

MINUTE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CASTLECOMER MUNICIPAL DISTRICT HELD IN COMMITTEE IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNTY HALL ON MONDAY 15TH OCTOBER AT 10.45 AM

Chair: Cllr Mick McCarthy

Cllrs: Cllrs John Brennan, Mary Hilda Cavanagh, Pat Fitzpatrick, Pat Millea and Maurice Shortall.

Officials: Philippe Beubry, Michael Delahunty and Nancy Byrne

1. 3 Year Draft Restoration Improvement Programme

Philippe Beubry circulated the 3 Year Draft Restoration Improvement Programme to the members. He outlined details of anticipated €2.15 million allocation from the Department each year together with various stipulations received including :

- Required 15% spend on regional roads.
- Recommendation for average length of works at 1,000 m.

Philippe Beubry confirmed that the allocation had been split evenly between the 4 areas and advised of a supplementary programme prepared in the event of additional funding being made available.

Contributions were received from the members as follows:

- Members acknowledged the excellent work completed by Philippe Beubry and staff to deliver such a fair and balanced draft programme.
- The high standard to which roads in the Municipal District of Castlecomer are maintained together with Philippe's excellent knowledge of the road network in the District was acknowledged.
- The need for the inclusion of passing bays and associated signage was highlighted.
- Clarification sought regarding an increase in funding to accommodate the expansion of the Municipal District Area of Castlecomer.

It was proposed by Cllr Millea, seconded by Cllr Fitzpatrick and agreed that a letter would be sent to the Department seeking increased funding to accommodate the provision of passing bays as required, during road works.

Adoption of Road Works Scheme for Castlecomer Municipal District.

It was proposed by Cllr Cavanagh, seconded by Cllr Fitzpatrick and resolved:-
"That the draft Restoration Improvement Programme as circulated at the Municipal District Meeting held on 15th October 2018, be and is hereby adopted.

Michael Delahunty clarified that Motions agreed in committee must be ratified in public.

This concluded the business of the meeting.

Chairperson: _____

Date: _____