

**COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LAOISE
LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL**

Áras an Chontae,
Portlaoise,
Co. Laois.

December 6th 2005

TO: THE CATHAOIRLEACH & EACH MEMBER OF LAOIS COUNTY
COUNCIL

A Chara,

Tionólfar cruinniú de Comhairle Chontae Laoise i Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise Dé Luain -12iú Nollaig 2005 ar 11.00 a.m. chun an gnó seo leanas a chur i grích.

Tá orm a iarraigh ort bheith i láthair.

You are requested to attend the December Monthly Meeting of the Council, to be held in Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise on Monday, December 12th 2005 at 11.00 a.m. to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

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Gerry Gillen
Senior Executive Officer
Corporate Affairs Department

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AGENDA

- (1) Confirmation of minutes of the November Monthly Meeting held on the 28th of November 2005 (documentation enclosed)
- (2) Election of a Committee of eight members to work with the N.R.A. during the construction on the M7/M8 Motorway

- (3) Policy Documents as recommended by the Planning & Transportation S.P.C.
- (a) Draft Policy on Graiguecullen Local Area Plan (documentation enclosed)
 - (b) Draft Policy on Portarlinton Local Area Plan (documentation enclosed)
 - (c) Draft Policy on Portlaoise Local Area Plan (documentation enclosed)
 - (d) Draft Policy on Mountmellick Local Area Plan (documentation enclosed)
 - (e) Draft Policy on Wireless Broadband for Rural Areas (documentation enclosed)
 - (f) Draft Policy on Integral Public Transport for Laois (documentation enclosed)
- (4) Policy Document as recommended by the Economic Development & County Promotion S.P.C. - "Development of the National Academy for Languages, Occupational and Citizenship Skills, in Portlaoise" (documentation enclosed)
- (5) (a) Taking in Charge of:-
- (i) Ralish Group Water Scheme (documentation enclosed)
 - (ii) Ballygormill Group Water Scheme (documentation enclosed)
 - (iii) Beleady Group Water Scheme (documentation enclosed)
- (b) Taking in Charge of:
- (i) Forest Park, Borris Road (documentation enclosed)
- (6) Council Response on Taximeter Areas and Taxi Fares (documentation previously circulated)
- (7) Multi-Annual Roads Programme 2006 - 2008 (documentation enclosed)
- (8) Disposal of land under Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001. Notices already circulated in respect of:-
- (i) Disposal of 14 sq. yds at Wolfe Tone Street, Mountmellick in the townland of Townsparks to John O' Carroll, Carroll O' Keefe & Co. Ltd., The Green, Clonaslee for a consideration of €1,000 (documentation enclosed)
 - (ii) Disposal of 0.023 hectares at Clonminam, Portlaoise in the townland of Knockmay to Margaret Douglas, Rathleague, Portlaoise for a consideration of €5,000 (documentation enclosed)
 - (iii) Disposal of 0.021 acres at 3 St. Patrick's Terrace, Borris-in-Ossory in the townland of Borris-in-Ossory to Ann & Declan Barry, 3 St. Patrick's Terrace, Borris-in-Ossory for a consideration of €127 (documentation enclosed)
 - (iv) Disposal of Equity Part of Shared Ownership Loans (documentation enclosed)

- (9) (i) Approval of the elected Council to the raising of a loan not exceeding €1.2 m from the Housing Finance Agency in respect of 10 Affordable Housing Units at Corbally, Rosenallis (documentation enclosed)
- (ii) Approval of the elected Council to the raising of a loan not exceeding €1.2 m from the Housing Finance Agency in respect of 10 Affordable Housing Units at Woodbrook, Mountrath (documentation enclosed)
- (iii) Approval of the elected Council to the raising of a loan not exceeding €101,000 from the Housing Finance Agency for the purchase of 1.8 acres of land at Doonane, Crettyard (documentation enclosed)
- (10) Permission to use the Laois County Council Crest on The United Nations Veterans Association Portlaoise Flag
- (11) Correspondence.
- (12) Notice of Motions

Notice of Motion No: 43/05 - Councillor James Daly

"That Laois County Council clarify their policy with regard to building relief roads around town centres and then granting planning permission for developers to construct roundabouts and traffic lights on these same roads to facilitate developments. This in turn leads to traffic congestion on the outer roads which were originally built for the purpose of relieving congestion"

Notice of Motion No: 44/05 - Councillors Bill Delaney, John Joe Fennelly, Brendan Phelan, Ray Cribbin, Michael Rice, Dick Miller, Catherine Fitzgerald, Jerry Lodge, Michael Moloney, Seamus McDonald & Paddy Bracken

"That this Council reaffirms it's well known policy in relation to Waste Management in that no refuse from outside the County of Laois is to be taken at Kyletelisha"

Notice of Motion No: 45/05 - Councillor Jerry Lodge

"That this Council requests that the Director of the BMW Region would attend our next meeting to account for the low level of regional spending in Laois"

Notice of Motion No: 46/05 - Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald

"That this Council provide emergency accommodation for victims of domestic violence"

