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6ú Marta, 2019.

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**Meeting of Wexford County Council
On Monday 11th March, 2019 – 2.00 p.m.
In the Council Chamber, Wexford County
Council, Carricklawn, Wexford.**

A Chara,

Tionólfar cruinniú de'n Chomhairle mar a léirítear thuas. Tá súil agam go mbeidh tú i láthair.

Beidh Clár ordaithe an Bhainisteóra ar fail i rith an chruinnithe.

Mise, le meas,



Padraig O'Coileáin,
Runai



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- 1. Presentation from Wexford Local Development re SICAP and LEADER Programmes**
- 2. Presentation of Draft County Wexford Tourism Strategy 2019-2023**
- 3. Confirmation of Minutes:**
 - 3.1 County Council Meeting – 11th February, 2019.
 - 3.2 Special County Council Meeting – 11th February, 2019.
- 4. Part XI of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended) and Part 8, of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001 (as amended):**
 - 4.1 LAC1810 – Proposed development of existing site to provide 17 No. Social Housing Units at Carley's Bridge, Enniscorthy, Co. Wexford.
- 5. Economic Development Programme 2019-2024**
- 6. 3 Year Capital Programme 2019-2021**
- 7. Report of Mental Health Sub-Committee**
- 8. Local Elections Update**
- 9. Report of Corporate Policy Group**
- 10. Chief Executive's Report**
- 11. List of Councillors' Conferences and Training**
- 12. Minutes of Meetings:**
 - 12.1 Borough District of Wexford 21.01.19
 - 12.2 Gorey Municipal District 15.01.19
 - 12.3 Enniscorthy Municipal District 21.01.19
 - 12.4 New Ross Municipal District 09.01.19
- 13. Sealing of Documents**
- 14. Correspondence and Communications**
 - Correspondence from the Minister for Health concerning the Standing4Women campaign.

15. Notices of Motion

15.1 Cllr. John Fleming

"That Wexford County Council calls on the Minister for Housing Planning and local Government Mr. Eoghan Murphy to allow pensioners who have resided in a County Council property for many years to purchase that property regardless of income under the tenant purchase scheme".

15.2 Cllr. Malcolm Byrne

Noting

- (i) the seriously damaging effects on health and the environment of the continued burning of smoky fuels;
- (ii) the motion carried by this Council in March, 2015 seeking to prohibit the burning of smoky coals in the County;
- (iii) the announcement in October, 2015 by then Minister, Alan Kelly, of the Government's intention to proceed with a nationwide ban;
- (iv) the further motion carried by this Council in March, 2017, expressing concern at the failure of Government to proceed with this ban and the continued failure since;
- (v) the call in that motion in March 2017 for the introduction of this ban within six months,
- (vi) the continued evidence of the damage caused by the burning of smoky fuels being provided by the Council's own assessments,

This Council now resolves,

- (vii) to introduce and enforce a Countywide ban on the sale and use of smoky fuels to take effect on 1st May, 2019.
- (viii) to provide an information campaign to consumers on the dangers of poor air quality and on this ban.

15.3 Cllr. David Hynes

"This Council calls on the relevant Minister or administrators of the HAP scheme to cover the 4 weeks rent in advance that some landlords are demanding from new tenants along with the deposit".

15.4 Cllr. Ger Carthy

"That Wexford County Council allow Wexford Fire Service participation in the Fire/co-responder Scheme with the National Ambulance Service (NAS)".

15.5 Cllr. Johnny Mythen

"That this Council calls on the Minister of Transport, to double the fixed charge notice ,where illegal parking in a disabled bay is detected and to consider using a penalty points system in such cases".

15.6 Cllr. Michael Sheehan

"That Wexford County Council calls for changes to the Housing Aid for Older People Grant to allow applications from people who ordinarily meet the criteria but who are also caring for a resident dependent or family member under the age of 66, who are in receipt of a long term disability payment or someone incapable of living alone requiring full time care of the applicant".

15.7 Cllr. Fionntán ÓSúilleabháin

"That this Council will do a review this Spring on the widespread felling of mature, healthy trees which is taking place across County Wexford. That we will seek to implement measures that will preserve this important part of our natural heritage and landscape".

15.8 Cllr. Malcolm Byrne

"That Wexford County Council amend our County Development Plan to permit the construction of log cabins or other structures for housing for a defined period and that the appropriate amendment and regulations be presented at the April meeting of the Council".

15.9 Cllr. Michael Sheehan

"That Wexford County Council Housing section will review it's transfer policy of current tenants and consider accepting transfer applications on the grounds of unresolved antisocial behavior as legitimate reasons for requesting a move".

15.10 Cllr. Fionntán ÓSúilleabháin

"In the event of a no-deal Brexit, Wexford County Council will back the growing calls for an All-Ireland Border Poll, as enshrined under the terms of the Good Friday Agreement".

16. Any Other Business