



Comhairle Contae Lú
Louth County Council

Cruinniú Ceantar Buirge Dhroichead Átha - Borough District of Drogheda Meeting
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Meeting - An Seomra Comhdhála, Sráid an Aonaigh, Dhroichead Átha - The
Conference Room, Fair Street, Drogheda - Dé Luain, 3ú Iúil 2023 ag 4:15in -
Monday, 3rd July 2023 at 4:15pm

Clár Oibre / Agenda

1.0 Minutes of Annual Meeting held on Monday 12th June 2023

G. Tuomey, Meetings Administrator

2.0 Minutes of Monthly Meeting held on Monday 12th June 2023

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Gnó Reachtúil / Statutory Business

3.0 Provision of Assistance for the promotion of interests of local community groups or projects, provided under Section 66 of the Local Government Act 2001

- Members Community Grants July 2023.

Tuarascálacha / Reports

4.0 Housing Progress Report

J. Lawrence, Acting Director of Services

5.0 Roads and Local Services Report

M. Johnston, Senior Engineer

6.0 Taking in Charge Report

K. McArdle, Assistant Engineer

Fógraí Foriarratais / Notices of Motion

7.0 Notice of Motion - Cllr. Kevin Callan

Deferred from June Meeting

Asking this Council to make contact through our litter and environment sections with businesses who operate a trolley service across the town to alert them to the high levels of trollies being recovered from the River Boyne with over 30 such trollies being removed in May all of which presented a risk to the environment, to divers in recovery operations and to rescue craft in rescues at low tides.

8.0 Notice of Motion - Cllr. Paddy McQuillan

Deferred from June Meeting

Requesting that the Council engage with Bus Eireann to explore the possibility of increasing the frequency of the 173 town buses to Ballsgrove and Moneymore. At present both buses run every hour unlike the D4 and D5 which has a frequency of every twenty minutes.

Also can the Council engage with Bus Eireann to explore the possibility of running the 173 town buses to Ballsgrove and Moneymore on Sunday.

9.0 Notice of Motion - Cllr. Paddy McQuillan

Deferred from June Meeting

Requesting that this council meet with the executive of Drogheda Wolves Basketball to explore the possibility of securing land for a Basketball Stadium for the club.

10.0 Notice of Motion - Cllr. Pio Smith

Deferred from June Meeting

"Asking that this Borough District write to Dart and Coastal North Project and request that consideration be given to widening the railway bridge on the Dublin Road so that proposed smarter travel infrastructure that incorporates walking and cycling can be accommodated"

11.0 Notice of Motion - Cllr. Pio Smith

Deferred from June Meeting

"Asking that this Borough District examine the possibility of erecting a statue in remembrance of famine victims who died in Drogheda and those that emigrated through Drogheda Port because of the famine."

12.0 Notice of Motion - Cllr. Kevin Callan

Asking this council to examine ways to manage the volume of seagulls in the Drogheda Town Centre area. This issue which is a direct result of human dumping, overfilling of bins and leaving black bag and food waste on the streets causes increase in the bird population. This motion acknowledges the considerable effort of Louth County Council staff and the litter wardens in trying to combat illegal dumping but gull volumes are no contributing to dirt on structures, cars, streets and outdoor spaces of local businesses.