

# COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LAOISE

## LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

Áras an Chontae,  
Portlaoise,  
Co. Laois.

November 21<sup>st</sup> 2017

TO: THE CATHAOIRLEACH & EACH MEMBER OF LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

A Chara,

Tionólfar cruinniú de Comhairle Chontae Laoise i Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise Dé Luain -27iú Samhain 2017 ar 11.00 a.m. chun an gnó seo leanas a chur i grích.

Tá orm a iarraigh ort bheith i láthair.

You are requested to attend the November Monthly Meeting of the Council, to be held in Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise on Monday, November 27<sup>th</sup> 2017 at 11.00 a.m. to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

Mise le meas,

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**Irene Delaney**  
**Administrative Officer**  
**Corporate Affairs Department**

### CLÁR GNÓ AGENDA

- (1)
  - (i) Confirmation of the Minutes of the October meeting held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of October 2017 (documentation enclosed)
  - (ii) Confirmation of the Minutes of the Budget meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> of November 2017 (documentation enclosed)
  
- (2)
  - (i) Report on CPG Meeting held on the 18<sup>th</sup> of October 2017 (documentation enclosed)
  - (ii) Report on Municipal District Meetings held in October 2017 (documentation enclosed)
  
- (3) **DISPOSAL OF LAND UNDER SECTION 183 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 2001 in respect of:**
  - (i) Disposal of freehold interest at 11 Station Road, Portarlinton, Co. Laois in the townland of Cooltederry for a consideration of €1.00 (documentation enclosed)

- (ii) Disposal of 0.3587 hectares of land at Kyleclonhobert, Co. Laois in the townland of Kyleclonhobert for a consideration of €18,000 (documentation enclosed)
- (4) Approval of the RAPID (Revitalising Areas Planning, Investment and Development) National Capital Grants Programme 2017 (documentation to follow)
- (5) Winter Maintenance Plan 2017/2018 (documentation enclosed)
- (6) Laois County Council – Monthly Management Report for November 2017 (documentation enclosed)
- (7) Consideration of Civic Reception to St. Abban’s Athletic Club Ladies (as recommended by the Corporate Policy Group on the 20<sup>th</sup> of November 2017)
- (8) Ratification of Conferences/Attendance at Training
- (9) Correspondence
- (10) Notice of Motions

**Notice of Motion No: 43/2017 – Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley**

“That this Council inform the meeting of how many inspections were carried out from 2016 and 2017 up to the present date on private rented units in the HAP Scheme and how many is left to be carried out”

**Notice of Motion No: 44/2017 – Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley**

“That this Council ensure that houses provided under the part 5 planning Act for private Development are peppered throughout the Estate and not located all in the same area”

**Notice of Motion No: 45/2017 – Councillor Mary Sweeney**

“That this Council support my request to the Government, to amend the present anomalies in State Pensions with regard to the current inequalities towards women”

**Notice of Motion No: 46/2017 – Councillor Mary Sweeney**

“That this Council update members of progress to date with regard to provision of new Library for Portlaoise”

**Notice of Motion No: 47/2017 – Councillor John King**

“That this Council address the very serious problem as to why people are not interested in recruiting to join the fire service in locations around the County and as a result some crews are being run on a skeleton staff”

**Notice of Motion No: 48/2017 – Councillor Noel Tuohy**

“That this Council call on the Minister for Justice & Equality, Mr. Charles Flanagan, T.D., to bring forward legislation that adequately responds to the crime of burglary particularly against the old and the vulnerable and review the sentencing on those individuals who are committing these crimes especially using violence”

**Notice of Motion No: 49/2017 – Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald**

“That this Council contact the Department of Public Expenditure to express its dissatisfaction over recent changes regarding pension entitlements”

**Notice of Motion No: 50/2017 – Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald**

“That this Council seek clarification from the Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport re: commencement dates for NCT for cars that have been tested before their due dates”

**Notice of Motion No: 51/2017 – Councillor Jerry Lodge**

“That Laois County Council agree to enter into discussions with Carlow IT with a view to establishing a formal 3<sup>rd</sup> Level Outreach Centre in County Laois along with LOETB”