



Ordinary Meeting

8th June 2015, Council Chamber

- 1 Confirmation of Minutes
 - 1.1 Confirmation of minutes of Ordinary meeting held on 11th May 2015.
- 2 Matters arising from the Minutes
- 3 Expressions of Sympathy and Congratulations
- 4 Disposal of Land in accordance with Statutory Notices circulated pursuant to the provisions of Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001
- 5 Statutory Business
 - 5.1 Planning
 - 5.1.1 To receive the Councillors' views in respect of a proposed development by Element Power Ireland Ltd , the subject of the Chief Executive's report to An Bord Pleanála of May 2015 (as circulated) and if thought fit, to resolve to attach recommendations to that report in accordance with Section 37(E) of the Planning and Development Acts 2000-2014.
- 6 Reports
 - 6.1 Report from the Corporate Policy Group
 - 6.2 Report from the Protocol Committee
- 7 Correspondence
 - 7.1 Circular Letter WP 04/15 Department of Environment, Community and Local Government re. Waste Management (Collection Permit) (Amendment) Regulations





2015; and Waste Management (Facility Permit and Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2015.

7.2 Correspondence from Dublin City Council as lead authority for the Eastern-Midlands Waste Management Plan Region.

8 Notice of Question

8.1 Submitted by Councillor Darren O' Rourke

'To ask the Chief Executive how many houses are planned to be bought by Meath County Council by year end; and for the location of same. Ceist a chur ar an bPríomhfheidhmeannach an méad teach atá sé ar intinn ag Comhairle Contae na Mí a cheannach roimh deireadh na bliana agus a suíomh a chur in iúl. '

9 Notice of Motion

9.1 Submitted by Councillor Wayne Forde

"The members of Meath County Council, call on the Government to review the funding allocation to Meath County Council taking into account the significant growth in population and the increasing demand for a diverse range of services across six Municipal Districts."

9.2 Submitted by Councillor Wayne Forde

"Can I call on my fellow Councillors to fully support my motion of opposition to the company Element Power re the construction of the Maighne wind farms across Longwood Clonard and Enfield, and other parts of Meath."

9.3 Submitted by Councillor Alan Tobin

"To ask Meath County Council to ringfence all monies collected for dog licences and fines etc. to be used exclusively for supporting initiatives including dog foul bins, signage including dangerous breeds and education services. This money should also be used to support the pound as well as control measures including neutering."





9.4 Submitted by Councillor Alan Tobin

"I ask that Meath County Council undertake a further review of the website meath.ie in order to include new features like detailed district maps and introduce a mobile enabled design so that the website can be used on the go and in particular by visitors to our county."

9.5 Submitted by Councillor Michael Gallagher

'That this council reaffirms its opposition to the proposed Emlagh windfarm and affirms its opposition to Maighne windfarm; calls for the immediate publication of the new windfarm planning guidelines and, acknowledging that there is an outstanding court judgement on the SID status of the Emlagh windfarm, calls for the suspension of all windfarms planning applications until such time as they can be assessed in the context of said court judgement and the new windfarm planning guidelines.' Go n-athdhearbhaíonn an Chomhairle seo a cur i gcoinne feirm gaoithe Imleach Bheagáin agus go ndearbhaíonn sí a cur i gcoinne feirm gaoithe Maighne; go n-éilíonn sí foilsiúcháin láithreach na treoirlínte nua pleanála fheirme gaoithe agus á n-aithint go bhfuil breithiúnas cúirte faoi bhun maidir le stadás SID fheirm gaoithe Imleach Bheagáin, éilíonn sí gach iarratas pleanála a chur ar fionraí go dtí gur féidir iad a mheasúnú i gcomhthéacs an bhreithiúnais sin agus na dtreoirlínte nua pleanála fheirme gaoithe.'

9.6 Submitted by Sinn Féin Cllrs.

'That this Council will review its approach to the maintenance and upkeep of housing estates and engagement with residents there to ensure that all estates in the county receive an excellent service from Meath County Council in relation to: infrastructure upkeep and maintenance, litter management, grass cutting, address of anti-social behaviour, etc; that the council should consider the establishment of an estate management unit with dedicated countywide or Municipal District responsibility and that its schedule of engagement should be available publicly. Go ndéanfar an Chomhairle seo athbhreithniú ar an gcur chuige atá aici ar chothabháil eastát tithíochta agus ar theagmháil le cónaitheoirí chun go gcinnteofar go ngeofar gach eastát sa Chontae seirbhís den scoth ó Chomhairle Chontae na Mí maidir le cothabháil , bainistiú dramhaíola, bearradh féir agus díriú ar iompraíocht fhrithshóisialta; go gcuirfidh an Chomhairle bunú roinn bainistiú eastát faoi chaibidil le freagracht tiomnaithe uilechontae/Bhardas agus go mbeidh an sceideal teagmhála ar fáil go poiblí.'





9.7 Submitted by Councillor Darren O' Rourke

'That this Council declares its intention to begin the process of reducing, by the maximum reasonable level, the rate of LPT payable by householders. Go bhfógrófar an Chomhairle seo an cuspóir atá aici tús a chur le próiseas ísliú, an méid is féidir ar bhonn réasúnta, an ráta CMA atá le íoc ag sealbhóirí tí.

10 Chief Executive's Report and Schedule of Chief Executive & Approved Orders (For Information Only)

- 10.1 Schedule of Chief Executive's Orders Transportation
- 10.2 Schedule of Chief Executive's Orders Environment
- 10.3 Schedule of Chief Executive's Orders Housing Construction

11 Any Other Business