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## ***Miontuairiscí / Meeting Minutes***

### ***Navan Municipal District***

#### ***Annual Meeting***

***12.00 p.m., 13<sup>th</sup> June 2022, Navan Civic Offices***

An Meára, Councillor Padraig Fitzsimons, presided.

**Councillors Present:** Yemi Adenuga, Francis Deane, Edward Fennessy, Alan Lawes, Emer Tóibín.

**Officials in Attendance:**

**Director of Service:** Martin Murray

**Staff Officer:** Triona Keating

**Clerical Officer:** Edita Asaciova

**Apologies:** Claire King, Meetings Administrator

The Mayor, Councillor Padraig Fitzsimons, opened the meeting by thanking the management and staff for their help, support and guidance throughout the year. He thanked his Deputy Mayor, Councillor Tommy Reilly, for his support and advice and his councillor colleagues for their help and support during his term. He acknowledged the ongoing impact of Covid but welcomed the gradual return to normal practices. He highlighted the significant progress made in Navan throughout the year, including the Navan 2030 scheme, and the positive impact for all sectors of the community. He referred to the meeting taking place today with the HSE and expressed the hope that this would have a positive outcome for the A&E Department in Navan Hospital. He also acknowledged the progress made in Navan in relation to today's published IBAL report. He congratulated those who received awards as part of the recent Pride of Place and MD Civic Awards events. He urged that efforts continue to secure the provision of the Navan rail line and concluded by thanking everyone for their roles during the year.

Councillors congratulated Councillor Fitzsimons on his term of office.

#### **1 Election of Mayor / Meára**

**Councillor Edward Fennessy, proposed by Councillor Francis Deane and seconded by Councillor Alan Lawes, was elected unopposed and assumed the chair.**



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Councillors congratulated Councillor Fennessy on his election, acknowledging his family's long association with the town and wished him well in the role. Tributes were also paid to the work of the late councillor, Joe Reilly. Councillor Fennessy thanked his councillor colleagues for their support and confirmed that he was looking forward to working with councillors and officials in the coming year. He thanked the outgoing mayor and thanked his family for their ongoing support. He also thanked his party for their support. He identified a number of projects that he looked forward to progressing in the coming year including Blackwater Park, the Greenways, the Navan 2030 scheme, the regeneration plans for Flower Hill and the bridge over the Blackwater.

### **2 Election of Deputy Mayor / Leas-Mheára**

Councillor Francis Deane, proposed by Councillor Tommy Reilly and seconded by Councillor Padraig Fitzsimons, was elected unopposed.

Councillor Francis Deane thanked councillors for their support and looked forward to everyone working together for the benefit of the town and county.

On behalf of the executive, Martin Murray congratulated Councillors Edward Fennessy and Francis Deane on their election, thanked the outgoing Mayor and Deputy Mayor for their support throughout the year and drew attention to the significant investment being made in various projects in Navan.

### **3 To agree the 2022-2023 Schedule of Meetings**

Meetings will commence at 10.00 a.m. on the following dates:

Municipal District: Navan	Venue: Navan Civic Offices
Date	Type
Wednesday, 13 <sup>th</sup> July 2022	Ordinary
Wednesday, 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2022	Ordinary
Wednesday, 12 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	Ordinary
Wednesday, 23 <sup>rd</sup> November 2022	Ordinary
Wednesday, 14 <sup>th</sup> December 2022	Ordinary
Wednesday, 18 <sup>th</sup> January 2023	Ordinary
Wednesday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2023	Ordinary



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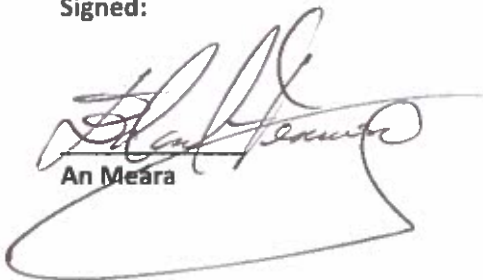
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Wednesday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2023 (changed due to St. Patrick's Day)	Ordinary
Wednesday, 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2023	Ordinary
Wednesday, 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2023	Ordinary
Wednesday, 21 <sup>st</sup> June 2023	Annual
Wednesday, 21 <sup>st</sup> June 2023	Ordinary

This was agreed on the proposal of Councillor Francis Deane and seconded by Councillor Edward Fennessy.

This concluded the business of the meeting.

Signed:

  
An Meara

