Agenda for Annual Meeting of Kilkenny County Council to be held on Friday, 21st June 2024 at 3.00 p.m. in the Council Chamber, County Hall, John Street, Kilkenny

Opening: Names of Members elected to Kilkenny County Council.

Item 1: Election of Cathaoirleach.

Item 2: Election of Leas Cathaoirleach.

Item 3: Appointment of Chair designate to SPC 1

Economic Development, Enterprise Support & Tourism, Planning & Development Policy

Item 4: Appointment of Chair designate to SPC 2

Transportational Policy/Mobility Management & Infrastructure

Item 5: Appointment Chair designate to SPC 3

Housing

Item 6: Appointment of Chair designate to SPC 4

Climate Action, Energy & Environment Protection

Item 7: Appointment of Chair designate to SPC 5

Community, Integration, Cultural, Heritage & Fire Services

APPOINTMENTS TO EXTERNAL BODIES

[Right to form Groups- Applies to the Committees with a * copy of Schedule 10 paragraph (18) attached]

* Appointment of 4 members to the Local Community Development Committee. [LCDC]

* Appointment of 3 representatives to the Association of Irish Local Government. [See attached letter dated 23rd April, 2024]

* Appointment of 2 representatives to the Southern Regional Assembly [see attached letter dated 27th May, 2024]

Item 11: * Appointment of 4 representatives to the Regional Health Forum South.

* Election of 8 representatives to Kilkenny & Carlow Education & Training Board. [see attached SI No. 243/2024 & SI No. 142/2019 – re 40% gender balance] [Letter dated 29th May, 2024]

Item 13: * Appointment of 2 members to the Audit Committee

Item 14: * Appointment of 3 members to the Local Traveller Accommodation Consultative Committee.

Item 15: * Appointment of 3 Members to Rural Water Services Monitoring Committee

APPOINTMENT TO COUNTY COUNCIL COMMITTEES.

Item 16:	Appointment of 1 Representative on Local Authorities Members Association.
Item 17:	Appointment of 4 members to Kilkenny Tourism [one from each Municipal District]
Item 18:	Appointment of 8 members to Kilkenny Water Safety Committee.
Item 19:	Appointment of 1 representative to Irish Public Bodes Mutual Insurances Company Lt
Item 20:	Appointment of 7 Members to the Local Community Safety Partnership
Item 21:	Appointment of 1 Member to the South East Regional Drugs & Alcohol Task Force.
Item 22:	Appointment of 1 Member as Director of Rothe House Trust
Item 23:	Appointment of 3 Members as Directors of Callan Friary Trust
Item 24:	Appointment of 2 Members as Directors of Watergate Theatre Company
Item 25:	Appointment of 2 Members as Directors of Watershed Leisure Complex
Item 26:	Appointment of 1 Members to Carlow/Kilkenny Energy Agency
Item 27:	Appointment of 2 Members to Recreation & Sports Partnership
Item 28:	Appointment of 2 Members to Kilkenny Civic Trust.
Item 29:	Appointment of 2 Members to Kilkenny Heritage Forum.
Item 30:	Appointment of 4 Members to Comhairle na nÓg.
Item 31:	Appointment of 5 Members & Chairperson to Naming of Infrastructure Committee.
Item 32:	Appointment of 7 Members & Chairperson to Animal Welfare Standards Committee.
Item 33:	Appointment of 2 Members to Kilkenny Leader Partnership.
Item 34:	Appointment of 3 Members to Woodstock Gardens Committee (From Callan-Thomastown LEA)
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Item 34:	Report on the Local Elections [copy to follow]
Item 35:	Approval to Standing Orders Kilkenny County Council [copy attached].
Item 36:	To apply for the sealing of documents in accordance with the provisions of Section 149(5) of the Local Government Act 2001 [existing provision is that each Member is authorised to witness the fixing of the common seal to documents]
Item 37:	To fix a schedule of Ordinary Meetings of the Council [Copy of recommendation enclosed]
Item 38:	To agree dates for first meetings of Callan – Thomastown, Castlecomer, Kilkenny and Piltown Municipal Districts [to be held before 1st July, 2024]
Item 39:	Induction Training for Elected Members [AILG Brochure]. Refer to Appendix V – Circular LG07/2024 dated 22 nd May, 2024.
Item 40:	Any Other Business