

Agenda

1.0 Confirmation of Minutes/Dearbhú Miontuairiscí of meeting held on Monday 13th March 2023

📄 *Draft March 2023 Council Meeting Minutes.pdf*

Not included

2.0 Business prescribed by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of Council/Gnó forordaithe do réir reachtaíochta, orduithe seasta, nó rúin an Chomhairle

2.1 Invitation to Cathaoirleach to participate in the Official Signing of Columban Charter of Partnership and Celebration of XXIV Columbanus Day 2023 in Gallen Switzerland

📄 *Program for Saint Gallen 2023.pdf*

Not included

📄 *InvitationCarlowCo.Co..pdf*

Not included

2.2 Section 11 of Roads Act 1993; Section 180 of Planning & Development Act 2000 as amended and Section 59 of Planning & Development Act 2010 - Commencement of public consultation process for taking in charge of roads at:

1. River Court, Beech Road, Carlow (Phase 1)
2. Tanner Hall, Athy Road, Carlow
3. St. Mullins Close, Tinnahinch Co. Carlow.

📄 *Scanned signed report to Council - Intention to commence TIC.pdf*

Not included

📄 *Map - St. Mullins Close, Tinnahinch.pdf*

Not included

📄 *Map - Tanner Hall.pdf*

Not included

📄 *Map - Rivercourt, Beech Road - Phase 1.pdf*

Not included

2.3 Part VIII in accordance with the Local Government Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended) Proposed development of 8 units at Barrack Street, Carlow

📄 *2.3 Part VIII Barrack Street Planning Report.pdf*

Not included

📄 *2.3 Part VIII Barrack Street CE Report.pdf*

Not included

2.4 Annual Financial Statement 2022

Approval of Annual Financial Statement 2022 (as circulated) . *Section 104 Local Government Act 2001 (as amended)*

📄 *Annual Financial Statement 2022 - Financial Review (Ver-fin).pdf* *Not included*

3.0 Consideration of Reports and Recommendations/Breithniú ar Thuarascálacha agus ar Mholtaí

3.1 Presentation by SEAI at 4.30 p.m.

3.2 County Carlow Green Infrastructure Strategy - Mapping and Management Manual

📄 *Draft County Carlow Green Infrastructure Strategy (February 2023).pdf* *Not included*

3.3 Local Authority Climate Action Plan Update

3.4 Local Community Development Committee (LCDC) Annual Report 2022

📄 *Letter to Council AR 2022.pdf* *Not included*

📄 *LCDC Annual Report 2022.pdf* *Not included*

3.5 Circular Letter Housing 09/2023 & Planning PL 01/2023 - Amendments to Planning Legislation in relation to local authority Housing Developments - Planning and Development, and Foreshore (Amendment) Act 2022

📄 *SI 107 2023 PDF Amendment Act 2022 Commencement Order number 2 2023.pdf* *Not included*

📄 *SI 101 2023 Planning and Development (Section 179A) Regulations 2023.pdf* *Not included*

📄 *Housing Circular_09-2023 and Planning Circular PL01-2023_Local_Authority_housing_exemption_10_March_2023.pdf* *Not included*

📄 *Report to Members - Part 8.docx* *Not included*

3.6 Training and Conference Approvals

3.7 Approval of Draft Annual Report 2022 – In Accordance with Section 221 (a) Local Government Act 2001

📄 *Carlow Annual Report_2022 Round2_.pdf* *Not included*

3.8 Invitation to the Visual to present to the May Council meeting on 8th May 2023

4.0 Chief Executives Report/Tuarascáil an Phríomhfheidhmeannaigh

📎 *23.03.31 CE Monthly Report March.pdf*

Not included

5.0 Correspondence/Comhfhreagras

📎 *23.03.22 Letter from Wexford CC.pdf*

Not included

📎 *Email from Dept of Transport re Driving Tests.pdf*

Not included

6.0 Notices of Motion/Fógraí Rúin

6.1 Standing in the name of Cllr. John McDonald (Carried forward from March Council Meeting Agenda)

"Irish Water is not fit for purpose. We know they are causing obstruction to the construction of housing due to lack of water and waste water infrastructure. In Carlow two projects are delayed because of Irish Water (Ardattin and Ballinabranna). Carlow County Council will write to the Minister of Housing, Local Government & Heritage, requesting Irish Water is returned to the local Authorities control and that Irish Water is not to be privatised."

6.2 Standing in the name of Cllr. Adrienne Wallace

"This Council will write to The Taoiseach and Minister Roderic O'Gorman to call for match funding for the Tullow Road Community Centre. "

6.3 Standing in the name of Cllr. Will Paton

"That this Council supports the National Association of Regional Game Councils (NARGC) and its 25,000 members and asks the Minister for Justice to appoint a member nominated by NARGC to the Firearms Expert Committee."

6.4 Standing in the name of Cllr John Murphy, Cllr Tommy Kinsella, Cllr Michael Doran, Cllr Fergal Browne, Cllr Tom O'Neill and Cllr Brian O'Donoghue

"That Carlow County Council write to the minister of Housing and Local Government requesting the minister and the department to increase the scope of the Croi Conaithe scheme. The increased scope should, at a minimum, allow renovated properties that have availed of the scheme to be let by the owner which will bring more housing supply into the market. The grant amounts per unit should also increase from €30,000 (vacant) and €50,000 (derelict) to €50,000 and €75,000 respectively."

6.5 Standing in the name of Cllr Brian O'Donoghue

"That Carlow County Council welcomes the announcement of the visit to Ireland of President Joe Biden, a proud Irish American. This council will extend an open ended invitation to the president during, or after his term in office, to County Carlow in the future"

6.6 Standing in the name of Cllr Brian O'Donoghue

"As the Local Authority Members Association representative in Carlow, that this Council write to the minister for Higher and further education requesting him to amend the Higher education Bill 2022, so that local authorities are represented on higher education boards by elected members, automatically."

6.7 Standing in the name of Cllr. Adrienne Wallace

"Noting that this Council passed a motion declaring a climate emergency, and that we are in the midst of a biodiversity crisis, and that it is in the public interest to protect and preserve areas of environmental importance, Carlow County Council will write to Greencore Ltd to ask them to allow an independent environmental survey take place on the Strawhall Woodlands, on the Strawhall Industrial Complex to ascertain what protected species live in the woods."

6.8 Standing in the names of Cllr. Tommy Kinsella and Cllr. Charlie Murphy

"That Carlow County Council facilitate an immediate meeting with farmers from Raheenleigh, Raheenkyle and and Coolnasneachta to discuss the enforcement and strengthening of present rules/regulation regards control of dogs on Mt. Leinster. Reason for this motion is due to continued attacks and sheep worrying by dogs owned by a small number of visitors to the Mt. Leinster area."

6.9 Standing in the name of Cllr. Willie Quinn, Cllr. Arthur McDonald and Cllr. John McDonald

"That Carlow County Council write to the HSE and Minister Stephen Donnelly to support the urgent build for a primary care facility in Tullow and the surround areas.

I am also asking that a primary care centre will be built in Borris (south east of Carlow) which would also be for surrounding areas Tinnahinch, St. Mullins etc.

There is an urgent need for a primary care centre in both areas.

7.0 Any other business with the consent of the Cathaoirleach/Aon gnó eile le haontú an Chathaoirligh