

**Minutes of Special Meeting of the Municipal District of Piltown**

**Venue:** Area Offices, Ferrybank

**Meeting Date:** 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2016 at 9.00am

**Cathaoirleach:** Cllr. Pat Dunphy

**Present:** Cllrs. Fidelis Doherty, Ger Frisby, Eamon Aylward, Tomas Breathnach and Melissa O'Neill.

**In Attendance:** Kevin Hanley, Meetings Administrator, Ian Gardner, Area Engineer and Laura Murphy, A/Staff Officer

**Draft 2016 – 2018 Restoration Improvement Plan**

I Gardner began by outlining the Draft Restoration Improvement Plan for 2016 to 2018. Funding is envisaged to be c. €4m. Roads included on the plan were selected from representations received from Councillors and recommendations from General Services Supervisors. To compile the draft plan I Gardner inspected the proposed roads and identified 46 schemes for inclusion in the plan based on their condition. These schemes were highlighted on an area map which was available for examination and I Gardner briefly outlined each scheme on the list. Some additional roads were colour coded to indicate their inclusion on a submission to the Department for funding following recent flood event. I Gardner advised that there were a number of smaller sections of road, approx. 50m in length requiring attention and suggested increasing the paving budget to allow for these works. He also confirmed that where an urgent need arises, amendments can be made to the plan subject to the consent of the Department.

A brief discussion followed the presentation, with contributions from all the Members. Cllr. Dunphy thanked I Gardner and all staff involved for their work in preparing the draft plan.

The Draft Restoration Improvement Plan 2016 – 2018 for the Municipal District of Piltown was proposed by Cllr. Doherty, seconded by Cllr. O'Neill and agreed, as circulated.

This concluded the business of the meeting.

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Cathaoirleach**

**Dated:** \_\_\_\_\_