COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LAOISE LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL

Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise, Co. Laois.

20th November 2007

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 –26iú Mean Fomhair 2007 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 November Monthly Meeting of the Council, to be held in Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise on <u>Monday, November 26th 2007 at 11.00</u> <u>a.m.</u> to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

Mise le meas,

Carmel McNicholl Senior Executive Officer Corporate Affairs Department

<u>CLÁR GNÓ</u> <u>AGENDA</u>

- (1) Confirmation of the Minutes of the October meeting held on the 22nd of October 2007
- (2) Appointment or nomination of a Member to the following:
 - (a) Laois Vocational Education Committee
 - (b) Environment & Water Services Strategic Policy Committee
 - (c) Dungar Joint Burial Board

- (3) Proposed Material Contravention of the County Development Plan 2006 2012 – Application to erect 2 no. houses at Marion Avenue, Clonminam, Portlaoise, Co. Laois – Planning Ref: 07/1691 – Ms. Margaret Douglas (documentation enclosed)
- (4) Nomination of Three Members of Laois County Council to new Unified County Structure (Cohesion) (documentation previously circulated)
- (5) Part VIII of the Local Government (Planning & Development) Regulations, 2001 2007 in respect of:-
 - Construction of 33 no. two storey terrace units in four blocks consisting of 1 no. 4 bed units; 7 no. 2 bed units; 22 no. 3 bed units and also 3 no. single storey 2 bed units in the townland of Knockmay off the Old Knockmay Road and to the South of Marian Avenue, Portlaoise (documentation enclosed)
- (6) (a) Adoption of Parking Areas and Car Park Bye-Laws 2007 for Mountmellick (documentation enclosed)
 - (b) Adoption of Mountmellick Appointed Stands Bye-Laws 2007 (Taxi Rank) (documentation enclosed)
- (7) Adoption of Multi-Annual Roadworks Programme 2008-2010 (documentation enclosed)
- (8) Local Improvement Schemes (documentation enclosed)
- (9) Draft Policy on The Disposal of Industrial Sites as recommended by the Economic Development & County Promotion S.P.C. (documentation enclosed)

(10) Notice of Motions

Notice of Motion No. 40/07 – Councillors Jerry Lodge, Patrick Bracken & Seamus McDonald

"That this Council calls on the Government and the Health Services Executive to ensure that scheme of grants known as 'housing aid for the elderly' will continue to be administered by the Health Services Executive and not have the scheme subsumed into the County Council's grant schemes with a subsequent loss of revenue to the County"

Notice of Motion No: 41/07 – Councillor Jerry Lodge

"That this Council requests that it be furnished with a detailed response as to the management's interpretation of our County Development Plan in so far as it relates to the granting of planning permission where applicants are family members, working in the locality and living on National Primary and National Secondary routes"

Notice of Motion No: 42/07 – Councillor Jerry Lodge

"That this Council, in accordance with Section 180 of the Planning & Development Act, 2000 hereby agrees to take in charge the following estates:

- (1) Kylebrook Estate Portlaoise, and furthermore that all monies necessary to upgrade this estate to the acceptable level be provided for in the upcoming estimates
- (2) A portion of Broomville Gardens, Portlaoise
- (3) The Hermitage, Borris Road, Portlaoise

Notice of Motion No: 43/07 – Councillor Brian Stanley

"That this Council contacts the Office of the Minister for Children to request that the proposed Child Care Subvention Scheme not be implemented in it's present format as it will have a detrimental effect on low income workers and their families"