

November 30th, 2016

#### DON CHATHAOIRLEACH AGUS DO GACH BALL

Tionolfar Gnáthcrinniu de Chomhairle Chontae Chill Mhantain sa Seomra Comhdhála, Aras an Chontae, Co. Chill Mhantain, **Monday, 5th December 2016** ag **2:00 pm** chun an gnó seo a leanas a chur i gcrích.

larrtar ort bheith i lathair.

The Ordinary Meeting of Wicklow County Council will be held on **Monday**, **5th December 2016** in the **Council Chamber**, **County Buildings** commencing at **2:00 pm** to consider the agenda attached.

Your attendance is requested.

Beannacht Leat.

LORRAINE GALLAGHER

SENIOR EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEETINGS ADMINISTRATOR

**ENTERPRISE & CORPORATE SERVICES** 

#### **Agenda**

Agenda for Ordinary Meeting of Wicklow County Council to be held on Monday 5th December 2016 commencing 2.00 p.m., in the Council Chamber, County Buildings, Wicklow

- 1. To confirm and sign minutes of Ordinary Meeting of Wicklow County Council held on Monday 3rd October 2016 (copy attached)
- 2. To receive a presentation from Mr. Albert Kerr (Deputation agreed at meeting of the 14th November, 2016)
- 3. To receive presentation on Severe Weather and Emergency Management Winter 2016/2017.

Presentations from: -

- 1. Mr Michael Geaney, A/Director of Services
- 2. Mr. Aidan Dempsey, Chief Fire Officer
- 3. Mr. Michael Richardson, Civil Defence Officer
- 4. To consider the taking in charge of the following estates:
  - Derrybawn, Aughrim
  - · Convent Court, Delgany
  - · Abbeylands, Arklow
  - · Ashfield, Ashwood and Ashwood Court, Arklow
  - · Delgany Glen, Delgany
  - Downshill Wood, Delgany
  - · Millbrook Court, Redcross
  - Millwood, Aughrim

- 5. Proposed amendment to Standing Orders (copy attached and considered at meeting of the 3rd October, 2016)
- 6. To consider the Wicklow County Council Annual Report 2016
- 7. To Consider Monthly Management Report, November 2016.
- 8. Notice of Motions
- 1. Notice of motion in the name of CIIr. G. McLoughlin (02/0216)

"That Wicklow County Council includes on their website online application form for planning objections whereby the community could make objections online and pay with their credit or debit card via paypal or some other payment portal""That Wicklow County Council includes on their website online application form for planning objections whereby the community could make objections online and pay with their credit or debit card via paypal or some other payment portal"

# 2. Notice of motion in the names of all the Members of Greystones Municipal District (20/06/16)

"That Wicklow County Council calls on the Minister of Justice and Equality to ensure that adequate staff resources are employed at Greystones Garda Station. It is usnderstood that staff members have dropped significantly in recent months due to retirements, promotions and career breaks and that staff now have to be employed on overtime to cover basic shifts at the stations, with a knock-on effect on budgets that could be used for other things"

# 3. Notice of motion in the names of all the Members of Greystones Municipal District (22/06/16)

"That Greystones Municipal District demands that progress be made on designing the Delgany to Blacklion Road and to request that the Council puts it forward for funding for the Infrastructure Grants for housing""That Greystones Municipal District demands that progress be made on designing the Delgany to Blacklion Road and to request that the Council puts it forward for funding for the Infrastructure Grants for housing"

# 4. Notice of motion in the names of CIIr. S. Bourke and CIIr. P. Fitzgerald (06/07/16)

"That Wicklow County Council consider doing more to help Community Employment Schemes in the Arklow Municipal District by way of providing insurance cover to voluntary schemes and providing materials to groups to assist in completion of projects""That Wicklow County Council consider doing more to help Community Employment Schemes in the Arklow Municipal District by way of providing insurance cover to voluntary schemes and providing materials to groups to assist in completion of projects"

#### 5. Notice of motion in the name of CIIr. S. Matthews (05/08/16)

"Wicklow County Council Members request that the Minister for Housing, Planning, Community and Local Government carries out a mid-term review of the Local Government Reform Act 2014 which replaced Town and Borough Councils with Municipal Districts. The review should include consultation with elected members and Local Authority staff to determine if the amended structure has improved local democracy and local government functions. If the review can conclude that restoring Town and Borough Councils would improve local government operations, local democracy and public representation then it is requested that the Minister amends the Local Government Act to restore these councils""Wicklow County Council Members request that the Minister for Housing, Planning, Community and Local Government carries out a mid-term review of the Local Government Reform Act 2014 which replaced Town and Borough Councils with Municipal Districts. The review should include consultation with elected members and Local Authority staff to determine if the amended structure has improved local democracy and local government functions. If the review can conclude that restoring Town and Borough Councils would improve local government operations, local democracy and public representation then it is requested that the Minister amends the Local Government Act to restore these councils"