COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LAOISE LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise, Co. Laois.

July 22nd 2015

TO: THE CATHAOIRLEACH & EACH MEMBER OF LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

A Chara,

Tionólfar cruinniú de Comhairle Chontae Laoise i Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise <u>Dé</u> <u>Luain –27ú Iuíl 2015 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 July Monthly Meeting of the Council, to be held in Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise on <u>Monday</u>, <u>July 27th 2015 at 11.00 a.m.</u> to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

Irene Delaney
Administrative Officer
Corporate Affairs Department

CLÁR GNÓ AGENDA

- (1) (a) Confirmation of the Minutes of the June Meeting of Laois County Council held on the 29th of June 2015 (documentation enclosed)
 - (b) Confirmation of the Minutes of the A.G.M. of Laois County Council held on the 29th of June 2015 (documentation enclosed)
- (2) (a) Reports on Municipal District Meetings held in June 2015 for noting (documentation enclosed)
 - (b) Reports on SPC Meetings held in June 2015 for noting (documentation enclosed)
- (3) Appointment of Chief Executive for Laois County Council.

- (4) Laois County Council Monthly Management Report for June 2015 (in accordance with Circular Letter LG 18/2014) (documentation enclosed)
- (5) Taking in Charge of 'Ashton Manor' Portlaoise, Co. Laois. (documentation enclosed)
- (6) Draft Fire & Emergency Operations Plan (documentation enclosed)
- (7) Draft Litter Management Plan 2015-2017 (documentation enclosed)
- (8) Fix date in September for Local Property Tax Meeting Notice of Consideration of setting a Local Adjustment Factor
- (9) Laois Local Community Development Committee Annual Report 2014 for noting (documentation enclosed)
- (10) (a) Update on the 1916 Commemorations by Ms. Catherine Casey, Heritage Officer
 - (b) Sister Cities Summit 2016
- (11) 12.00 noon Presentation by Ms. Michelle de Forge, Director, Dunamaise Arts Centre
- (12) Ratification of Conferences & Attendance at Training (documentation enclosed)
- (13) Correspondence
- (14) Notice of Motions

Notice of Motion No: 53/2015 - Councillor James Kelly

"That this Council calls on the I.D.A. and Enterprise Ireland to facilitate this Council with a meeting as soon as possible in light of the recent announcement of the Midland's Action Plan for Jobs in which there was scant reference to the creation of a high number of jobs in Laois and the fact that Portlaoise has been designated a lower tier town"

Notice of Motion No: 54/2015 - Councillor James Kelly

"That this Council calls on the Minister for Social Protection to implement another alternative to JobBridge as this scheme leaves thousands of jobseekers vulnerable to exploitation"

Notice of Motion No: 55/2015 - Councillor Noel Tuohy

"In order to exploit the record levels of tourism and visitors to our Country and the many who bypass our County's wonderful amenities and attractions I request that Laois County Council draw up a strategic five year Tourism sector plan with a view to boosting the local economy and employment potential"

Notice of Motion No: 56/2015 - Councillor William Aird

"That Laois County Council call on Minister Alan Kelly not to introduce pay by weight charges at our recycling plant in Kyletelisha"

Notice of Motion No: 57/2015 - Councillor William Aird

"That Laois County Council call on the Taoiseach Enda Kenny to instruct Minister Brendan Howlin not to proceed with increased pensions for public representatives"

Notice of Motion No: 58/2015 - Councillor Tom Mulhall

"That this Council invite a representative from the I.D.A. and Enterprise Ireland to give a presentation at our monthly meeting as to how we can bring further industry and employment to the County"