



Ordinary Meeting

Ashbourne Municipal District

9.30a.m., 20th April 2015, Ashbourne Civic Offices

- 1 Confirmation of Minutes
 - 1.1 Confirmation of minutes of Ordinary Meeting held on 9th March, 2015.
 - 1.2 Confirmation of minutes of Special Meeting held on 30th March, 2015.
- 2 Matters arising from the Minutes
- 3 Expressions of Sympathy and Congratulations
- 4 To receive a presentation from Mary Murphy, Meath Local Sports Partnership Overview of the LSP.
- 5 Statutory Business
 - 5.1 Transportation
 - 5.1.1 To receive a report outlining the timeframe for the delivery of objectives INF OBJ 1, 2, 7 and 9 from the Ashbourne Local Area Plan in relation to improvements on the Milltown Road.
 - 5.2 Environment
 - 5.2.1 To receive an update on the Ashbourne Fingal East Meath FRAM
 - 5.3 Community
 - 5.3.1 To receive an update on Ashbourne & District Community Centre





6 Notice of Question

6.1 Submitted by Councillor Alan Tobin

"Can I request the draft schedule for the road sweeper in Ashbourne so Councillors can inform the citizens of Ashbourne as to when the road sweeper will be in the town as this is an eagerly awaited event? Can I also request the schedule of areas that are likely to be swept and on what dates, so we can make provisions to ensure that there are few restrictions in and around housing estates? We would also like to enshrine the date of its arrival and celebrate, as we herald a new era in the Ashbourne Municipal District."

6.2 Submitted by Councillor Seán Smith

"Can Meath County Council provide information on the sources of drainage which flow through the underground pipe network and exits into the Broadmeadow River in front of Killegland apartments beneath where a pedestrian bridge was formerly located?"

6.3 Submitted by Councillor Claire O'Driscoll

"The council website discusses the Tara Skyrne Landscape Project in detail and was very active over the period of 2009 and 2010 as noted from minuted meetings on the website. Can the executive inform us of how the project has developed since the end of 2010 with respect to developing it as a cultural tourist site, the achievements made and the limitations experienced in the time until April 2015?"

6.4 Submitted by Councillor Darren O'Rourke

"Can the executive please outline the funding allocated to the Ashbourne Municipal District from the recently announced social housing building fund and the detail of plans to spend this money, including the number of houses to be bought and built in the Ashbourne MD before the end of 2015?"

7 Notice of Motion

7.1 Submitted by Councillor Darren O'Rourke





"That Ashbourne Municipal District calls for the establishment of a local Joint Policing Committee as a sub-committee of the Meath JPC and that this would mirror the Ashbourne Garda District."

7.2 Submitted by Councillor Alan Tobin

"I call on this Council to introduce, with the support and input of all Councillors, "Byelaws" in the Ashbourne Municipal District to help manage on street parking in the centre of villages and towns and outside schools and playgrounds."

7.3 Submitted by Councillor Alan Tobin

"I call on Meath County Council to devise a system specifically for the payment of bonds for small developments, i.e. under 20 units, as insurance companies will no longer insure bonds and this is causing delays in the supply of housing. This motion will help small businesses to grow and increase housing stock throughout the county."

8 Correspondence

- 8.1 Correspondence received from Private Secretary to Minister for Transport, Tourism & Sport, Paschal Donohoe, T.D. in response to Item 7.5 Notice of Motion as adopted at the March meeting.
- 8.2 Correspondence received from Community and Enterprise Department, Meath County Council with regard to 2015 Meath Pride of Place Competition.
 - 8.2.1 Royal Bloom Blank Application Form 2015.
 - 8.2.2 Pride of Place Housing Estates Application Form 2015.
 - 8.2.3 Additional Information Pack 2015.
 - 8.2.4 Pride of Place 2015 Press Release.





9 Any Other Business

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