

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

### **Ordinary Meeting**

#### **Trim Municipal District**

**2.00pm, 27<sup>th</sup> June 2025, Trim Civic Offices**

**An Cathaoirleach, Councillor Ronan Moore**, presided.

**Councillors Present:** Pádraig Coffey, Joe Fox, Paul O'Rourke, Dave Boyne, Noel French

**Councillors Present via Zoom:**

**Apologies/absent:**

**Officials in Attendance:**

**Director of Service:** Des Foley

**Meetings Administrator:** Francis Regan

**Municipal District Engineer:** Donna Pringle

**Assistant Staff Officer:** Stephen Carey

#### **1.0 To receive a deputation from the Trim Women's Shed**

Representatives from Trim Womens Shed presented a comprehensive presentation to the Members stating their objectives and future aspirations. Primarily, the purpose of the presentation was to inform Elected Members and the Directorate of their need for:

- An accessible and secure space to administer their programs in a welcoming HUB.
- The need for financial support.
- Strategic collaboration between Trim Women's Shed and the County Council.
- Can a site be secured beside the sensory garden to install a poly tunnel?

All Members recognise the important work and contribution that the Trim Women's Shed makes to Trim and the surrounding community.

#### **2.0 Confirmation of Minutes from the Ordinary Meeting of 23rd May 2025**

The minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025 were confirmed on the proposal of **Councillor Joe Fox** and seconded by **Councillor Pádraig Coffey**.

#### **3.0 Matters arising from the Minutes**

There were none.

#### **4.0 Expressions of Sympathy and Congratulations**

Expressions of sympathy were extended to:

- To the Murphy family on the passing of Pierce Murphy.

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### **5.0 Statutory Business**

#### **5.1 Transportation**

- 5.1.1** To receive a Progress Report on works undertaken/planned for Trim Municipal District.

The report circulated in advance and was noted. Interventions included:

- On the approach to Enfield roundabout can the existing line markings be realigned or better signage installed.
- Overgrown vegetation at Scarriff bridge, Ballinabrackey and Castlejordan junction is causing car mirrors to be clipped. Can this be cut back?
- Recent road safety improvements at Baconstown National School have been much improved. However, it is felt that a pedestrian crossing is still needed between the two schools on the same road.
- Can Members have access to a platform where they can track existing and previous reps, and reps made by other members in hope that they avoid duplicating reps that other Members may have submitted.
- Can a letter issue to An Garda Síochána asking that the Speed Camera Van be deployed once again on the Summerhill Road opposite Trim Celtic FC as this proved successful when last deployed.

The MD Engineer provided responses.

#### **5.2 Corporate Affairs & Governance**

- 5.2.1** To note the Municipal District Allocations submitted by Councillors on behalf of Trim Municipal District

The report circulated in advance was noted.

### **6.0 Economic Development**

- 6.1** To receive an update on the Enfield Town Centre First Plan  
Members requested an update from Transport for the July meeting.

### **7.0 Notice of Questions**

There were none.

### **8.0 Notice of Motions**

There were none.

### **9.0 Correspondence**

There was none.

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#### **10.0 Any Other Business**

- Can we have an update on Navan to Trim Pathfinder project?
- Can a presentation from Transport be given to Members on the Trim Town Centre Masterplan?
- Can we have an update on what are the proposed plans for St. Mary's school on Patrick Street? Should Minister McEntee be approached regarding a possible long-term lease? Could this be used for community amenities?
- Update on the footpath to be added from Marcie's to the Navan Road.
- Cllr. Dave Boyne suggested that MD Meetings be held in the OPW building as it is a larger space that provides for greater public access.
- The old Steps Public house. Cllr French is of the opinion that a preservation order should be placed on this building and should be listed.

The meeting concluded at 3.00pm.

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