

Municipal District of Edenderry
Bardasach Dúiche Éadan Doire

MINUTES

Meeting:	Main Committee	Municipal District of Edenderry
Location:	Chamber, Town Hall, Edenderry	
Time:	3:30pm	Wednesday, 13th July 2022
Present:	Cathaoirleach Cllr. Robert McDermott Leas-Cathaoirleach Cllr. Noel Cribbin Cllr. John Foley Cllr. Mark Hackett Cllr. Liam Quinn	Edenderry Municipal District Edenderry Municipal District Edenderry Municipal District Edenderry Municipal District Edenderry Municipal District
Apologies:	Cllr. Eddie Fitzpatrick	Edenderry Municipal District
In	Sharon Kennedy	District Director
Attendance:	Mark Mahon Louise Direen Joe Coleman	District Engineer District Administrator SEE, Environment & Water Services

AGENDA ITEMS

Cathaoirleach Cllr. Robert McDermott thanked everyone for attending the July monthly meeting of Edenderry Municipal District and apologised for the slight delay. Cllr. McDermott extended his sympathies to Cllr. John Foley and his family on the recent sad passing of his sister-in-law, Frances Brennan. The Elected Members and District Staff associated themselves with this vote of sympathy. Cllr. Foley thanked everyone for their support in what has been a very difficult time.

1. Confirmation of Minutes from the June Meeting

It was proposed by Cllr. Quinn and seconded by Cllr. Cribbin that the minutes of the Main Committee Meeting held on 08th June 2022 be adopted.

2. Environment/Water Services Update

Mr. Joe Coleman, SEE, Environment & Water Services, gave a progress report on Environment and Water Services sections addressing the following:

- Climate Report
- Litter & Waste Management
- Burial Grounds
- Control of Dogs/Horses
- Wastewater Services – Edenderry WWTP consultants still working on design of upgrade works. Rhode WWTP is at initial stages of design of upgrade works. Daingean WWTP planning permission sought and Walsh Island WWTP is overloaded, installation of reed beds a possible solution.
- Drinking water
- Rural Water Programme/Group Water Schemes

The Elected Members thanked Mr. Coleman and raised a number of issues pertaining to his presentation and he addressed all these concerns.

3. GMA Applications

Two new applications were considered by the Members. Having been proposed by Cllr. Foley and seconded by Cllr. Cribbin, the following details were accepted:

Application	Funding Requested	Reason for Funding	Funding given
Gilroy Avenue, Castleview Park & Fr. Killian Crescent Residents Assoc.	€600	General upkeep and maintenance of the estates	€600
Daingean Festival Committee in assoc. with Daingean Development Assoc.	€3,750	Re-establish the Daingean 'Homecoming' Festival	€3,750 on condition of required outstanding information being submitted i.e. LOI to OCC and H&S Plan.

4. Regeneration/Project Updates

Tesco Site

District Director Sharon Kennedy informed the Members that the appointment of the design team for the new library is almost concluded. At an early stage, the Members will be consulted with regard to the design of the library prior to public consultation.

District Engineer Mark Mahon displayed the entire demolition process of the former Tesco building through a time-lapse video. Cllr. Cribbin complimented Hegarty's contractors for works carried out and expressed his excitement with what is to come in time for Edenderry. Cllr.

McDermott congratulated Mr. Mahon for all his work to date, in response Mr. Mahon stated it was very much a team effort. Cllr. Foley also complimented the team and noted the volume of work being carried out.

5. Area Issues/Updates

District Engineer Mark Mahon asked that the Elected Members consider the 2022 CIR Proposals amounting to €10k. This was proposed by Cllr. Cribbin and seconded by Cllr. McDermott.

Mr. Mahon also gave an update on the 2022 Roads Programme discussing the following areas:

- Surface Dressing Works
- Road Recycling Works
- LIS Schemes
- CIR Schemes
- Active Travel - Portarlinton
- TVR – Kilmalogue
- Line Markings

The Elected Members raised a number of issues pertaining to the Road works in the District, which were addressed by Mr. Mahon.

6. Notices of Motion

None at this time

7. Written Questions

None at this time

8. Correspondence

District Administrator Louise Direen confirmed that Go-Ahead Bus Company mailed the contact details for public representatives to make contact with any issues they may have in relation to their services. Ms. Direen is to forward details to the Members.

9. Any Other Business

Cllr. Cribbin noted the outdoor staff shortages in the area due to staff retirements and requested that staff numbers be re-instated to their original levels. Cllr. Cribbin also noted that the 'No Mow May' initiative is causing issues with getting grass back to normal having been left grow freely for such a long period and if it was possible not to do this for the entire month.

Cllr. McDermott wished everyone a happy summer holiday break and District Director Sharon Kennedy mentioned that she was looking forward to seeing everybody on Friday at the opening of Phase 1 of the Edenderry Inner Relief Road.

This concluded the business of the meeting. The next meeting is scheduled to take place on 14th September 2022.

Signed: _____

Cathaoirleach

Date: _____