

**MINUTES OF THE JUNE MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF CASTLECOMER HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNTY HALL, JOHN STREET, KILKENNY ON MONDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2022 DIRECTLY AFTER THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT'S ANNUAL MEETING WHICH COMMENCED AT 11.00AM**

**In the chair:** Cllr Mary Hilda Cavanagh  
**Present:** Cllrs John Brennan, Michael Delaney, Pat Fitzpatrick and Michael McCarthy  
**In attendance:** Mr Philippe Beubry, Mr Martin Prendiville, Mr Michael Leahy and Ms Nancy Byrne

**Vote of Sympathy**

The members joined with the Cathaoirleach in extending a vote of sympathy to the family of the late Mr Paddy Bergin, Clontubrid, Freshford, Co Kilkenny.

**1. Confirmation of Minutes of:**

**(a) May Ordinary Meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2022**

The minutes were proposed by Cllr Michael McCarthy, seconded by Cllr John Brennan and agreed.

**2. Consideration of Reports and Recommendations:**

**(a) Broadband**

Mr Martin Prendiville advised that Cellnex have not yet completed signal testing in Castlecomer. He also that he will seek a formal meeting with Cellnex and reminded members that Cellnex is a Private Commercial Entity.

Mr Prendiville also advised that Mr Steve Coverdale will endeavour to arrange a meeting with the Urdingford Business Group in advance of the Summer holiday period.

**3. Business prescribed by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of the Municipal District for transaction at such meeting**

None

**4. Other business set forth in the Notice convening the meeting**

**(a) Items submitted by members**

- Cllr Mary Hilda Cavanagh

**(i) Safety at Graigue Cross, Kilmanagh**

Following discussion it was agreed that Mr Philippe Beubry would investigate this location with a view to providing additional signage.

**(ii) Safety at the Square and Bohercrussia Street, Freshford**

Mr Philippe Beubry advised that Road Plan are in the process of preparing a draft Mobility Plan for Freshford and when available, this draft Plan will be presented to the members by Mr Dermot Maher, Active Travel Section.

**(iii) Repairs to the side of Pinchback Lane between the home of Sean, Annette and Kieran Phelan and Crossroads at Baunballinlough.**

Mr Philippe Beubry advised that some repairs were carried out at this location with material left over from the overlay between Kitty Gannon's Cross and Galmoy and confirmed that this section of roadway will be considered for inclusion in the next 3 Year Roads Programme.

**5. Notices of Motion**

None

6. Correspondence  
None

7. Matters arising from minutes  
None

8. Any other business  
None

This concluded the business of the meeting.

Chairperson: Mary Hedia Lavenagh

Date: 18/7/22