# - COMHAIRLE CHONTAE CHILL CHAINNIGH - KILKENNY COUNTY COUNCIL

Clár do Ghnáth-Chruinniú Chomhairle Chontae Chill Chainnigh le reachtáil ar de Luan, 18 Meán Fómhair, 2022 ar a 3.00 i.n.

# AGENDA FOR THE ORDINARY MEETING OF KILKENNY COUNTY COUNCIL

## MONDAY, 19<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2022 AT 3.00 P.M. VIA MS TEAMS

#### 1. Dearbhú Miontuairiscí - Confirmation of Minutes

- (i) Minutes of Special Council Meeting held on Friday, 15th July, 2022 at 2.00 p.m. via Ms Teams [copy of Minutes attached].
- (ii) Minutes of Adjourned Plenary Meeting held on Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2022 at 3.00 p.m. via Ms Teams [copy of Minutes attached].
- (iii) Minutes of Adjourned Plenary Meeting held on Tuesday, 26th July, 2022 at 9.00 a.m. via Ms Teams [copy of Minutes attached].
- (iv) Minutes of SPC 5 Meeting: Community, Cultural & Fire Services held on Wednesday, 13th April, 2022 [Minutes Attached].
- (v) Minutes of SPC 2 Meeting: Transportational Policy/Mobility Management & Water Services held on Friday, 4th March, 2022 [Minutes Attached].
- (vi) Minutes of SPC 2 Meeting: Transportational Policy/Mobility Management & Water Services held on Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2022 [Minutes Attached].

#### 2. <u>Gnó forordaithe do réir Reachtaíochta, Orduithe Seasta, nó Rúin an Chomhairle</u> Business Prescribed by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of Council

#### (a) <u>Tithíocht & Díuscairt Eile</u> - Housing & Other Disposal

(i) "Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Council to be held after the expiration of 10 days from the date of this notice, it is the intention of Kilkenny County Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001, Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of its interest in land at Moanmore, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow – as identified on the attached map - to David Miley and Niamh Maher, Moanmore, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow for the sum of €900 and each party will be responsible for their own legal costs associated with the sale. Area combined measures 0.136 acre. The Consent of the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage is not required." (Notice sent to Members on the 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2022).

#### (b) Pleanail - Planning

- (i) Part 8 Planning: Two Single Storey Houses in Loughboy [Attached]
- (ii) Proposed Addition to Record of Protected Structures [Report Attached]

#### (c) <u>Bóithre</u> - Roads

- (i) Public Lighting Contract [Presentation]
- (ii) Graiguenamanagh Flood Relief Scheme Options [Presentation]

#### (d) <u>Tithíocht - Housing</u>

(i) Self Help Scheme Policy [Report Attached]

#### (e) <u>Economic Development – Forbairt Eacnamaíoch</u>

(i) Festival Grants Report [Report Attached]

#### (f) <u>Airgeadas - Finance</u>

- (i) Local Government Audit Report [Report Attached]
- (ii) Final Annual Financial Statement for 2021 [Report Attached]
- (iii) Local Property Tax 2023 [Report Attached]

#### (g) Gnóthaí Corparáideacha - Corporate Affairs

- (i) Chief Executive's Monthly Report [Report Attached]
- (ii) Foreign Travel [Formigine October 2022 & Holland November 2022]

#### 3. Comhfhreagras - Correspondence

- (i) Response from Minister for Housing, Local Government & Heritage in relation to Housing Grants [Notice of Motion 13-2022] [Attached].
- (ii) Response from Minister of State in relation to the use of camera images in litter/waste enforcement [Attached].
- (iii) Response from Minister for Local Government & Planning in relation to setting up and resourcing the existing Regional Assembly structure [Notice of Motion 02-2022] [Attached].
- (iv) Correspondence from Department of Housing, Local Government & Heritage in relation to the Electoral Reform Act 2022 [Attached].

#### 4. Gnó ar athló ó chruinniúroimhe seo - Business Adjourned from a Previous Meeting

#### 5. <u>Dátaí agus Amanta do chruinnithe a shocrú - Fix Dates & Times of Meetings</u>

(i) Schedule of Meetings [Report Attached]

### 6. <u>Plé ar Thuairiscí agus Moltaí ó Choistí an Comhairle</u> Consideration of Reports & Recommendations of Committees of the Council

- (i) Report of SPC 5 Meeting: Community, Culture & Fire Services held on Wednesday 13th April, 2022 [Report Attached]
- (ii) Report of SPC 2 Meeting: Transportational Policy/Mobility Management & Water Services held on Friday, 4th March, 2022 [Report Attached]
- (iii) Report of SPC 2 Meeting: Transportational Policy/Mobility Management & Water Services held on Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2022 [Report Attached]

## 7. <u>Gnó Eile romhainn i bhFógra reachtála an Chruinnithe</u> - Other Business set forth in the Notice convening the Meeting

#### 8. Oideachas agus Oiliúint - Education & Training

(i) Conferences – Request for approval to attend as per circulated list [Attached]

#### 9. Gnótha ag éirí as Miontuairiscí - Matters Arising from Minutes

#### 10. Aon Ghnó Eile - Any Other Business

#### 11. <u>Fógraí Rúin</u> - <u>Notices of Motion</u>

#### **14 (22)** Cllr. Maria Dollard [Deferred from September Meeting]

"I would like to propose the motion that Kilkenny County Council acknowledges that thousands of people are suffering with adverse effects from Covid-19 for long periods of time. Unfortunately, the health supports that are needed for those suffering are not in abundance or widely available with the threat of some services currently in place, being withdrawn.

We propose that Long Covid Multidisciplinary Clinics with upskilled Occupational Therapists for post-COVID care, in both acute hospitals and primary care services, should be available in every county alongside the upskilling of relevant medical practitioners. The Council agrees to write to Minister for Health Stephen Donnelly, the Oireachtas Health Committee and the HSE CEO Paul Reid requesting that the provision of Long Covid Clinics is retained and expanded.

The Council also agrees to raise it with our Regional Health Board and/or local hospital and at any other suitable juncture."

#### 16 (22) Cllr. David Fitzgerald

"That Kilkenny County Council seeks a commitment from the President and Board of the Technological University of the South East (TUSE) that the Board adopts Kilkenny as a core location for a major Third Level Educational Faculty with a minimum of 1,000 full-time undergraduate students based on a Kilkenny City Campus in the forthcoming TUSE Strategic Plan"

#### 17 (22) Cllr. Mary Hilda Cavanagh

"That this Council would write immediately to the Department of Rural and Community Development requesting resources to help with the advertising, management and overheads for the new Digital Hubs and in particular those Hubs which are stand alone, for example, the Hub in Urlingford.

#### 12. <u>Fógraí i dtaobh Rúin ó Údaráis Áitiúla eile ag lorg tacaíochta ó Chomhairle Chontae</u> <u>Chill Chainnigh - Notices of Motion from other local authorities seeking support of</u> Kilkenny County Council

#### 34 (22) Wexford County Council

"The Council agrees to write to Minister for Health Stephen Donnelly, the Oireachtas Health Committee and the HSE CEO Paul Reid requesting that the provision of Long Covid Clinics is retained and expanded. The Council also agrees to raise it with our Regional Health Board and/or local hospital and at any other suitable juncture. The Council then agrees to circulate this motion to the other Council's asking them to consider same."

#### 35 (22) Donegal County Council

"That this Council calls on the Minister for Finance to review and change the rules on inheritance tax in so far as it relates to those who do not have immediate family members i.e. children. Consideration of equality should include the next blood relative."