

Monthly Meeting of the Members for the Carrick-on-Suir Municipal District held in the Chapel, Nano Nagle Community Centre, Hall, Carrick-on-Suir on the 21st of December, 2017 at 2:00p.m

In the Chair: Cllr. John Fahey

Members Present: Cllr. David Dunne, Cllr. Kieran Bourke, Cllr. Imelda Goldsboro , Cllr. Eddie O'Meara

Apologies Cllr. Louise McLoughlin

In Attendance: Mr. Pat Slattery, Director of Services,
Mr Martin Nolan, District Administrator
Mr John Fitzgerald, Staff Officer
Mr Willie Corby, District Engineer
Ms Nicola Keating, Executive Engineer
Mr. Seamus Loughlin, Executive Engineer
Mr Michael F Hayes, Senior Engineer, Roads
Ms Margo Hayes, Community and Economic Development
Ms Catriona O'Mahoney, Community and Economic Development
Mr David Linanne, FAI Development Officer

Minutes of Meetings On the proposal of Cllr. Imelda Goldsboro, seconded by Cllr. David Dunne, the minutes of the monthly meeting held on the 23th of November, 2017 were adopted and signed by the Cathaoirleach.

Update from the Community and Economic Development Ms Margo Hayes, Administrative Officer, Community and Economic Development, gave an update on the activity of the Directorate in the District.

Directorate.

The members raised issues as follows:

Cllr. David Dunne

- Insurance for Festivals and Events

Cllr. John Fahey

- Support for Traditional Crafts

Presentation by FAI Development Officers

Mr David Linnane, FAI Development Officer, gave a presentation to the members outlining the history of his position and the steps taken since 2007 to promote the development of soccer as a sport in County Tipperary.

The Cathaoirleach thanked Mr Linnane for his presentation, and noting that he was shortly to leave for a new role in the FAI, wished good luck and happiness in his new post.

Presentation on Munster Vales

Ms Catriona O'Mahony gave a presentation on the history of the Munster Vales Tourism Project and on the steps being taken to market the product over the coming year.

The members thanked Ms O'Mahoney for her presentation and raised issues relating to the marketing of Slievenamon and of the Slieve Ardagh area.

District Engineer's Report:

The District Engineers report had been circulated in advance of the meeting, and the councillor should contact the housing section with the details of the meeting, and the District Engineer gave an update on various projects.

Members raised questions as follows:

Cllr. Kieran Bourke

- Footpath at St Mullerins, Carrick-on-Suir
- Railings on Dillon Bridge
- Wall Caps on Flood Walls
- Taking in charge of Rookery Lane

Cllr. David Dunne

- Undergrounding of services in Chapel Lane
- Maintenance of Trees

Cllr. John Fahey

- Condition of Bridges

The District Engineer responded as follows:

- A review of Bridges on Regional Roads had been carried out in 2012, and the works identified are being worked through. Funding to continue this in 2018 had been applied for.
- The completion of drainage work in St Mullerins would be considered for 2018.
- Railings on Dillon Bridge will be examined
- Rookery Lane will be examined.
- The expense of undergrounding services in Chapel Street was not justified due to the complexity of the services in the area.

**District
Administrator's
Report:**

The district administrator brought the following issues to the attention of the members:

1. The Water Services and Environment Directorate will attend the December Meeting on the 25th of January, 2018.
2. The Carrick-on-Suir Business Association will launch two videos (one longer, one shorter) promoting the town as a location for business, shopping and tourism on the 25th of December, 2017. The videos will be launched on Facebook, and will be published on YouTube. The production of the videos was funded by Tipperary County Council under the Town Centre Initiative.

**Report from
Standing Orders
Committee**

It was proposed by Cllr. Eddie O'Meara, seconded by Cllr. Imelda Goldsboro and agreed that in accordance with the recommendation from the Standing Orders committee, a civic reception be accorded to Mr Aiden O'Brien in recognition of his achievement in training a record number of Group I winners in 2017, and to Mr Joseph O'Brien in recognition of his achievement in training the winner of the Emirates World Cup.

