

COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LIATROMA Leitrim County Council



Áras an Chontae Carrick on Shannon

Tuesday, 28 September 2021

Re: Joint Policing Committee

A Chara,

I wish to inform you that a meeting of the Joint Policing Committee will be held on **Monday**, **4 October 2021 at 11.00 am via MS Teams** to consider the items set out on the Agenda hereunder.

You are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

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AGENDA

- 1. Adoption of Minutes 31st May 2021 (Pages 1 6)
- 2. Correspondence
- 3. Receive Update on Road Safety Action Plan
- 4. LA16 Collision Reporting and Evaluation
- 5. Report from an Garda Siochána
- 6. Questions submitted by JPC Members
 - Question from Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire
 The Castlecara road has been made a preferred route for Heavy Goods
 Vehicles during street works in Carrick town. This road is considered by

many as unsuitable for HGVs and the accident which occurred on 22nd July 2021 emphasises this.

Was a Garda report done on this accident and are there recommendations from the report re the suitability of the road for HGVs and other heavy vehicles?

- Question from Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire
 The N4 at Carrick frequently experiences traffic queues from the N4 Sligo
 Road through to Carrick Bridge. What analysis has the Garda roads division
 and Carrick area Garda completed to identify the causes and what
 proposals have been considered to give traffic relief to the congestion?
- iii. Question from Councillor Paddy Farrell Are there any measures or initiatives that An Garda Síochána can introduce to alleviate the traffic congestion in Carrick-on-Shannon on the N4 approach from the Sligo direction?
- iv. Question from Members of Manorhamilton Municipal District At the Manorhamilton MD on Monday Sept 20th, the members requested that a joint question be submitted to the JPC to ask what are the opening hours at Manorhamilton Garda Station?
- Question from Councillor Justin Warnock
 What is the law in relation to setting up illegal campsites (caravans) on public or private property which have no toilet or recycling facilities, as a consequence the horrific mess created by the individuals has to be dealt with by volunteers from the local community or the local authority staff?
- vi. Question from Councillor Justin Warnock As we head into the winter period there is a greater need to reassure the public of the Garda presence in our communities, therefore is it possible to tailor working hours to give that visibility and reassurance?
- vii. Question from Councillor Sean McDermott: What progress has been made on the closed Garda Stations in Leitrim in relation to been acquired by community groups?
- 7. Date and time of next meeting
- 8. Date and time of Public Meeting

Agenda Item 1

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