

COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LIATROMA



Áras an Chontae Carrick on Shannon

Tuesday, 5 May 2020

Cathaoirleach agus Gach Ball of Carrick on Shannon Municipal District, COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LIATROMA.

A Chara,

An online information meeting of Carrick on Shannon Municipal District will be helf via zoom on **Monday, 11 May 2020 at 10.00 am** for the purpose of considering the business set out on the Agenda hereunder.

A Separate invitation will be sent via email with logon details to access the online meeting.

You are hereby invited to access this online information meeting.

Yours sincerely,

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AGENDA

- 1. Minutes of Carrick on Shannon Municipal District held in the Council Chamber, Aras an Chontae, Carrick on Shannon on Monday 6th March 2020 for noting and subject to formal approval at the statutory meeting. (Pages 1 12)
- 2. To receive update from Mr Joseph Gilhooly, Deputy Chief Executive & Director of Economic Development, Planning & Infrastructural Services in relation to the current situation regarding the COVID 19 National Emergency.
- 3. To approve proposed Tidy Town allocations under the General Municipal Allocations for noting and subject to formal approval at the statutory meeting. (Pages 13 16)
- 4. Meeting Correspondence (Pages 17 18)

Notice of Motions

5. Motion from Councillor Des Guckian:

That the Council engineers make direct and immediate contact with TII, to have the junction of the N4 and the L1601, at Fearnaught / Faulties, realigned to make it safer and not so confined. The triangles dividing the lanes are too far out on the N4 (leading to a sign being swept away by a new car four years ago) and the entrance and exit lanes are too narrow to accommodate big lorries and buses. A man who drove HGVs in London traffic, for 30 years, says it is very difficult to identify where the entrance is. Bollards , colouring and extra lighting would help.

6. Motion from Councillor Des Guckian:

That we hold actual Municipal meetings from this May forward. The numbers are small and getting written answers is no substitute for a proper meeting, with debates on issues raised and the opportunities to question officials on behalf of our electorate. The public would like to know that we are working harder than ever in this time of crisis.

7. Motion from Councillor Sean McGowan:

I ask Mr Darragh O'Boyle, District Engineer to look at carrying out improvements to Moheraven Junction. It is extremely dangerous for motorists, cyclists coming out from the "bog road" No. No L 5474-0 onto the Corrascoffy Fearnaught Road No. L 1475-0 as there is very limited view back towards Corrascoffy.

There was a serious incident there a few weeks back when a youngster on a bicycle cycled out of from the bog road and onto the Corrascoffy - Fearnaught Road and was almost ran over by an oncoming van, luckily the driver of the van was alert and managed to bring his vehicle to a stop. There have been other incidents in the past at this junction but none as serious.

The owner of the old shed that is at the cross is willing to let the Council have it to improve the view back towards Corrascoffy.

8. Motion from Councillor Sean McGowan:

I ask Mr Darragh O'Boyle, District Engineer to organise a machine for a day to remove a number of trees that have fallen into the Black River at Cloonlaughil, Gortletteragh between the bridge at the end of road No. L-16271 on towards the back of Mc Goldricks garage. There is a right of way to the river by a lane alongside the garage. The trees have restricted very much the flow on the river with the result that the local lands become flooded after heavy rains.

9. Motion from Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire:

The Local Enterprise Office staff have been very busy getting the message out to businesses that there are many offers of financial and mentoring assistance to concerned business

owners both Sole Traders and Companies. How has the response been at this stage?

10. Motion from Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire:

Can I have brief progress report on the works planned on bringing Flynns field to fruition as a car park?