**Meeting with
Piltown
Municipal
District**

It was proposed by Cllr. Eddie O'Meara , seconded by Cllr. David Dunne, and agreed to meet with the elected members of Kilkenny County Council for the Piltown Municipal District at 2pm on the 9th of January, 2018 in the offices of Kilkenny County Council, John Street, Kilkenny.

**Workshop on
Supporting Tidy
Towns
Committee**

It was proposed by Cllr. Eddie O'Meara , seconded by Cllr. David Dunne ., and agreed that a workshop on supporting Tidy Towns Committee will take place at 1:00 pm on the 25th of January, 2018, before the monthly meeting.

**Assistance
under Section
66 of the Local
Government Act
2001**

It was proposed by: Cllr. Imelda Goldsboro seconded by Cllr. Eddie O'Meara and Resolved:

“that being of the opinion that it was desirable in the interests of the local community, grants as follows be made in accordance with section 66 of the Local Government Act, 2001:

Group	Project/ Assistance required	Amount of Grant
Ballingarry Tidy Towns	Replacement of damaged lights	€500.00
Mullinahone	Replaceme	€1,000.00

Tidy Towns	nt of Damaged Lights	
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Grants are to be subject to the following conditions:

1. The assistance of Tipperary County council must be acknowledged in all publications or publicity.
2. The Members for the Carrick-on-Suir Municipal District must be invited to any opening, launch or similar event associated with an assisted project.
3. Groups must be a member of the Public Partnership Network, and must be tax compliant.
4. Groups must provide evidence of appropriate procurement and receipts to show the full expenditure on the assisted project. Payment will not exceed 50% of expenditure on the project.
5. Tipperary County Council may audit the records of any project assisted by it."

**Delegated
Employee's
Orders**

A list of orders were circulated and noted.

Notice of Motion

1247

Cllr. Kieran Bourke

That Tipperary County Council to review the Community CCTV system in the Town of Carrick-on-Suir.

The motion was seconded by Cllr. David Dunne

The report on the motion was as follows:

The Community CCTV system in Carrick-on-Suir was completed in 2010 and cost approximately €290,000. It consists of ten cameras at various points in the town, a monitoring station in the Garda Station, and a base station currently located in the Community Centre in Carrickbeg, Carrick-on-Suir. It was funded by POBAL and Carrick-on-Suir Town Council. In 2017, eleven requests for images were received

from An Garda Siochana. The budget for maintenance is €8,200 per annum, which is wholly funded by Tipperary County Council.

It was agreed to invite the Garda Superintendent for the Clonmel District to the next meeting.

Other Business

It was proposed by Cllr. David Dunne , seconded by Cllr. Imelda Goldsboro and agreed pursuant to Standing Order 20 to deal with the following urgent business, ie the approval of grants under the RAPID grants scheme, a recommendation for the payment of which had been received from the Local Community and Development Committee by the Meetings Administrator that morning, and which must be approved or otherwise before the end of the calendar year.

It was proposed by Cllr. Kieran Bourke , seconded by Cllr. David Dunne and resolved that being of the opinion that it is in the interests of the locality; and having regard to the recommendations of the Tipperary Local Community and Development Committee; grants under Section 66 of the Local Government Act 2001 and in accordance with the National RAPID Grants Scheme 2017 be made to the following:

Group	Project	Amount
3 rd Tipp Scout Gro Carrick-on-Suir	Purchase of Equipment	€1,000
Carrick-on-Suir community resour CLG	Purchase of Equipment	€2,000
Ballylynch Reside: association	Memorial Garden	€2,000
Carrick-on-Suir Men's Shed	Purchase of Equipment	€1,500
Ballylynch Reside: Association	Playground Upgrade	€3,400
Seskin Court Residents Association	Playground Upgrade	€1,000

Cllr. Kieran Bourke raised a question concerning the provision of a Christmas Tree by the County Council in Carrick-on-Suir.

This concluded the business of the meeting. (15:30)



District Administrator



Cathaoirleach

25th Jan. 2018

Date