

# PORTLAOISE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT

Áras an Chontae,  
Portlaoise,  
Co. Laois.

November 10<sup>th</sup> 2023

**TO: THE CATHAOIRLEACH & EACH MEMBER OF PORTLAOISE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT**

A Chara,

Iarrtar ort freastal ar Chruinniú Míosúil mhí na Samhain de Cheantar Bardasach Phort Laoise a thionólfar i Seomra na Comhairle, Áras an Chontae, Port Laoise (nó mar mhalairt air sin ag Foirne Microsoft) **Dé Céadaoin, 15 Samhain 2023 ag 11.00 a.m. chun na hábhair dá dtagraítear ar an gComhairle a bhreithniú.** Clár oibre thíos.

You are requested to attend the November Monthly Meeting of Portlaoise Municipal District to be held in the **Council Chamber, Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise** (or alternatively by Microsoft Teams) on **Wednesday, November 15<sup>th</sup> 2023 at 11.00 a.m.** to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

## **AGENDA**

1. Confirmation of Minutes of meeting held on the 18<sup>th</sup> of October 2023 (documentation enclosed)
2. Confirmation of Minutes of budget meeting held on the 18<sup>th</sup> of October 2023
3. Matters arising from Minutes of Meeting on 18<sup>th</sup> of October 2023
4. Laois LECP 2023-2028 - Consideration of Draft Objectives and Actions/Outcomes for High Level Goals.
5. Notice of Motions
6. Correspondence
7. Fix Date for Next Meeting

Is Mise le meas,

*Simon Walton*  
*Director of Services*

## **Notice of Motions**

### **Notice of Motion No: 132/2023 – Councillor Thomasina Connell**

"That this Council install a facility on the pay and display machines to enable users to use their card to tap to pay for parking"

### **Notice of Motion No: 133/2023 – Councillor Thomasina Connell**

"That this Council undertake a road safety assessment at the Timahoe Road between the Cattle Mart & roundabout in order to install features which would reduce the speed of vehicles coming in & leaving Portlaoise"

### **Notice of Motion No: 134/2023 – Coouncillor Thomasina Connell**

"That this Council give an update in relation to the lift which is out of use at the car park at the County Council plaza"

### **Notice of Motion No: 135/2023 – Councillor Marie Tuohy**

"That Laois County Council repair the railings at the pedestrian crossing on the Stradbally Road across from the church"

### **Notice of Motion No: 136/2023 – Councillor Marie Tuohy**

"That Laois County Council give an update as to the provision of the area of reflection for those bereaved during Covid times"

### **Notice of Motion No: 137/2023 – Councillor Barry Walsh**

"That Laois County Council provide a Bus Stop in Ballyroan and also write to local bus providers to consider collecting & dropping at the Sue Ryder facility in Ballyroan. Some of the elderly residents who depend on this service struggle to get to the current bus stop due to disabilities and during poor weather conditions"

### **Notice of Motion No: 138/2023 – Councillor Barry Walsh**

"That Laois County Council include upper Main Street Ballyroan in the Road Resurfacing Programme 2024"

**Notice of Motion No: 139/2023 – Councillor Barry Walsh**

"That Laois County Council provide an update on previous motion for request for extension of footpath to the crèche in Ballyroan under active travel"

**Notice of Motion No: 140/2023 – Councillor Willie Aird**

"That the Portlaoise Municipal District calls on Laois County Council to provide public lighting and to repair the loose bricks in the apartment block in the retirement village in Kilminchy"

**Notice of Motion No: 141/2023 – Councillor Willie Aird**

"That the Portlaoise Municipal District calls on Laois County Council to install road surface lighting on all pedestrian crossings"

**Notice of Motion No: 142/2023 – Councillor Willie Aird**

"That the Portlaoise Municipal District re-paint the line markings on the road at the Rock School and also to ensure that speed limit signs are clearly visible to oncoming motorists in the interest of the safety of children and parents"

**Notice of Motion No: 143/2023 – Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley**

"That this Council cut back the trees on the boundary between Carmody Way / Higgins Park Fairgreen and Clonrooske Abbey"

**Notice of Motion No: 144/2023 – Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley**

"That this Council bring back into housing stock Number 39 Lakeglen and give an update as to when the ramp outside number 13 and 14 Lakeglen will be installed, also request the Director of Housing to engage urgently with Simon to seek clarification on their future capacity with homeless services currently in the midlands area"

**Notice of Motion No: 145/2023 – Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley**

"That this Council carry out improvements/enhancement works in Cois and Bruach na hAbhann, Market Mews Maryborough, and Green View Mountmellick Road"

**Notice of Motion No: 146/2023 – Councillor John Joe Fennelly**

"That this Council increase signage and line marking at the junction of Boston Lane, Abbeyleix, on the R433"

**Notice of Motion No: 147/2023 – Councillor John Joe Fennelly**

"That this Council increase drainage and clean existing manholes at Tullore"

**Notice of Motion No: 148/2023 – Councillor John Joe Fennelly**

"That this Council erect a speed detection sign/ramp at Abbeyleix Road, Ballyroan close to Green Road Junction as you exit Abbeyleix"

**Notice of Motion No: 149/2023 – Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald**

"That this Council remove hill on lane opposite Michael Galvin's house in Clonad"

**Notice of Motion No: 150/2023 – Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald**

"That this Council install a yellow box at Grenville and also repaint yellow lines at entrance to estate"

**Notice of Motion No: 151/2023 – Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald**

"That this Council arrange to have the clay removed behind Ashton Manor"

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