



COMHAIRLE | CLARE  
CONTAE AN CHLÁIR | COUNTY COUNCIL

5 Deireadh Fómhair, 2022.

## DON CATHAOIRLEACH AGUS GACH BALL DEN CHOMHAIRLE

A Chomhairleoir, a chara,

Leis seo, iarraim ort, le do thoil, a bheith i láthair ag Cruinniú Míosúil na Comhairle a thionólfar ar **Dé Luain, an 10 Deireadh Fómhair, 2022 AR 3:00 i.n. i SEOMRA NA COMHAIRLE, ÁRAS CONTAE AN CHLÁIR, INIS** agus via ardán MS Teams. Thíos faoi seo, gheofar sonraí den ghnó a dhéanfar ag an gcruinniú.

Iarrtar ort a bheith i láthair.

Mise le meas,

**Riarthóir Cruinnithe**

- **Ennis 2040 update** – presentation by Liam Conneally, Director of Economic Development and Kevin Corrigan, Chief Operations Officer, Ennis 2040 DAC at 2.00 p.m.

**An Roinn Seirbhísí Corparáideach  
Stiúthóireacht Airgeadais agus Seirbhísí Tacaíochta**

Áras Contae an Chláir, Bóthar Nua, Inis, Co. an Chláir, V95 DXP2

**Corporate Services Department  
Finance and Support Services Directorate**

Áras Contae an Chláir, New Road, Ennis, Co. Clare, V95 DXP2

## CLÁR OIBRE - AGENDA

### 1) **Miontuairiscí na Cruinnithe seo leanas den Chomhairle.**

#### 1) **Minutes of the following Council meeting.**

- (a) Miontuairiscí Chruinniú mí Meán Fómhair, a tionóladh ar an 12 Meán Fómhair, 2022.
- (a) Minutes of September monthly meeting held on 12 September, 2022.
- (b) Miontuairiscí Chruinniú mí Meán Fómhair a cuireadh ar atráth, agus a tionóladh ar an 19 Meán Fómhair, 2022.
- (b) Minutes of adjourned September meeting held on 19 September, 2022.

#### 2. Matters Arising.

#### 2. Nithe ag éirí as.

#### 3. Comhfhreagras/Correspondence.

#### 4. Minutes of Municipal District Meetings

#### 4. Miontuairiscí cruinnithe Ceantar Bardasach

- (a) Killaloe Municipal District meeting held on 20 July, 2022.
- (a) Cruinniú Ceantar Bardasach Cill Dá Lua a tionóladh ar an 20 Iúil, 2022.
- (b) Shannon Municipal District meeting held on 26 July, 2022.
- (b) Cruinniú Ceantar Bardasach na Sionnainne a tionóladh ar an 26 Iúil, 2022.
- (c) West Clare Municipal District meeting held on 6 July, 2022.
- (c) Cruinniú Ceantar Bardasach Iarthar an Chláir a tionóladh ar an 6 Iúil, 2022.

#### 5. Minutes of Strategic Policy Committee Meetings

#### 5. Miontuairiscí Cruinnithe Coiste Polasaí Straitéiseach

- (a) Rural Development Strategic Policy Committee meeting held on 26 April, 2022.
- (a) Cruinniú Coiste Polasaí Straitéiseach Forbairt Tuaithe a tionóladh ar an 26 Aibreán, 2022.
- (b) Social Development Strategic Policy Committee meeting held on 8 June, 2022.
- (b) Cruinniú Coiste Polasaí Straitéiseach Forbairt Shóisialta a tionóladh ar an 8 Meitheamh, 2022.

#### 6. Minutes of Corporate Policy Group meeting held on 5 September, 2022.

#### 6. Cruinniú Grúpa Polasaí Corparáideach a tionóladh ar an 5 Meán Fómhair, 2022.

#### 7. Monthly Management Report.

#### 8. Disposal of property at Ballymaley, Ennis, Co. Clare pursuant to Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 and Section 211 of the Planning & Development Act, 2000.

9. Schedule date for Budget Meeting – proposed date Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2022 at 3:00 p.m.
10. Ennis 2040 DAC nomination.
11. Overdraft Facility in 2023.
12. Ennis 2040 update – presentation by Liam Conneally, Director of Economic Development and Kevin Corrigan, Chief Operations Officer, Ennis 2040 DAC at 2:00 p.m.
- 13. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllr. L. Grant:- adjourned from September Council meeting.**

"Call on Clare County Council to write to the National Vetting Bureau and the Minister for Justice asking them to reform the Garda vetting process. Often individuals are having to undergo the vetting process repeatedly in order to be vetted for multiple organisations. This is adding unnecessary bureaucracy to the lives of volunteers and volunteer organisations. There should be a more efficient process where individuals need only be vetted once, and this would be able to cover multiple organisations. The current process is cumbersome and is deterring individuals from volunteering."

**14. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllr. P.J. Kelly:-**

"That landowners who possess a Department of Agriculture herd number be recognised as and treated as farmers in the County Development Plan."

**15. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllr. M. Howard:-**

"Clare County Council calls on the Minister for Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science, Simon Harris, to support the inclusion of all full-time participants of Apprenticeship Programmes in all Student Card Schemes."

**16. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllr. J. Killeen:-**

"We call on Clare County Council to undertake/co-operate on the development of an integrated, comprehensive transport plan for the County for the benefit of tourists and locals alike to include rail, bus, cars and walking routes."

**17. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllr. P. McMahon:-**

"In view of the fuel crisis that Clare County Council call on the Government to take immediate steps to ensure that offshore gas is made available to Irish users."

**18. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllrs. J. Garrihy, C. Murphy agus L. Grant:-**

"That a workshop be provided with elected members and senior staff to discuss key points from the recently published Clare Anti Poverty Strategy with a view to identifying specific relevance to issues within the control and remit of Clare County Council and to focus on its impact and relevance to key strategies / strategic initiatives such as tourism, housing and Clare Rural and Economic Development."

**19. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllr. C. Murphy:-**

“To ask the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine to allocate funding to local authorities for the additional resources required to deal with the costs of cleaning up and managing the consequences of the Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (H5N1) that is currently circulating”.

**20. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllr. G. Flynn:-**

“I am calling on the Director of Social Development to immediately put forward a proposal to the Minister for Housing, Darragh O’Brien for funding to construct Affordable Housing Schemes in Clare. This I am requesting in view of the recent comments from the Minister concerning affordable housing in Clare and the available funding.”

**21. Curtha faoi bhráid na Comhairle ag Cllr. J. Cooney:-**

“I call on Clare County Council to review the Government’s planned levy of 10% on concrete products. The 10% levy is insensitive to an industry which has faced unprecedented challenges over the last number of years and targets a consumer base which has had to absorb the consequences of these challenges. I propose that the government re-establish the sourcing of the funding for the mica-redress scheme and accept that while it is a construction industry problem, it does not justify targeting future prospective homeowners who ultimately will foot the costs.”