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Ordinary Meeting 10th June 2013, Council Chamber

1.0 Confirmation of Minutes

- 1.1 Confirmation of minutes of Ordinary meeting held on 13th May, 2013.

2.0 Matters arising from the Minutes

3.0 Expressions of Sympathy and Congratulations

4.0 Disposal of Land in accordance with Statutory Notices circulated pursuant to the provisions of Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001

5.0 Statutory Business

5.1 Corporate Services

- 5.1.1 To receive the Local Electoral Area Boundary Committee Report 2013 and a short presentation in relation to the effect of the Report on County Meath.

5.2 Planning

- 5.2.1 To consider the Manager's Report in accordance with Part VIII of the Planning & Development Acts 2000-2012 and the Planning & Development Regulations 2001-2012 - To construct a pedestrian and cycle greenway facility from Drogheda Ramparts to the entrance of Oldbridge Estate as recommended by the Slane Electoral Area Committee and if thought fit, to approve the said report.
- 5.2.2 To consider the taking in charge of Race Hill Lodge, Ashbourne and the making of a declaration that the roads within the estate shall be public roads in accordance with Section 11 Roads Act 1993 and the Planning & Development Act 2000-2012 as recommended by the Dunshaughlin Area Members at the May monthly committee meeting on Monday 20th May 2013.

5.3 Transportation

- 5.3.1 To consider the Extinguishment of the Public Right of Way on the L-62143-O Ardrum's Great, Agher, Rathmolyon, Co Meath.



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6.0 Report from Protocol Committee

- 6.1 To consider amendment(s) to Standing Orders in accordance with Schedule 10.16 Local Government Act 2001 (as recommended by the Protocol Committee), (report to be circulated).

7.0 Correspondence

- 7.1 Correspondence from Office of the Minister for Social and Family Affairs re Local Authority Social Employment Scheme.
- 7.2 Correspondence from Office of Public Works re future of Kilmessan Garda Station (*In response to Notice of Motion passed at the April Monthly Meeting*).
- 7.3 Circular Letter: PL 7/13 – Ministerial Directions Issued under Section 31 since Enactment of the Planning and Development (Amendment) Act 2010.
- 7.4 Correspondence from Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport Re. Community Involvement Schemes.
- 7.5 Correspondence from Valuation Office re. commercial rating of Sporting Clubs. (*In response to Notice of Motion passed at the March Monthly Meeting*)
- 7.6 Note of Meeting with Minister of Transport held on the 21st May 2013.
- 7.7 Student Grant Scheme 2013 – Academic Year 2013/2014.
- 7.8 Correspondence from Department of Environment, Community and Local Government – Local Property Tax. (*In response to Notice of Motion passed at the March Monthly Meeting*).

8.0 Notice of Question

- 8.1 Submitted by Councillor Francis Deane

“Regarding plans to introduce brown bins to residents of Navan in July making it necessary for households to segregate food waste from biodegradable waste, I’d like to ask:

a) if this will impose an additional cost to householders?

b) where will the waste permit holders dispose of the contents of the brown bins?”

- 8.2 Submitted by Councillor Bryan Reilly

“Can the manager clarify the very specific conditions under which the Community Involvement Scheme will operate and whether monetary payments will be required from householders on roads listed for the scheme.”



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- 8.3 Submitted by Councillor John V Farrelly

“To ask the County Manager to confirm that the residents on the roads approved under the Community Involvement Scheme will be given the time to consider their contribution based on the estimate they will receive from the Council. Will the residents be allowed to give labour hours in lieu of the full monetary contribution? Can you also clarify that the Council’s insurance will cover the residents while they are involved and that the work will be supervised. Subject to Department approval, can the full scheme be implemented this year with the balance of funding recouped from the Department in 2014?”

- 8.4 Submitted by Councillor Oliver Fox

“Can the County Manager give an update on the implementation of Bye Laws regarding anti social behaviour in and around playgrounds as per Notice of Motion passed at Full Council Meeting Oct 2011.”

9.0 Notice of Motion

- 9.1 Submitted by Councillor Shane Cassells

“In light of the new Small Hospital Report, which has stated that Navan will become a Model 2 Hospital and so lose its 24/7 emergency service, that this Council pass a resolution requesting an immediate meeting with all of the Meath Oireachtas members to establish where the commitment, given by Fine Gael TDs and Councillor Catherine Yore in February 2011 for the construction of a new Regional Hospital in Navan within five years, now stands and an update on the discussions with private investors to build this facility as indicated to this chamber in January, 2013 by Fine Gael Councillors.”

- 9.2 Submitted by Cllrs. Shane Cassells, Noel Leonard, Nick Killian, Wayne Harding, Oliver Fox, Jimmy Fegan, Bryan Reilly:

“That Meath County Council make an application to Government in respect of our roads funding allocation seeking the creation of a special five year rolling fund – above and beyond the normal county allocation - for the purpose of tackling the deteriorating road network in the Kells electoral area and that this application is based on the needs analysis of the conditions of the roads and the extensive network in this particular region of the county as compared to others”.

- 9.3 Submitted by Councillor Joe Reilly

“Members of Meath Co. Council note the recommendation at the recent inquest into the death of Isaac Agaba-Adeyefa by the Meath Coroner and the adoption of the jury of the coroner’s recommendation that the Government changes the laws to allow the Health and Safety Authority (HAS,) a statutory agency, be part of the investigation of such tragic incidents.

Meath Co Council therefore calls on the Minister for jobs, Enterprise and Innovation to introduce ministerial regulations, or if necessary legislation, to allow



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ministers to call on the Health and Safety Authority (HSA) to help investigate a death or injury where their technical expertise could be of benefit to the investigation."

- 9.4 Submitted by Councillor Joe Reilly

"That Meath Co Council, alarmed at the steady rise in suicide rates in Ireland in recent year, calls on the Government to increase funding to organisations & services active in suicide prevention and support for families affected by suicide. Council calls for an All Ireland National Suicide Authority to be set up with the aim of synchronising the efforts of all anti-suicide organisations and creating clarity and unity in suicide prevention."

- 9.5 Submitted by Cllrs. John V Farrelly, W. Carey, M. Murphy, A. Dillon Gallagher.

"I call on the members of Meath County Council to congratulate Minister Brendan Howlin, Kieran Mulvey CEO of LRC, The Trade Union leaders and especially the members and staff of the public service for their continuing commitment to the national recovery by agreeing the Haddington Road agreement under very difficult circumstances for themselves and their families."

- 9.6 Submitted by Cllrs. John V Farrelly, C. Yore, E. Cassidy and W. Carey

"That Meath County Council welcomes the 70 jobs announcement for Kells and to congratulate Hugh Morris, Connect Ireland and the Council's Economic Development Section for encouraging Mafic Ltd. to establish their European Head Quarters in Co. Meath and to encourage others to register with Connect Ireland."

- 9.7 Submitted by Councillor Tommy Reilly

"I am requesting this Council to have a full and open debate regarding the use of fluoridation of water in County Meath."

- 9.8 Submitted by Councillor Tommy Reilly

"That this Council calls on the new Economic Forum to prioritise the building of the Regional Hospital to create jobs in County Meath."

10.0 Schedule of Manager's & Approved Orders (For Information Only)

- 10.1 Schedule of Manager's Orders - Infrastructure
- 10.2 Schedule of Manager's Orders - Environment
- 10.3 Schedule of Manager's Orders – Housing Construction
- 10.4 Schedule of Manager's Orders – Community & Enterprise



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11.0 Presentations by other Bodies/Statutory Agencies (None)

12.0 Any Other Business

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