

COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LAOISE LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

Áras an Chontae,
Portlaoise,
Co. Laois.

24th May 2011

TO: THE CATHAOIRLEACH & EACH MEMBER OF LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

A Chara,

Tionólfar cruinniú de Comhairle Chontae Laoise i Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise Dé Luain – 30iú Bealtaine 2011 ar 11.00 a.m. chun an gnó seo leanas a chur i grich.

Tá orm a iarraigh ort bheith i láthair.

You are requested to attend the May Monthly Meeting of the Council, to be held in Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise on Monday, May 30th 2011 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) Confirmation of the Minutes of the April Meeting held on the 18th of April 2011 (documentation enclosed)
- (2) Reports on SPC Meetings held in March/April/May 2011 for noting (documentation enclosed)
- (3) Confirm date for the following Meetings of Laois County Council:-
 - (i) In Committee Meeting to discuss the 2nd Manager's Report on the Draft County Development Plan 2012-2018 (20th of June 2011 at 11.00 am.)
 - (ii) Statutory Meeting of Laois County Council to discuss the 2nd Manager's Report on the Draft County Development Plan 2012 – 2018 (23rd of June 2011 at 11.00 a.m.)

- (iii) Annual General Meeting of Laois County Council (Monday, 27th of June 2011 at 2.30 p.m.) - in accordance with Section 3 (Schedule 10) of the Local Government Act, 2001

- (4) Part VIII of the Local Planning & Development Regulations, 2001 in respect of:
 - Proposed Scheme in Abbeyleix for the upgrade of the L5731 Ballymullen Road – N77 Junction and for the Improvement of Ballymullen Road over a distance of approximately 250 metres (documentation enclosed)

- (5) Section 85 Agreement between Offaly County Council & Laois County Council for the Portarlinton LUTS Route 2 (documentation enclosed)

- (6) Disposal of land under Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 in respect of :
 - (i) Lease of 2.44 acres at Ballymorris, Portarlinton in the townland of Cooltederry for a period of three years for a consideration of €500.00 per annum (notices already circulated) (documentation enclosed)

- (7) Nomination of Member to the Portlaoise Leisure Centre Committee (documentation enclosed)

- (8) Nomination of Ms. Caroline Goucher (Environmental Pillar) to the Planning, Development & Environment Strategic Policy Committee:-

- (9) Taking in Charge of Bellingham (Phase 1), Mountrath Road, Portlaoise (documentation enclosed)

- (10) Audit Committee Annual Report 2010 (documentation enclosed)

- (11) Laois County Council Housing Allocation Scheme (documentation enclosed)

(12) 12.00 p.m. - Presentation by Mr. Mark Macaulay, Senior Executive Engineer & Ms. Linda Parkinson, Executive Engineer on The Midland Energy Agency's 3-Year Plan for the Midlands Region

(13) Progress Report on Croke Park Agreement (documentation to follow)

(14) Correspondence

(15) **Notice of Motions**

Notice of Motion No: 11/11 – Councillor Alan Hand

“That this Council calls on the Government to increase the budget for services to the victims of domestic abuse in County Laois”

Notice of Motion No: 12/11 – Councillor Alan Hand

“That this Council examine the way rates are calculated for commercial business and retail units in Laois, in view of some businesses facing closure”