# COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LAOISE LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise, Co. Laois.

22<sup>nd</sup> January 2008

#### TO: THE CATHAOIRLEACH & EACH MEMBER OF LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

A Chara,

Tionólfar cruinniú de Comhairle Chontae Laoise i Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise <u>Dé Luain</u> <u>–28iú Eanair 2008 ar 11.00 a.m.</u> chun an gnó seo leanas a chur i grich.

Tá orm a iarraigh ort bheith i láthair.

You are requested to attend the January Monthly Meeting of the Council, to be held in Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise on **Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup> 2008 at 11.00 a.m.** to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

Mise le meas,

Carmel McNicholl
Senior Executive Officer
Corporate Affairs Department

## CLÁR GNÓ AGENDA

- (1) (a) Confirmation of the Minutes of the December meeting held on the 17<sup>th</sup> of December 2007 (documentation enclosed)
  - **(b)** Confirmation of the Minutes of the Statutory Budget Meeting held on the 19<sup>th</sup> of December 2007 (documentation enclosed)
- (2) Disposal of land under Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 Notices already circulated in respect of:-
  - (a) Disposal of 28 sq. metres at Castletown, Mountrath in the townland of Churchfield to the E.S.B. (for E.S.B. Sub-Station), for a consideration of €1.00 (documentation enclosed)
  - **(b)** Disposal of freehold at 25 Beladd, Portlaoise in the townland of Beladd, for a consideration of €127 (documentation enclosed)

- (3) Part VIII of the Local Government (Planning & Development) Regulations, 2001 2007 in respect of
  - (a) Ballacolla/Killenaey Group Water Scheme (documentation enclosed)
- (4) Amendments to the Road Traffic (Speed Limits) (County of Laois) Bye-Laws 2007 (documentation enclosed)
- (5) (a) For noting County Manager's Report on the implementation of the County Development Plan 2006-2012 (report circulated on the 03/01/08)
  - (b) Fix date for Planning Workshop
- (6) 12.30 p.m. Presentation by Mr. Karl Page, Project Manager, Iarnróid Eireann, on the National Traincare Depot, Togher
- (7) Correspondence
- (8) Notice of Motions

### Notice of Motion No. 01/08 – Councillor Brian Stanley

"That this Council contacts the Office of the Minister for Communications to demand that a plan of action be implemented to provide broadband coverage to all areas of Laois"

## Notice of Motion No: 02/08 - Councillor Michael Moloney

"In view of the Government announcement that it has no option but to direct County Councils to impose water charges on schools and as our Council has not budgeted for additional revenues from the imposition of water charges that we as a Council make a special grant available to each primary school in the County equal to any monies collected from the imposition of this rate and that until such time that primary schools are adequately funded by Government, this arrangement remain in place"

