



**Wicklow County Council
Chomhairle Chontae Chill Mhantáin**

ARKLOW MUNICIPAL DISTRICT

MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD IN THE McELHERON CHAMBER ON

THE 10TH of JUNE 2026

Present:

Cllr. Pat Kennedy
Cllr. Peir Leonard
Cllr. Sylvester Bourke
Cllr. Pat Fitzgerald
Cllr. Miriam Murphy
Cllr. Warren O'Toole

Officials Present:

Ms. Leonora Earls, District Manager
Ms. Alvina Brehony, District Administrator
Ms. Avril Hill, District Engineer
Ms. Lorraine Hayes ASO

Cllr. Murphy opened the meeting and delivered a very emotional speech, thanking her fellow Elected Members and AMD staff for their continued support throughout her year as Cathaoirleach. Cllr. Murphy returned her Cathaoirleach chain of office. The Elected Members individually thanked Cllr. Murphy for her hard work and commitment over the past year,

Item 1: Election of Cathaoirleach

Cllr. Leonorad was nominated as Cathaoirleach for the coming year – Proposed by Cllr O'Toole and seconded by Cllr Bourke. It was agreed.

Cllr Leonard accepted the position. Cllr Leonard thanked Cllr O'Toole for his nomination and thanked her fellow Councillors for their support.

Item 2: Election of Leas Cathaoirleach

Cllr. P Fitzgerald proposed Cllr. Sylvester Bourke for Leas Cathaoirleach.

Cllr. Murphy seconded the proposal.

Cllr. P Leonard proposed Cllr. Warren O'Toole for Leas Cathaoirleach.

Cllr. O'Toole withdrew his name from the process.

Cllr. Bourke accepted the position. It was agreed.

Item 3: To agree a schedule of Ordinary Meetings.

Schedule of meetings was proposed by Cllr. Murphy, seconded by Cllr. Kennedy and it was agreed.

Minutes confirmed at the Arklow Municipal District Council Meeting held on Wednesday 8th July 2026.

Signed: 

Cllr. Peir Leonard, Cathaoirleach, Arklow Municipal District.

Signed: 
Ms. Alvina Brehony, District Administrator, Arklow Municipal District