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TO EACH MEMBER OF LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL JOINT POLICING COMMITTEE

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I wish to inform you that a Meeting of Limerick City and County Council Joint Policing Committee will take place in <u>The Council Chamber, Limerick City and County Council, Dooradoyle, on Friday, 10th May, 2019 at 2.00 p.m.</u>

Details of the Agenda and attachments to be discussed at the meeting set out hereunder:

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James Clune

A/Senior Executive Officer

AGENDA

- 1. Confirmation of Minutes of Joint Policing Committee Meeting held on 10th December, 2018 (copy attached).
- 2. Garda Recruitment Campaign 2019.
- 3. To receive presentation and demonstration by Garda Brian Duddy, Henry Street Roads Policing Unit, of new motorcycle presently on trial.
- 4. To receive update from Chief Superintendent.
- 5. To consider the following Question submitted by Maurice Quinlivan, T.D. and Councillor Séighin Ó Ceallaigh:

"I will ask at the next Meeting, what are the total number of crimes committed by youth(s) in 2018 in Limerick and how many of these cases have been or are in the process of being prosecuted and how many have not been followed up on accordingly".

6. To consider the following Question submitted by Maurice Quinlivan, T.D. and Councillor Séighin Ó Ceallaigh:

"I will ask at the next Meeting, what measures are being put in place to ensure there is more effective beat patrolling of our city centre streets, especially at night time to ensure a proactive deterring policing model is in place to tackle the rising issue of anti social behaviour".

7. To consider the following Question submitted by Councillor Jerry O'Dea:

"On any given Friday and Saturday evenings how many community gardai, and or Garda patrols, are available to police the current upsurge in public drinking / public order offences in greater Castletroy / Newtown / Annacotty areas".

8. To consider the following Question submitted by Councillor Jerry O'Dea:

"In the absence of governmental commitment to provide a Garda station in the rapidly growing University of Limerick / Castletroy area, will the Commissioner of An Gardai commit to provide a substation to service same?".

9. To consider the following Question submitted by Niall Collins, T.D.:

"I will ask at the next meeting of Limerick's JPC for a report on the prevalence and use, illegal or otherwise, of quads, scramblers, all terrain bikes and similarly types, across Limerick city and county, the measures being taken to curb their anti social use, in particular by minors, the numbers of same seized, impounded and/or subsequently destroyed, the number of prosecutions taken arising from incidents involving same, whether additional legislation is required and any other relevant information which can be provided".

10. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Jerry O'Dea:

"In the absence of governmental commitment to provide a Garda Station in the densely populated area that is Castletroy / Newtown / Annacotty and University of Limerick, I move that this Committee ask the Garda Commissioner to seek resources for and provide a Garda Substation in the area ".

11. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Joe Pond (referred from Meeting of Metropolitan District of Limerick held on 21st January, 2019):

"Following ongoing anti social behaviour in Annacotty, Castletroy, Castleconnell areas and the appointment of a new permanent Garda Sergeant to the Castleconnell Garda Station providing cover to Annacotty, Castletroy and Castleconnell areas, I move that Limerick City and County Council would engage with the Minister for Justice and the Garda Commissioner to obtain the necessary funding to allow the Castleconnell Garda Station to open 24 hours daily to serve the needs of this vast area.

12. To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Paul Keller:

"I propose, since the existing road traffic legislation does not apply to green spaces, housing estates, public parks or car parks and footpaths, that tough robust laws to cover quad bike and scrambler use be introduced to cover the illegal use in the above commonly used areas".