



COMHAIRLE CONTAE
CHEATHARLACH

CARLOW COUNTY COUNCIL

January 5th, 2022

Notice Of Meeting

You are requested to attend the **Council Meeting** to be held on **Monday, 10th January 2022** at **2:00 pm** in **Remotely MS Teams**.

Eamonn Brophy

Senior Executive Officer / Meetings Administrator

Agenda

1.0 Confirmation of Minutes/Dearbhú Miontuairiscí of Meeting held on Monday 13th December 2021

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 Section 85 Agreement with Kilkenny County Council - Food Safety Inspections

2.2 Naming of Infrastructure and the Provision of Monuments Policy

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

3.1 Phase 3 Approval - N80 Leagh Bends Scheme

3.2 TII 2022 Grant Allocations - Carlow County Council

3.3 EV Charging Infrastructure - Project Update

3.4 Active Travel Programme 2022

3.5 Presentation by Healthy Carlow

3.6 Circular Letter F 02/22 Re: 31 January 2022 deadline for the reporting of political donations by elected members

4.0 Chief Executives Report/Tuarascáil an Phríomhfheidhmeannaigh

5.0 Correspondence/Comhfhreagras

6.0 Notices of Motion/Fógraí Rúin

6.1 Standing in the name of Cllr. Charlie Murphy

There are 82 children with Spina Bifida and/or Hydrocephalus currently requiring urgent Orthopaedic intervention. This was brought to the attention of the Minister for Health Stephen Donnelly's in December 2020. However, no action has been instigated by the Minister to resolve this matter and these children continue to deteriorate. Lack of surgical intervention has caused their limbs and bodies to become deformed and maimed. Some of these children's legs are now so badly affected that the soles of their feet permanently rub together causing open sores and

bleeding. Children who have the ability to walk are losing or have lost that ability due to the absence of timely surgical management. Others who are manual wheelchair users, due to the same issue are unable to self-propel themselves effectively leaving them immobile. The lack of timely surgical intervention means that effectively these children end up requiring more complex surgeries and failing that amputation of limbs. I am calling on Carlow County Council to write to the Minister for Health, Stephen Donnelly and fast track these children for surgical review as a matter of urgency. We are also calling on the Minister for Health to ensure that provision of services is made to Disabled Children within elective Hospital settings as well as acute Hospital settings to avoid a repeat of this situation in the future.

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