**Minutes of Special Meeting of Galway City Council**

**Held on Thursday 6th April 2017 at 10:00am in City Hall, College Road, Galway.**

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**Presiding: Cllr. Noel Larkin, Mayor of the City of Galway**

**Present: Councillors: C. Ó Conchúir, P. Conneely, C. Connolly, O. Crowe, M.J. Crowe M. Cubbard, F. Fahy, P. Keane, M. Lohan, D. Lyons, J. Walsh, T. O'Flaherty and N. McNelis.**

**In Attendance: Mr. B. McGrath, Chief Executive**

**Mr. T. Connell, Director of Services**

**Ms. E. McCormack, Head of Finance/Director of Services**

**Ms. P. Philbin, A/Director of Services**

**Mr. G. Mc Mahon, Meetings Administrator**

**Mr. P. Foley, A/Senior Executive Officer, Corporate Services**

**Ms. M. Coen Senior Staff Officer, Corporate Services**

**Ms. A. Bhreathnach, Irish/Staff Officer, Corporate Services.**

**Apologies: Councillors B Cameron, M. Farrell & D. McDonnell.**

The Mayor welcomed all to the Meeting.

Cllr. P Conneely proposed the following amendment without debate. This was seconded by Cllr. F. Fahy.

**“That Galway City Council defer discussion on transport management and transportation in Galway City until Council Meeting on Monday 10th April at 2pm and to include Agenda Item 4 (k) – Parkmore Access Improvements when official reports and Aecom Consultants will be available”**

Cllr. M. Crowe proposed an amendment to Cllr. Conneely’s motion. This was seconded by Cllr. P. Keane.

**“That the meeting go ahead today and we hear a verbal report by the Senior Engineer”**

The Mayor put Cllr. Crowe’s amendment to the meeting, a vote on which resulted as follows:

**In Favour** 6 **Against** 8 **Present** 14

The amendment was defeated and Cllr. Conneely’s motion was then voted on. The vote went as follows:

1. **In Favour** 8 **Against** 6 **Present** 14

It was agreed to defer meeting to Monday 10th April at 2pm.

1. The meeting concluded at 10.35am.