COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LAOISE LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise, Co. Laois.

21st May 2013

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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 – 27iú Bealtaine 2013 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 May Monthly Meeting of the Council, to be held in Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise on <u>Monday, May 27th 2013 at 11.00 a.m.</u> to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

Josephine Kavanagh Administrative Officer Corporate Affairs Department

<u>CLÁR GNÓ</u> <u>AGENDA</u>

- (1) Confirmation of the Minutes of the April Meeting held on the 29th of April 2013 (documentation enclosed)
- (2) Nomination of Member to the Board of Heritage House, Abbeyleix
- (3) Disposal of land under Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 in respect of:
 - (i) Disposal of property at 16 Erkindale Drive, Durrow in the townland of Durrow, Townsparks for a consideration of €42,000 (documentation enclosed)

- (4) Confirm date for the following Meeting of Laois County Council:-
 - (i) Annual General Meeting of Laois County Council (Monday, 24th of June 2013 at 2.30 p.m.) in accordance with Section 3 (Schedule 10) of the Local Government Act, 2001
- (5) Section 85 Agreement between Kildare County Council and Laois County Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 85 of the Local Government Act, 2001 for the Leinster Bridges Rehabilitation Contract No. 1 2013 Part 1 (documentation enclosed)
- (6) Report on Service Indicators 2011 (documentation enclosed)
 - (7) Higher Education Grant Scheme 2013/2014 (documentation enclosed)
- (8) Presentation by Mr. Jim Bolger, Health & Safety Officer on Health & Safety/Risk Management
- (9) Correspondence
- (10) Notice of Motions

Notice of Motion No: 12/2013 – Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald

"That this Council inform the Members of how it proposes to pay the Property Tax on Housing Stock"

Notice of Motion No: 13/2013 – Councillor Tom Mulhall

"That this Council call on the Minister for Housing, Ms. Jan O' Sullivan for extra funding for the housing maintenance grant which was reduced by over 50% this year"

Notice of Motion No: 14/2013 – Councillor Martin Phelan

"That this Council call on the Minister for the Environment, Community & Local Government, Mr. Phil Hogan, T.D. to introduce a 25 cent deposit on containers in which alcohol is sold as this would reduce the volume of cans and bottles being dumped from cars and trucks on the roadside"

Notice of Motion No: 15/2013 – Councillor Martin Phelan

"That this Council request the RSPCA to address a future meeting of Laois County Council to discuss the issue of stray dogs which kill and worry sheep flocks"

Notice of Motion No: 16/2013 – Councillor Martin Phelan

"That this Council request the Minister for Agriculture, Marine & Food, Mr. Simon Coveney not to sell or lease our forestry"

Notice of Motion No: 17/2013 - Councillor William Aird

"That Laois County Council request the Minster for Housing & Planning, Ms. Jan O' Sullivan to review the current Shared Ownership Loans in particular the equity part of the loan where it continues to increase annually"