

Agenda

Fógra Cruinnithe / Notice of Meeting

A Chomhairleoir Uasail, Dear Councillor,

Tionólfar an cruinniú Márta de Chomhairle Contae Uíbh Fhailí i Áras an Chontae, Tulach Mhór, Uíbh Fhailí, Dé Luain 25 Márta 2024, ag tosú ag 2.00 a chlog tráthnóna.

Seo chugat an clár. Íartar ort leis seo bheith i láthair.

Notice is hereby given that the March meeting of Offaly County Council will be held in Áras an Chontae, Charleville Road, Tullamore, Co. Offaly on Monday next, 25 March 2024 at 2.00p.m.

The agenda is attached. Please arrange to attend.

Mise, le meas,

Meetings Administrator

1.0 Confirmation of Minutes

Minutes of the Ordinary meeting of Offaly County Council held on Monday 19 February 2024.

2.0 Minutes for Noting

Minutes of the Land Use, Planning and Economic Development Strategic Policy Committee meeting held on 5 December 2023 (copy herewith)

Minutes of the meeting of the Corporate Policy Group held on Monday 8 January 2024 (copy herewith)

3.0 Road Traffic (Special Speed Limits) (County of Offaly) Bye-Laws 2023, under Section 9 of the Road Traffic Act, 2004.

Mr. T. Shanahan, D.O.S.

4.0 Roads Programme 2024

Mr. T. Shanahan, D.O.S.

5.0 Section 6 of the Casual Trading Act, 1995 and the Local Government Reform Act 2014 - Draft Casual Trading Bye-Laws 2024

Ms. A. Dillon, D.O.S. (copy herewith)

6.0 Draft Offaly Arts Strategy 2024 - 2028

Ms. A. Dillon, D.O.S. (copy herewith)

7.0 Review of Standing Orders

Ms. A. Dillon, D.O.S.

8.0 Draft Biodiversity County Plan 2024-2028 - Discussion Paper

Mr. A. Murray, A/D.O.S. (copy herewith)

9.0 Monthly Management Report

February Monthly Management Report (copy herewith)

List of Chief Executive Orders for February (copy herewith)

Ms. A. Delaney, Chief Executive

10.0 Corporate Policy Group Report

Cllr. E. Fitzpatrick, Cathaoirleach

11.0 Notices of Motion

Cllr. M. Hackett

"That Offaly CC in collaboration with ODEN and other stakeholders prepares a Disability Inclusion Strategy."

Cllr. L. Quinn

"That this council is briefed on the potential for amendments to the current/future RESS Guidelines."

- Particular attention should be made to the following, but not exclusive to
- The need for "Near Neighbour Payments" not to be subject to Tax (Or affect Social Welfare supports)

- The Provision of "Near Neighbour Payments" for households adjoining Solar Farms/Other Energy Infrastructure.
- The Provision for a portion of various funds to be consolidated into one fund to promote Jobs/Enterprise.
- The recommendation that a Multi-Annual funding model be considered for Community Projects of Scale.

12.0 Comhdhálacha / Conferences

13.0 Comhfhreagras / Correspondence

j21/02/2024 Cork County Council Resolution

01/03/2024 Louth County Council

14/03/2024 Clare County Council

14.0 Any Other Business