

**Minutes of Corporate Policy Group meeting held on
Monday, 6th July, 2020 at 3.00 p.m. in the Training Room,
Áras Contae an Chláir, New Road, Ennis, Co. Clare.**

Present: Cllrs. M. Howard, G. Flynn, P. McMahon, P. Hayes and J. Garrihy.

Apologies: Cllr. J. Crowe. Ann Reynolds, A/SEO, Corporate Services.

Officials Present: Pat Dowling, Chief Executive.
Colette Costelloe, Administrative Officer.
Noeleen Fitzgerald, Head of Finance.

Cllr. M. Howard presided.

1. Minutes of meeting held on 29th May, 2020.

The minutes of the C.P.G. meeting held on 29th May, 2020 were approved having been proposed by Cllr. G. Flynn and seconded by Cllr. P. McMahon.

2. Headed Items and Notices of Motion for July Council Meeting.

The draft agenda was circulated to members and the headed items and notices of motion were discussed and reviewed.

Item 10: Rural Funding Schemes - It was agreed that the Rural Funding Scheme be reviewed at SPC level in an effort to ensure that voluntary groups are not at a disadvantage over Clare County Council owned projects.

Item 13: Dr. Mai Mannix, Director of Public Health, Maria Bridgeman, Head of Service – Health & Wellbeing and Colette Cowen, CE, UHL 3 key HSE leaders in the fight against Covid 19 will provide briefing to the Council at 3.00 p.m. in advance of the July Council meeting.

3. Schedule date for Local Property Tax (LPT) meeting.

Noeleen gave overview LPT process and circulated dates that were scheduled in previous years.

4. Any other business.

The CE asked that CPG be on standby over the summer period in the event that it becomes necessary to hold a meeting.

The CE updated CPG on correspondence received from the newly elected Minister for Housing, Planning & Local Government acknowledging the role of the Local Authority and outlining one of his key priorities is putting a push on delivery of housing targets.

This concluded the business of the meeting.

*Colette Costelloe,
Administrative Officer,
Corporate Services.*

6th July, 2020.