MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF ENNISCORTHY MUNICIPAL DISTRICT HELD ON MONDAY 20TH MAY, 2019 AT 3.30 P.M. IN THE PRESENTATION CENTRE, ENNISCORTHY

Attendance: Councillors: Willie Kavanagh (Cathaoirleach)

Barbara-Anne Murphy

Keith Doyle Johnny Mythen

Kathleen Codd-Nolan

Oliver Walsh Paddy Kavanagh John O'Rourke

Officials: Mr. John Carley, Director of Services

Ms. Elizabeth Hore, District Manager

Mr. Tadhg O'Corcora, Senior Executive Engineer Ms. Martina Donoghue, Administrative Officer

Ms. Bernie Quigley, Staff Officer Ms. Pauline Doyle, Executive Planner

Apologies:

Officials: Ms. Joanne Kehoe, Executive Engineer

Mr. Larry McHale, Project Engineer

1. Confirmation of Minutes:

1.1. Minutes of the April 'In Committee' Meeting of the Members of the Municipal District of Enniscorthy held on the 15th April, 2019.

On the proposal of Cllr. Codd-Nolan, seconded by Cllr. Murphy, the Minutes of the April 'In Committee' Meeting of the Members of the Municipal District of Enniscorthy held on 15th April, 2019 were adopted by the Council and signed by the Chairperson.

1.2. Minutes of the April Meeting of the Members of the Municipal District of Enniscorthy – 15th April, 2019.

On the proposal of Cllr. Codd-Nolan, seconded by Cllr. Murphy the Minutes of the April Meeting of the Members of the Municipal District of Enniscorthy held on 15th April, 2019 were adopted by the Council and signed by the Chairperson.

1.3 Matter Arising.

None.

2. Consideration of Reports and Recommendations:

2.1 Planning

Ms. Pauline Doyle, Executive Planner attended the meeting to discuss Planning Matters and responded to all queries raised by the Members.

2.2 Housing, Community & Environment

Ms. Martina Donoghue, Administrative Officer, Housing Section, updated the Members on all Housing Matters as outlined in the report circulated prior to the meeting.

Community & Environment

None.

2.3 Enterprise

A brief discussion took place on the opportunities under the By-Pass Scheme.

2.4 Roads Report

Mr. Tadgh O'Corcora, Senior Executive Engineer took this item on behalf of the Roads Engineer. Mr. O'Corcora updated the Members on roads as outlined in the report circulated prior to the meeting and responded to all queries raised.

Cllr. Doyle asked for an update on any recommendations for the walkway at the back of the Grotto in Moran Park.

3. Flood Defence Scheme

Mr. John Carley, Director of Services updated the Members on behalf of Mr. Larry McHale, Project Engineer. It was noted that the official exhibition launched on Friday 17th May, 2019 by Minister Boxer Moran and was a great success.

Cllr. P. Kavanagh commended Mr. McHale on the work he is doing with the Flood Defence Scheme, a sentiment that all Members wished to be associated with.

The Chairman stated that Mr. McHale had the full support of the Members of the Enniscorthy Municipal District.

4. Water Services Report.

Mr. Tadhg O'Corcora attended the meeting to update the Members on Water Services. The report circulated prior to the meeting was noted and Mr. O'Corcora undertook to respond to all queries highlighted by the Members.

5. Festival Funding 2019.

Ms. Hore, District Manager circulated the proposed funding allocations for festivals in the Enniscorthy District for 2019. On the proposal of Cllr. Walsh, seconded by Cllr. Murphy the Members agreed the funding allocations as presented by Ms. Hore.

Ms. Hore circulated a copy of the Strawberry Fair/Street Rhythms and Roots Festival 2019 Brochure that is due to take place over the June Bank Holiday.

6.	Business prescribed by Statute, S	Standing Orders or	Resolutions of	f the Municipal
	District Members.			

None.

7. Correspondence.

None.

9. Any Other Business.

The Chairman, Cllr. W. Kavanagh took this opportunity, being the last meeting of the current Members of the Municipal District of Enniscorthy to thank all Members, Staff of the Enniscorthy Municipal District Office and the Press for their co-operation during his term as Chairman. He continued by saying that himself and Cllr. Walsh will no longer be in the Enniscorthy District as they, if re-elected, would be joining the Gorey Municipal District. He wished all the Members the best of luck at the upcoming elections and hoped they would all be re-elected.

Cllr. Walsh, wished to be associated with these remarks and offered a special word of thanks to Mr. Carley, Ms. Hore and Ms. Quigley. He continued by saying that he enjoyed his 18 years with the Enniscorthy District and hopes he did his best for the district during this time.

Cllr. Codd-Nolan, Cllr. Doyle, Cllr. Murphy, Cllr. P. Kavanagh, Cllr. Mythen and Cllr. O'Rourke all expressed their thanks to the staff and their colleagues, the Elected Members for working in co-operation for the betterment of the Enniscorthy Municipal District. They highlighted the key infrastructural projects that would be delivered creating economic and social opportunities for Enniscorthy and it's hinterland.

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