

- COMHAIRLE CHONTAE CHILL CHAINNIGH –
KILKENNY COUNTY COUNCIL

*Clár do Ghnáth-Chruinniú Chomhairle Chontae Chill Chainnigh
le reachtáil ar de Luan, 20 Meán Fómhair, 2021 ar a 3.00 i.n.*

**AGENDA FOR THE ORDINARY MEETING
OF KILKENNY COUNTY COUNCIL**

MONDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER, 2021 AT 3.00 P.M. VIA MS TEAMS
Watergate Theatre, Parliament Street, Kilkenny

1. **Dearbhú Miontuairiscí - Confirmation of Minutes**

- (i) Minutes of Plenary Meeting of Kilkenny County Council held on Monday, 19th July, 2021 *[copy of Minutes attached]*.
- (ii) Minutes of Special Council Meeting held on Monday, 26th July, 2021 *[copy of Minutes attached]*.
- (iii) Minutes of Special Meeting of Kilkenny County Council held on Friday, 27th August, 2021 *[copy of Minutes attached]*.
- (iv) Minutes of Adjourned Special Meeting of Kilkenny County Council held on Friday, 3rd September, 2021 *[copy of Minutes attached]*.
- (v) Minutes of SPC 1: Economic Development, Enterprise Support, Tourism, Planning & Development Policy held on Friday, 5th March, 2021 *[copy of Minutes attached]*.
- (vi) Minutes of SPC 4: Environmental Protection, Climate Action & Energy held on Friday, 5th March, 2021 *[copy of Minutes attached]*.

2. **Gnó forordaithe do réir Reachtaíochta, Orduithe Seasta, nó Rúin an Chomhairle**
Business Prescribed by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of Council

(a) **Tithíocht & Díuscairt Eile - Housing & Other Disposal**

- (i) “Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Council to be held after the expiration of 10 days from the date of this notice, it is the intention of Kilkenny County Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001, Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of its interest in land at Ballykeoghan, Kilmacow, Co. Kilkenny – as identified on the attached map - to Noeleen Ivory, Ballykeoghan, Kilmacow, Co. Kilkenny for the nominal sum of €10.00 (ten euro), with each party being responsible for their own legal costs associated with the transfer. Area measures 0.14 acre. The Consent of the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage is not required.”
(Notice sent to Members on the 6th September, 2021).

- (ii) “Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Council to be held after the expiration of 10 days from the date of this notice, it is the intention of Kilkenny County Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001, Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of its interest in land at Bishop Birch, Hebron Road, Kilkenny – as identified on the attached map to National Broadband Ireland Infrastructure DAC - by way of long-term lease for a period of 25 years at an annual rent of €750 (seven hundred and fifty euro) with each party to be responsible for their own legal costs associated with the lease. The Consent of the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage is not required.”
(Notice sent to Members on the 6th September, 2021).
- (iii) “Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Council to be held after the expiration of 10 days from the date of this notice, it is the intention of Kilkenny County Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001, Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of its interest in a plot of ground at Market Yard, Kilkenny, as identified on the attached map, to Christie Bollard Limited, 31/32 St. Kieran Street, Kilkenny for the sum of €5,250 (five thousand two hundred and fifty euro) with the Purchaser being responsible for all legal costs associated with the sale including those of Kilkenny County Council. Area measures 6 square metres approx. The Consent of the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage is not required.”
(Notice sent to Members on the 6th September, 2021).
- (iv) “Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Council to be held after the expiration of 10 days from the date of this notice, it is the intention of Kilkenny County Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001, Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of its interest in land at Poulgour, Wetlands, Kilkenny – as identified on the attached map - to Kilkenny and Carlow Education and Training Board, Seville Lodge, Callan Road, Kilkenny for the nominal sum of €10.00 with each party being responsible for their own legal costs associated with the sale. The land combined measures 0.48 hectares approx. The Consent of the Minister for the Environment, is not required.”
(Notice sent to Members on the 7th September, 2021).
- (v) “Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Council to be held after the expiration of 10 days from the date of this notice, it is the intention of Kilkenny County Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001, Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of its interest in land at Glendine, Castlecomer Road, Kilkenny, as identified on the attached map, to Ms Jackie Byrne and Ms Elizabeth Whitmore, Rathcash, Clifden, Co. Kilkenny for the sum of €2,500 (two thousand five hundred euro) with each party to be responsible for their own legal costs associated with the sale. The Area measures 0.007 acre. The Consent of the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage is not required.”
(Notice sent to Members on the 8th September, 2021).

