



Louth County Council Comhairle Chontae Lú

October 2015 County Council Meeting

Date: 19/10/2015 10:00

Meeting Location: Council Chamber

The next meeting of Louth County Council will be held in the Council Chamber, County Hall, Dundalk on Monday 19th October 2015 at 10.00 a.m to consider the undermentioned items:-

Minutes

Minutes	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1171
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Minutes of the Monthly Meeting held on 21st September 2015	
	Minutes of Special Meeting held on 28th September 2015	
Minutes	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1172
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Borough District of Drogheda 7th September 2015	
	Corporate Policy Group 11th September 2015	
	Housing, Community Planning & Emergency Services 20th July 2015	
	Infrastructre, European and Cross Border SPC 21st May 2015	
	Municipal District of Ardee 3rd September 2015	
	Municipal District of Dundalk 1st September 2015	

Committe Reports

Committe Reports	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1173
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Chairmans Report CPG Meeting 9th October 2015	
	Chairmans Report Infrastructure, European and Cross Border Affairs SPC 24th September 2015	
	Chairmans Report Housing, Community Planning & Emergency Services 22nd September 2015	

Reports

Reports	Submitted By: Joan Martin	Item ID: 1174
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Monthly Management Report September 2015	

Items

Items	Submitted By: Bernie Woods	Item ID: 1175
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Overdraft Facility	
	To agree to extend the facility of a 5 million euro overdraft facility untill the end of December 2016	
Items	Submitted By: Joe McGuinness	Item ID: 1176
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	That this Council herby agrees to advance a loan in the sum of €152,355 to Clanmil Ireland Housing Association for the provision of 1 (one) unit of accommodation at 18 Pines Hamlet, Dublin Road, Drogheda.	

Section 183 Notice

Section 183 Notice	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1195
	Date Submitted: 06/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Disposal of Lands (Fee Simple) at 23 Ship Street	

Items

Items	Submitted By: Pat Finn	Item ID: 1177
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	To Approve the "Louth County Council, County of Louth, Speed Limit Bye-Laws 2003, 3rd Revision (Low Cost Safety Schemes) 2015"	
Items	Submitted By: Frank Pentony	Item ID: 1187
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:

	Draft Broadband Action Plan	
Items	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1178
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	For Approval "Draft Dog Litter and Dog Control Bye-Laws"	
Items	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1189
	Date Submitted: 05/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Nomination of two members to the Board of An Tain Arts Centre	
Items	Submitted By: Joe McGuinness	Item ID: 1179
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Nomination of Mr. Thomas McEvoy, Head of Enterprise, Local Enterprise Office and Mr. Michael Gaynor, President, Dundalk Chamber of Commerce to the Local Community Development Committee (LCDC)	
Items	Submitted By: Joe McGuinness	Item ID: 1180
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Nomination of one Member to the Board of Louth Sports Partnership	
Items	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1181
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Allocation of Members Community Grants September 2015	
Conference/Event		
Conference/Event	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1182
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	To approve Members attendance at the attached Conferences/Events endorsed by the Corporate Policy Group on 9th October 2015	
Questions		
Questions	Submitted By: Pearse McGeough	Item ID: 1193
	Date Submitted: 06/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	What works have Louth County Council carried out todate to prevent the ongoing problem of flooding in St Oliviers Park Kilsaran?	
Questions	Submitted By: Kenneth Flood	Item ID: 1194
	Date Submitted: 06/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Of the 29 Housing Estates Classified as unfinished in the National Survey of Unfinished Developments in County Louth, how many estates have cash bonds available to finish them, how many estates have security bonds and now many have no bonds available?	
Questions	Submitted By: Declan Breathnach	Item ID: 1196
	Date Submitted: 06/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	"A commitment was made by this Council to provide a cycle track along the full length of the new road section on the N53 from Barronstown to Hackballscross. Will the executive please circulate the latest details of the safety measures to be provided? Will the Executive provide the section view drawings of the new road to show how the safety of cyclists and walkers will be achieved?	
	Please confirm that youngsters cycling to the two secondary schools on the Castleblaney Road will be protected from traffic travelling at 100km / hr by being adequately grade separated or better still by having a speed protection barrier to protect the walkers and cyclists".	
Questions	Submitted By: Imelda Munster	Item ID: 1191
	Date Submitted: 06/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	Can this council provide a full list of vacant and boarded up properties in County Louth with a detailed list of both vacant and boarded up properties outlining how long each property has been idle - and the reasons for same along with turn around time and targets?	
Motions		
Motions	Submitted By: Mark Dearey	Item ID: 1184
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
	That Louth County Council immediately tender for a smart pay parking system in Dundalk to make it easier for people to pay their parking charges, by expanding the number of options available to them, including but not limited to1. use of debit/credit cards including contactless2. Paypal3. Parking by Text4. Parking by TagBackground informationIn the past number of years a number of references to improving the parking system in Dundalk, including a smart system that could include parking by text.1. Dundalk Town Council published a tender in October 2010 (Tender no. SEP171415) - "Supply of Installation of on-street Parking Pay & Display Machines, Dundalk"2. Draft Annual Budget 2013 listed a Priority Action "Replacement of Pay Parking Machines"3. Statutory Audit Report for year ended 31st December 2012Managers reponse to tendering issue"It is the Council's intention to tender for the supply of new pay parking machines in 2014"	
Motions	Submitted By: Kenneth Flood	Item ID: 1188
	Date Submitted: 05/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:

"This Council requests that the Louth Leader Partnership reverse the decision made by the Board of LLP in 2012 not to fund any more playgrounds in the County. This restriction on accepting applications still stands today and does not reflect the need for playground facilities in large areas of the County"

Motions	Submitted By: Imelda Munster	Item ID: 1192
	Date Submitted: 06/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
<p>Calling on Louth County Council to carry out property inspections prior to granting HAP (Housing Assistance Payment). The current policy of carrying out inspections retrospectively after granting HAP approval is causing major problems for tenants who have been served with eviction notices from landlords unwilling to carry out compliance works following inspections. This policy is adding to people presenting themselves as homeless and also creates a nightmare scenario for tenants having to search for another property when there are very few available due to chronic shortage. To have inspections prior to granting HAP approval would ensure that people/families are not living in sub-standard accommodation and that the taxpayer is not forced to subsidise sub-standard private rented accommodation.</p>		

Correspondence

Correspondence	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1197
	Date Submitted: 08/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
<p>Letter from the Minister for Justice & Equality</p> <p>Letter From an Tain Theatre re Board Nominations</p>		

Motions from Other Councils

Motions from Other Councils	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1185
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
<p>Galway County Council 30th September 2015 Sligo County Council 17th September 2015 Clare County Council 24th September 2015 Tipperary County Council 18th September 2015 Leitrim County Council x 2 28th September 2015</p>		

Reports

Reports	Submitted By: Paddy Donnelly	Item ID: 1186
	Date Submitted: 02/10/2015 00:00:00	Owners:
<p>Chief Executives Order Register</p>		