

# **COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LIATROMA**



Áras an Chontae Carrick on Shannon

Tuesday, 25 January 2022

Cathaoirleach agus Gach Ball of Manorhamilton Municipal District, COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LIATROMA.

A Chara,

A meeting of Manorhamilton Municipal District will take place on **Monday, 31 January 2022** at **2.30 pm in the** for the purpose of transacting the business set out on the Agenda hereunder.

You are hereby invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

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## **AGENDA**

- 1. Adoption of Minutes (Pages 1 8)
- 2. Meeting Correspondence (Pages 9 10)

## **Notice of Motions**

## 3. Motion from Councillor Felim Gurn:

I ask the Area Office to review sections on the Manorhamilton side of the R280 at Gortinar, Hope and Benson. The sign coming into the bad bend ahead is too late for drivers using the road. There is also too much of a drop down from the road when accidents happen, a crash barrier is needed to warn drivers of the bad bend ahead and to prevent fatalities. A number of accidents happened over a 3-week period including a young driver, an ESB worker and a postal worker. Urgent preventative work is needed.

### 4. Motion from Councillor Felim Gurn:

January sees a lot of people taking up walking in our towns and villages and it is important to have as much street lighting as possible for walkers, many of whom during the day are at work and go out at night for a walk and in many cases are using the demonstration stretch of SLNCR. With that in mind when funding becomes available for the entire SLNCR project I ask that lighting be put in place from the town boundary on Ramooney to the bridge at the Carrick Road. This is very important for the health and wellbeing of all users.

## 5. Motion from Councillor Padraig Fallon:

I ask what is the Local Authority's responsibility with regard to surface water from public roads flowing on to private lands or in and around private dwellings.

## 6. Motion from Councillor Padraig Fallon:

I propose that Mary Quinn, Director of Services Housing, Corporate Services, Community and Cultural Services, give a brief overview of changes as per the circular with regard to Tenant Purchase Scheme to members of this Municipal.

## 7. Motion from Councillor Sean McDermott:

I again raise the issue of the green bollards with white stripes along the N16 at road exit locations. These bollards are very important to drivers for exit points but they are easily damaged especially at grass and hedge cutting times. Could I ask the Area Office to review what's in place and ensure the bollards remain visible at all times.

#### 8. Motion from Councillor Sean McDermott:

I ask for an update on the taking in charge of Rockview Drive, Housing Estate, Manorhamilton.

## 9. Motion from Councillor Justin Warnock:

Covid19 has had a devastating impact on many of our rural communities but none as profound as in the village of Kiltyclogher, including the closure of a number of businesses and local services e.g. the library, health centre etc. Therefore, I ask our CE Lar Power with his executive to facilitate and participate in an in-person meeting with our four Oireachtas members, the Councillors for the Manorhamilton MD and the local community of Kiltyclogher as a matter of urgency now that Covid restrictions are being lifted.

#### 10. Motion from Councillor Justin Warnock:

A number of families in Kinlough on the Council's housing waiting list have been served notice to vacate their rented accommodation in the coming months. Therefore, I ask Leitrim County Council to purchase more houses in Kinlough in the interim until such time as they

have sourced land to build their own houses.

## 11. Motion from Councillor Frank Dolan:

Again I ask that public lighting be put in place from McCormack's filling station out to the bridge, it is extremely dark and a very poor entrance to a town the size of Manorhamilton.

## 12. Motion from Councillor Frank Dolan:

I ask that some routine maintenance be carried out on part of the Fawnlion Road, this section of the road seems to get potholed every year.

# 13. Motion from Councillor Mary Bohan:

I propose that the Council carry out repairs and make the footpath safe at the entrance to Drumlease housing estate off Drumlease road.

## 14. Motion from Councillor Mary Bohan:

I propose that the Council take immediate steps to prevent flooding at the Wood's residence at Aughamore. This is caused by excess water coming off the R280.