Minutes of Meeting of the Carlow Municipal District held in the Town Hall Chamber, Carlow, on Thursday 25th January 2024, at 4.00 p.m.

Present:	Councillor T. O'Neill (Mayor) Councillor F. Browne(Remote) Councillor A. Dalton Councillor J. Cassin (Remote) Councillor K. Murnane Councillor F. Phelan (Remote) Councillor A. Wallace (Remote)

In Attendance: Mr. M. Rainey, Director of Services, Planning, Economic Development & Corporate Services Mr. E. Brophy, Senior Executive Officer, Corporate Affairs Mr. B. Knowles, Senior Executive Engineer Ms. L. Culleton, Economic Development Officer Mr. J. Woods, Administrative Officer, Corporate Affairs Ms. A. Connolly, Assistant Staff Officer, Corporate Affairs

Mayor T. O'Neill opened the January meeting and welcomed Cllr. A. Wallace back from her maternity leave.

1.0 Confirmation of Minutes

1.1 Minutes of Meeting held on Thursday 14th December 2023 at 4.00 p.m.

The Minutes of Carlow Municipal District meeting held on Thursday 14th December 2023 at 4.00 p.m. were

Proposed by Councillor A. Dalton Seconded by Councillor K. Murnane

And agreed following a show of hands

2.0 Business Prescribed by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of the Municipal District Members

2.1 Annual Service Plan 2024 Carlow Municipal District

Ms. L. Culleton, Economic Development Officer, presented the members with the Annual service Plan - Economic Development 2024 for their approval. Mr.

M. Rainey, Director of Services, answered questions from the members on the draft services plan.

The Annual Services Plan – economic Development 2024 was; **Proposed by Councillor A. Dalton Seconded by Councillor K. Murnane**

And agreed following a show of hands

3.0 Consideration of Reports & Recommendations

3.1 MD Engineers Report

Mr. B. Knowles, Senior Executive Engineer presented members with an update on improvement/enhancement schemes and ongoing projects in the district and answered all queries from members. The following issues were raised by members:

- Replacement of shed roof at Ducketts Grove
- Masterplan for Ducketts Grove
- Flooding on Kilkenny Road
- Footpath at Maple Court
- Mound in Carrigbrook estate
- Increase in number of eBikes and bike spaces
- Audio signal at APC in Carlow Town buspark

These issues were addressed by M. Rainey and B. Knowles.

3.2 Carlow MD Supplementary Public Realm Funding

Mr. B. Knowles, gave a brief report on the progress of public enhancement works within the district and answered all queries from the members.

4.0 Notices of Motion

None.

5.0 Correspondence

None

6.0 Any Other Business

Members queried the Register of Electors process. Mr. E. Brophy, Meeting Administrator, briefed members on the new Rolling Register process and answered all questions raised. This concluded the business of the meeting.