



**COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LIATROMA**  
**Leitrim County Council**



**Áras an Chontae**  
**Carrick on Shannon**

**Tuesday, 27 September 2022**

**Re: Joint Policing Committee**

A Chara,

I wish to inform you that a meeting of the Joint Policing Committee will be held on **Monday, 3 October 2022 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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**Meeting Administrator**  
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**AGENDA**

1. Adoption of Minutes (Pages 1 - 24)
2. Presentation from Dept. of Justice on Community Safety Partnerships
3. Correspondence (Pages 25 - 42)
4. Update from Public Meeting of Leitrim JPC held on Wednesday 14th September 2022 (Pages 43 - 44)
5. LA16 Collision Reporting and Evaluation
6. Report from An Garda Síochána
7. Questions submitted by JPC Members

- i. Question from Councillor Sean McDermott:  
Are there any indications that digital speed signs are having a positive impact on the speed drivers travel at, and if so, should we increase the number of these signs on our roads?
  - ii. Question from Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire  
Does this policing area belong to a National Drugs Unit? To give outline to my question: Customs and police are at large airports and ports and gardaí have a presence when homes are visited. What is happening between these locations?
  - iii. Question from Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire  
Could this JPC have a presentation on drugs seizure enforcement in our area outlining the activities in place both by Gardaí and Customs officers within the counties and surrounding area?
  - iv. Question from Councillor Justin Warnock:  
Should the culprits of attacks, such as those witnessed recently on members of An Garda Síochána, face charges of attempted murder and for these types of crimes should An Garda Síochána oppose free legal aid for the suspects?
  - v. Question from Councillor Justin Warnock:  
I ask this Joint Policing Committee to call on the Justice Minister, Helen McEntee TD, and the Garda Commissioner, Drew Harris, to reinstate the community type policing where the local sergeant and the gardaí were an integral part of every community and which served the citizens well for the past 100 years.
8. Date and time of next meeting