

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF BORRIS IN OSSORY/
MOUNTMELICK MUNICIPAL DISTRICT HELD IN THE BUSINESS SUPPORT UNIT,
LOCAL ENTERPRISE OFFICE AND VIA MICROSOFT TEAMS ON THE
9TH OF JUNE 2022**

PRESENT:

Councillor	Ollie Clooney (Cathaoirleach)
Councillor	Ollie Seamus McDonald
Councillor	Paddy Bracken
Councillor	John King
Councillor	Conor Bergin
Councillor	James Kelly

IN ATTENDANCE:

Mr. Donal Brennan, Director of Services, Mr. Edmond Kenny, A/Senior Executive Engineer, & Ms. Michelle McCormack, Executive Secretary, Corporate Affairs.

Councillor Ollie Clooney, Cathaoirleach extended thanks to all his colleagues and officials for their support during his term of office as Cathaoirleach of the Borris-in-Ossory/Mountmellick Municipal District. Councillor Clooney also paid tribute to the members of the press for their excellent coverage of the MD District.

The Members individually complimented Councillor Clooney on his excellent leadership throughout the year. Mr. Edmond Kenny, S.E.E. on behalf of the executive thanked Councillor Clooney also.

1. ELECTION OF CATHAOIRLEACH

It was proposed by Councillor Ollie Clooney and seconded by Councillor Seamus McDonald:

“That Councillor Paddy Bracken be appointed Cathaoirleach for the coming year”

Councillor Paddy Bracken, having been elected Cathaoirleach, thanked his proposer and seconder and all his colleagues and paid tribute to the former Cathaoirleach of the Municipal District, Councillor Ollie Clooney. Mr. Donal Brennan, Director of Services wished Councillor Paddy Bracken well on his election.

2. ELECTION OF LEAS-CHATHAOIRLEACH

It was proposed by Councillor Seamus McDonald seconded by Councillor James Kelly:

“That Councillor John King be appointed Leas-Chathaoirleach for the coming year”

It was proposed by Councillor Ollie Clooney seconded by Councillor Paddy Bracken:

“That Councillor Conor Bergin be appointed Leas-Chathaoirleach for the coming year”

A roll call vote was taken which resulted as follows:-

	Councillor King	Councillor Bergin
Councillor Kelly	✓	
Councillor King	✓	
Councillor McDonald	✓	
Councillor Clooney		✓
Councillor Bracken		✓
Councillor Bergin		✓

The result of the roll call was 3 votes in favour of Councillor King and 3 votes in favour of Councillor Bergin.

As there was a tie in the votes and in accordance with Standing Orders, the names of the two candidates were written on similar slips of paper and drawn. It was agreed that the first name drawn would be deemed elected. Mr. Edmond Kenny, S.E.E. drew the name of Councillor John King and therefore Councillor John King was deemed elected Leas Chathaoirleach of the Borris-in-Ossory/Mountmellick MD for the forthcoming year.

3. AGREE SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

The Members unanimously agreed the schedule of meetings and it was agreed that this would be circulated.

SIGNED: _____
CATHAOIRLEACH

CERTIFIED: _____
**DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE
AFFAIRS**