

COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LAOISE

LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

Áras an Chontae,
Portlaoise,
Co. Laois.

January 20th 2021

TO: THE CATHAOIRLEACH & EACH MEMBER OF LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

A Chara,

Iarrtar ort freastal ar Fhoirne Microsoft ag Cruinniú Míosúil Bealtaine na Comhairle, a bheidh ar siúl Dé Luain, 25 Eanáir 2021 ag 11.00 i.n., chun na hábhair dá dtagraítear ar an gClár Oibre faoi seo a mheas.

You are requested to attend by way of **Microsoft Teams** the January Monthly Meeting of the Council, to be held on **Monday, January 25th 2021 at 11.00 a.m.** to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

Mise le meas,

Irene Delaney
Administrative Officer
Corporate Affairs Department

AGENDA

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- (1)
 - (i) Confirmation of the Minutes of the December monthly meeting held on the 14th of December 2020 (documentation enclosed)
 - (ii) Confirmation of the Minutes of the Special meeting held on the 16th of December 2020 (documentation enclosed)
- (2)
 - (i) Report on CPG Meeting held on the 7th of December 2020 (documentation enclosed)
 - (ii) Report on Municipal District Meetings held in December 2020 (documentation enclosed)
 - (iii) Report on Strategic Policy Meetings held in December 2020 (documentation enclosed)
- (3) **DISPOSAL OF LAND UNDER SECTION 183 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 2001 in respect of:**
 - (i) Disposal of 0.0059 hectares of land at the rear of 2 Craydon Court, Portlaoise in the townland of Maryborough for a consideration of €300.00 (documentation enclosed)
 - (ii) Disposal of 0.2197 hectares of land at Dysartbeagh, Mountrath in the townland of Dysartbeagh for a consideration of €10,000.00 (documentation enclosed)

- (4) Taking in Charge of:
 - (i) Aghnaharna Drive (No's 90-102) Stradbally Road, Portlaoise, Co. Laois. (documentation enclosed)
 - (ii) Gracefield Manor, Ballylinan (documentation enclosed)
 - (iii) Millbrook, Portlaoise (documentation enclosed)

- (5) Notification of resignation of Councillor Tom Mulhall

- (6) Update on the Implementation of the Corporate Plan 2019-2024 (documentation enclosed)

- (7) Draft 2021 Training & Development Programme (documentation enclosed)

- (8) Monthly Management Report for December 2020/January 2021 (documentation enclosed)

- (9) Training & Conferences

- (10) Correspondence

- (11) Notice of Motions

Notice of Motion No: 01/2021 – Councillor Thomasina Connell

"That this Council call on the Department of Social Protection to remove the age limit currently in place on the Pandemic Unemployment Payment (PUP) to allow those who were in employment and also over the age of 66 years, be eligible to apply"

Notice of Motion No: 02/2021 – Councillor Mary Sweeney

"That Laois County Council establish a fund to assist community and voluntary organisations with day to day operational costs"

Notice of Motion No: 03/2021 – Councillor Mary Sweeney

"That Laois County Council ask the Department of Communications, Energy & Natural Resources to widen the criteria for broadband connection points to ensure more community halls and community facilities in Laois can apply"

Notice of Motion No: 04/2021 – Councillor Mary Sweeney

“That Laois County Council provide an update on funding for a county wide cycle cafe scheme”

Notice of Motion No: 05/2021 – Councillor Willie Aird

“That Laois County Council call on the Chief Executive Mr John Mulholland, to outline the reasons why planning permission was granted to Bord an Móna for an anaerobic digester waste facility at its Cúl an Móna site in the town land of Clonboyne and Clonkeen on the outskirts of Portlaoise. “

Notice of Motion: 06/2021 – Councillor Willie Aird

“That Laois County Council calls on the Department of Health to increase the priority of members of the Fire Services to receive a COVID-19 vaccine”

Notice of Motion No: 07/2021 – Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley

“That this Council write to the Minister for Transport, Tourism & Sport, Mr. Eamonn Ryan, T.D. and the Chief Executive officer of Transport Infrastructure Ireland, Mr. Peter Walsh to raise with them the inadequate amount of funding in roads grants allocated to Laois for national roads in the current year”

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