



3rd February, 2023

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To: The Cathaoirleach and Each Member of the Municipal District of Newcastle West

A Chomhairleoir, a chara,

You are requested to attend a Meeting of the Municipal District of Newcastle West to be held in Áras William Smith O'Brien, Newcastle West, Co. Limerick on Friday, 10th February, 2023, at 10.00 a.m. The business to be transacted is set out on the appended Agenda.

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Martin Curran,
Meetings Administrator.

A G E N D A

1. Minutes

(a) To adopt Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal District of Newcastle West held on 11th January, 2023.

(Copy Enclosed)

2. Planning, Environment and Place-Making Directorate

To consider the Chief Executive's Report pursuant to Section 179 of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), and Part 8 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended), in relation to the proposed Part 8 Housing Scheme at Sycamore Crescent, Gortboy, Newcastle West, Co. Limerick.

(Report Enclosed)

3. Disposal of Land

To note proposal for the disposal of land at rear of 13 Michael Hartnett Close, Newcastle West, Co. Limerick.

(Report Enclosed)

4. Transportation and Mobility Directorate

To receive Update on Maintenance of River Feale, Abbeyfeale.

5. General Municipal Allocation

To review position in relation to allocations under the General Municipal Allocation 2023.

ADJOURNED NOTICE OF MOTION

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor T. Ruddle

6. I will move at the next Meeting that due to the shockingly bad level of service in fixing blown public lights which are now taking months if at all to get fixed, that Limerick City and County Council meet with Airtricity with a view to improving the service.

No lighting leads to anti-social behaviour and people do not feel safe walking around at night, this should be a priority for this Council.

QUESTIONS

Questions submitted by Councillor F. Foley

7. I will ask at the next Meeting for an update on the footpath at Lower Athea.

8. I will ask at the next Meeting (a) When can we expect the resurfacing works on the road from Mountmahon to start (b) In the meantime, until works begin can patching be done on the worst parts on this stretch of road.

Questions submitted by Councillor J. Scanlan

9. I will ask at the next Meeting when Number 4 and 5 Lower Maiden Street, Newcastle West will be tenanted.

10. I will ask at the next Meeting that remedial work be undertaken on the section of the road linking the River Arra and the Bridge of Tears Roundabout.

11. I will ask at the next Meeting when works to the stone wall linking the rear of Churchtown Grotto to the side entrance to St. David's Cemetery will be restored/repaired.

Questions submitted by Councillor L. Galvin

12. I will ask at the next Meeting for a detailed report on the Abbeyfeale Traffic Management Plan (a) Programme of works (Stage by Stage) (b) Detailed plans (c) Costings (d) Start Dates.
13. I will ask at the next Meeting for an update on the Graveyard, Abbeyfeale. What stage is it at?.

Questions submitted by Councillor M. Collins

14. I will ask at the next Meeting for an update on the progress of a plan to upgrade and provide a proper, modern and purposeful playground in Newcastle West.
15. I will ask at the next Meeting for an update on the progress of the provision of a theatre/arts centre in Newcastle West Town.

NOTICES OF MOTION

Notices of Motion submitted by Councillor J. Scanlan

16. I will move at the next Meeting that footpath renewal be prioritised for each of the following sections of pathway in Newcastle West: (a) The Mass Path through to Assumpta Park (b) DB Printing on the Bóthar Bui Road towards the junction with Killeline (c) Along St. Ita's Road to its junction with the Beechwood Estates.
17. I will move at the next Meeting that an immediate plan be implemented to restore all vacant/derelict Council properties in the Municipality.

Notices of Motion submitted by Councillor L. Galvin

18. I will move at the next Meeting that this Council puts in place a plan for to keep roads clear from frost and snow where vulnerable persons reside. For example, the Brothers of Charity Residential units - Nursing homes and other care facilities for vulnerable people especially on higher ground.
19. I will move at the next Meeting that a disability bay be put in place down Whites Passage, Meenoline South next to the Greenway.

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor J. Sheahan

20. I will move at the next Meeting that Tabletop ramps be put in at the junctions where the R524 and R523 intersect in Athea Village, also on the R523 on the approach from Listowel in proximity to entering the village.

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor M. Collins

21. I will move at the next Meeting that Scanlan's Lane, Newcastle West, be made a one way system towards Assumpta Park in the interest of pedestrian and vehicular safety.