



Comhairle Contae Chill Mhantáin

WICKLOW COUNTY COUNCIL

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Chug gach ball de Dhúiche Bardais an Inbhir Mhóir

To the Cathaoirleach & Each Member of Arklow Municipal District

The September Ordinary meeting of Arklow Municipal District will be held in “The McElheron Chamber”, Arklow Municipal District Offices, Castle Park, Arklow, Co. Wicklow on Wednesday **10th September commencing at 3.30 pm** to consider the Agenda listed hereunder.

Should you be unable to attend please contact Alvina Brehony at 0402 – 42700 or by e-mail at ABrehony@wicklowcoco.ie

Mise le meas,

Alvina Brehony

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District Administrator

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AGENDA

1. Votes of Sympathy
2. Confirmation of Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Municipal District of Arklow dated 28th May 2025 (previously circulated and deferred from July Meeting).
3. Confirmation of Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of the Municipal District of Arklow dated 9th July 2025

4. Matters Arising

5. Consideration of Reports and Recommendations:

- ❖ To receive a report from Engineers Engineer (for noting)
- ❖ To consider draft guidance document on Discretionary funding allocation to individuals/groups (previously circulated and deferred from July Meeting)

6. Other business set forth in the Notice convening the meeting

- ❖ Appointment of 1 Member to Heritage Forum (to replace Cllr Leonard)
- ❖ Nomination for membership of the Local Community Safety Partnership (1 from AMD)

7. Notice of Motions

(a) To consider the Notice of Motion in the name of Cllrs W O'Toole and Cllr P Leonard received on the 11th June 2025

"Discretionary Funding Support for Memorial space with Irish Proclamation Stone Centrepiece

Motion:

That this Municipal District supports the allocation of discretionary funding towards the creation of a Space in Arklow, with its centrepiece being a stone-carved reproduction of the 1916 Proclamation of the Irish Republic, in keeping with similar commemorative features already established across County Wicklow.

Furthermore, that this initiative be expanded in scope to include Avoca and Aughrim, with the vision of establishing a network of reflection spaces across the district. These spaces will honour Ireland's historical legacy, promote civic pride and provide peaceful, inclusive public places for remembrance and community engagement"

(b) To consider the Notice of Motion in the name of Cllrs W O'Toole and Cllr P Leonard received on the 11th June 2025

Community Empowerment & Inclusion Fund (Rolling Annual Programme)

Motion:

That this Municipal District establishes a rolling annual Community Empowerment & Inclusion Fund, using discretionary funding, to support grassroots initiatives, community-led projects and individual needs that promote wellbeing, accessibility, inclusion, environmental awareness, intergenerational connection and local pride across the Arklow Municipal District."

(c) To consider the Notice of Motion in the name of Cllrs W O'Toole and Cllr P Leonard received on the 11th June 2025

Support Scheme for Individuals Representing the district at High-Level Extracurricular Activities

Motion:

That this Municipal District establishes a dedicated Support Scheme for individuals , particularly young people , who represent the wider district, at high levels in extracurricular activities such as sport, the arts, science, technology, music, and cultural performance.

This scheme would provide financial support to help with costs.

Applications would be invited through a simple process, reviewed on a rolling basis or twice annually and awarded based on merit, impact and the ambassadorial role played by the individual in promoting Arklow and the district.

This initiative recognises the commitment, discipline and excellence of those who pursue extracurricular success and seeks to remove financial barriers to participation and progression , while also promoting civic pride and positive role models for our younger generation.

To also allow the possibility of external fund's to be used within this initiative."

(d) To consider the Notice of Motion in the name of Cllrs S Bourke and Cllr P Kennedy received on the 9th July 2025

"That Wicklow County Council improve the sight lines at the junction of the L6125 with the L6124 at Ballintombay, Rathdrum in the interest of traffic safety"

10. Any Other Business