

**Minutes of Meeting of Municipal District of Tullamore
Held on Thursday 8th June 2023 at 3.30pm in the Council Chamber,
Town Hall, Cormac Street, Tullamore**

Present: Cllr. N. Feighery (Cathaoirleach); Cllr. D. Harvey (Leas Cathaoirleach); Cllr. T. McCormack; Cllr. D. Owens; Cllr. S. O'Brien; Cllr. F. Moran; Cllr. K. Smollen(r)

In Attendance

Mr. T. Shanahan, Director of Services; Ms. J. Ryan, Senior Executive Officer; Mr. J. Connelly, Senior Executive Engineer; Mr. K. O'Brien, Meetings Administrator; Brian Pey, Administrative Officer; Community & Culture,

1. Confirmation of Minutes

The following minutes were approved on the proposal of Cllr. F. Moran and seconded by Cllr. D. Owens:

- a. Minutes of Committee Meeting held on 11th May 2023*
- b. Minutes of Monthly Meeting held on 11th May 2023*

2. Community and Culture

Mr. B. Pey of the Community & Culture of Offaly County Council provided an update on projects in the Municipal District of Tullamore. The members welcomed the report, raising a number of compliments and recommendations including:

- Offaly LEADER & SICAP Programmes
- Esker Arts Centre Opening
- Offaly Public Participation Network
- Pride of Place
- Community Enhancement Programme

Mr. Pey responded to queries raised by the elected members and agreed to follow up where appropriate.

3. Regen Report

Ms. J. Ryan, Mr. J. Connelly and Mr. K. O' Brien provided an update on TMD Regeneration Projects. The members welcomed the report, raising a number of compliments and issues including;

- Clara Bog Footpath
- Collins Lane
- Cleaning of roads, paths and signs
- Littering and parking
- Arden Road & View
- Living River Project
- Speeding

Ms. Ryan, Mr. J. Connelly and Mr. T. Shanahan responded to queries raised by the elected members and agreed to follow up where appropriate.

4. Community Grants

Mr. K O' Brien listed the applicants recommended by the Community Grants Sub-Committee. Proposed by Cllr. T. McCormack and seconded by Cllr. D. Owens.

5. Notice of Motion

Cllr. S. O'Brien

"That Tullamore Municipal District Council install a new raised Pedestrian Crossing on the access road between the roundabout at the Hawthorns and the roundabout at Norbury Woods / Droim Liath, at the front of the Educate Together N.S"

The motion was passed by proposal of Cllr. S. O'Brien and seconded by Cllr. T. McCormack.

Cllr. S. O'Brien

"That Tullamore Municipal District Council allocate resources to clean the water feature in the Town Park."

Cllr. S. O'Brien acknowledged that this project was already completed and complimented Mr. J. Connelly on work done to date.

6. AOB

The meeting then concluded.

Signed:

Cathaoirleach

Meetings Administrator

Date:
