it impossible to do this work which it will leave no meadows fit for silage or hay this year."