- (b) **Pleanail - Planning**
 - (i) Part 8: Canal Road Johnstown [*Report Attached*]
 - (ii) Taking in Charge: Friary Walk, Phase 1&2, Clashacollare, Callan [*Report Attached*]
 - (iii) Taking in Charge: Rath Ullord, Phase 1, New Orchard [*Report Attached*]
 - (iv) Taking in Charge: Brookfield, Ballyhale, Co. Kilkenny [*Report Attached*]
 - (v) Taking in Charge: Haven Court, Ballyragget, Co. Kilkenny [*Report Attached*]
- (c) **Comhshaol - Environment**
 - (i) Anti-Litter/Anti-Graffiti Awareness Grant 2021 [*Report Attached*]
- (d) **Pobol Cultúr - Community & Culture**
 - (i) Community Event Grants [*Report Attached*]
 - (ii) Watergate Grant Funding.
- (e) **Economic Development – Forbairt Eacnamaíoch**
 - (i) Kilkenny.ie, Shop Local, Taste Kilkenny [*Presentation*].
- (f) **Gnóthaí Corparáideacha - Corporate Affairs**
 - (i) Chief Executive’s Monthly Report [*Report Attached*].
- 3. **Comhfhreagras - Correspondence**
- 4. **Gnó ar athló ó chruinniúroimhe seo - Business adjourned from a previous Meeting**
- 5. **Dátaí agus Amanta do chruinnithe a shocrú - Fix Dates & Times of Meetings**
 - (i) Schedule of Meetings [*Report Attached*].
 - (ii) Fix date for Statutory Budget Meeting.
- 6. **Plé ar Thuairiscí agus Moltaí ó Choistí an Comhairle Consideration of Reports & Recommendations of Committees of the Council**
 - (i) Report of SPC 1: Economic Development, Enterprise Support, Tourism, Planning & Development Policy held on Friday, 5th March, 2021 [*copy of Report attached*].
 - (ii) Report of SPC 4: Environmental Protection, Climate Action & Energy held on Friday, 5th March, 2021 [*copy of Minutes attached*].
- 7. **Gnó Eile romhainn i bhFógra reachtála an Chruinnithe - Other Business set forth in the Notice convening the Meeting**
- 8. **Oideachas agus Oiliúint - Education & Training**
 - (i) Conferences – Request for approval to attend as per circulated list [*Attached*].

9. **Gnótha ag éirí as Miontuairiscí - Matters Arising from Minutes**

10. **Aon Ghnó Eile - Any Other Business**

11. **Fógraí Rúin - Notices of Motion**

13 (21) Cllr. Tomás Breathnach

That Kilkenny County Council write to the Department of Culture, Heritage, & Gaeltacht and to the Department of Rural & Community Development to seek funding dedicated to the conservation and restoration of old stone walls and other structures of heritage value in urban and rural areas and to underpin this support with the provision of funding for courses in the relevant traditional building skills.

12. **Fógraí i dtaobh Rúin ó Údaráis Áitiúla eile ag lorg tacaíochta ó Chomhairle Chontae Chill Chainnigh - Notices of Motion from other local authorities seeking support of Kilkenny County Council**

63 (21) Limerick City & County Council

“That, Limerick City and County Council support the campaign of Epilepsy Ireland to address longstanding issues that continue to impact on people with epilepsy and their families in Limerick today, namely (1) Access to Free Travel and (2) Provision of Reasonable Accommodations for State Examinations for students with epilepsy.

The motion, if agreed, to be then sent to the Minister for Health, Stephen Donnelly TD, Minister for Social Protection, Heather Humphries TD, Minister for Education, Norma Foley TD, Michael Moynihan TD (Chair, Oireachtas Committee on Disability Matters) and to other Local Authorities for correspondence purposes.”

64 (21) Donegal County Council

“With the support of the Members I am demanding that Donegal County Council stop immediately (a) the collection of the LPT from the victims that have been destroyed by Mica, Pyrite and Pyrrhotite and that they refund all monies back to the victims since the establishment of the Local Property Tax. (b) That the Council stop immediately the collection of commercial rates from property and business owners that have been destroyed by Mica, Pyrite and Pyrrhotite and that all commercial rates be re-funded to these victims from the date of completion of their properties when they became commercially rateable.”

65 (21) Wicklow County Council

“Wicklow County Council acknowledges the need for a new national maternity hospital (NMH) to provide healthcare in the Greater Dublin Area, including County Wicklow.

Wicklow County Council notes the lack of legal clarity regarding ownership and management of the hospital and also acknowledges the concerns regarding the employment rights for those who will work in the hospital, many of whom live in Wicklow.

Wicklow County Council calls for the proposed new publicly funded NMH to be constructed on land owned and governed by the state.”

66 (21) Sligo County Council

“That Sligo County Council write to the Minister for Health and the Taoiseach requesting that without delay the work of Frontline workers be remunerated.”