



7ú Nollaig, 2016
7th December, 2016

Fógra/Notice

Cruinnithe Chomhairle Cathrach na Gaillimhe Galway City Council Meeting

Do Gach Ball de Chomhairle Cathrach na Gaillimhe:

A chara,

Tionólfar Gnáthchruinniú de Chomhairle Cathrach na Gaillimhe ar an 12ú Nollaig 2016 ag 4.00 i Halla na Cathrach, Bóthar an Choláiste, Gaillimh.

An Ordinary Meeting of Galway City Council will be held on the 12th December 2016 at 4:00pm in City Hall, College Road, Galway.

Tá cóip de Chlár an Chruinnithe seo ar fáil ag an bhFáiltiú ar mhaithe le hiniúchadh.
A copy of the Agenda for this meeting is available at Reception for inspection.

Tá clár an chruinnithe leagtha amach faoi seo.
The agenda for the meeting is set out hereunder.

Is mise, le meas,

Sínithe/Signed: Dermot Mahon
Riarthóir Cruinnithe/Meetings Administrator

Clár/ Agenda

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES:

- (a) Minutes of Statutory Budget Meeting of Galway City Council held on Monday 14th November 2016 - Copy Herewith
- (b) Minutes of Ordinary Meeting of Galway City Council held on Monday 21st November 2016 - Copy Herewith
- (c) Minutes of Special Meeting of Galway City Council held on Tuesday 29th November 2016 - Copy Herewith
- (d) Minutes of Special Meeting of Galway City Council held on Thursday 1st December 2016 - Copy Herewith

2. BUSINESS PRESCRIBED BY STATUTE

- (a) Capital Assistance Scheme – Raising of a loan under Section 6 of the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1992 for the acquisition of housing units at: - Copy attached

150 Tur Uisce, Doughiska, Galway
90 Cluain Riocaird, Headford Road, Galway
19 Sliabh Rioga, Ragoon, Galway
- (b) S.183 Local Government Act 2001 – Granting of temporary leasehold on lands at Galway Airport at Carnmore, Co. Galway to Galway Flying Club – Report already circulated
- (c) 2017 – 2019 Capital Programme – Report to follow

3. REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

- (a) Report from Procedures Committee on the Draft Standing Orders Review
– Report previously issued (copy of Draft Standing Orders and letter posted 28th November, 2016)

4. CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS OF OFFICIALS

- (a) Galway Transportation Strategy – To hear a report
- (b) Galway City Ring Road – To hear a report
- (c) Traveller Accommodation Programme - Report attached

- (d) Quarterly Reports for Quarter Ending 30th September 2016 – Reports previously issued (October 2016)
- (i) Transportation
 - (ii) Housing
 - (iii) Community, Culture & Economic Development
 - (iv) Environment
 - (v) Recreation & Amenity
- (e) Report on Shared Services – Report to follow
- (f) Chief Executive’s Report for October 2016 – Report previously issued
- (g) Chief Executive’s Report for November 2016 – Report previously issued
- (h) Chief Executive’s Report for December 2016 – Report to follow
- (i) L.E Aishling Report – Report previously issued (November 2016)
- (j) Procurement Update – To hear a report

5. NOTICE OF MOTIONS

NOM 03/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. N. McNelis**
 Date Received: **30th March, 2016**

“For the benefit of retailers in the city centre and for shoppers and visitors all pedestrian areas of the city centre are vehicle free from an earlier start of 9.00 am during the months of June, July and August”.

NOM 09/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. C. Connolly**
 Date Received: **11th April, 2016**

“That GCC requests that the Government provide adequate funding to provide special housing units for victims of domestic violence”.

NOM 12/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. C. Connolly**
 Date Received: **3rd May, 2016.**

“That Galway City Council Transportation SPC calls on the Government to introduce a free school transport service for all children attending city schools.

NOM 16/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. C. Ó Conchúir**
 Date Received: **24th August, 2016.**

“That this Council ask Sean Kyne T.D. and the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine to intervene in the ongoing dispute at Ros a Mhil Harbour between local fisherman and the harbour authorities”.

NOM 17/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. D. Lyons**
 Date Received: **5th September 2016.**

“Galway City Council calls on the Minister of Health to amend the Public Health (Tobacco) Act 2002 and introduce additional legislation/regulations which would regulate the use of e-cigarettes similar to those which already apply to tobacco related activity”

NOM 18/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. D. Lyons**
 Date Received: **5th September 2016.**

“Galway City Council calls on the Industrial Development Authority and other state agencies to bring forward plans for the development of the industrial zoned lands on the west of Galway City.”

NOM 23/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. B. Cameron**
 Date Received: **3rd October, 2016**

“I call on the Chief Executive to earmark and designate the 1.4 acre site in the Westside as a Cultural and Artistic hub to cater for a mix of organisations specialising with Children and youth”.

NOM 24/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. P. Flannery**
 Date Received: **2nd November, 2016**

“That the Galway City Council executive write to Dr Eamon Martin, Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All Ireland and request the he formally invite His Holiness Pope Francis to visit Galway during his proposed visit to Ireland in 2018 and celebrate mass in a similar fashion to his predecessor John Paul 2nd in 1979”.

NOM 25/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. O. Crowe**
 Date Received: **8th November, 2016**

“That Galway city council calls on the current government to reverse their decision for staffless libraries with immediate effect”

NOM 26/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. N. McNelis**
 Date Received: **5th December, 2016**

“That Galway City Council introduce weight restrictions on vehicles that enter pedestrian areas of the city centre”.

NOM 27/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. N. McNelis**
 Date Received: **5th December, 2016**

“That an audit of housing for the elderly owned by Galway City Council take place, with regard to best practice in EU to heating and weather glazed windows”.

6. QUESTIONS

Q11/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. M. Farrell**
 Date Received: **23rd November, 2016.**

I wish to request information, in tabular form, of the costs incurred by Galway City Council over the past 10 years (2005-2015) through the recovery and disposal of illegally dumped waste material in Galway City and the total amount/weight of waste recovered in this manner each year for 2005-2015

Q12/16 **Notice given by:** **Cllr. N. McNelis**
 Date Received: **5th December, 2016.**

Can an update be given on Galway Airport future plans. What are the costs to date for security of site. What income rents generated to date since ownership by City and County councils. Has there been any maintenance of runway in this time that would keep the standard of strip available for possible future landings of private aircraft, separate to flying school.

7. ITEMS FOR COUNCILLORS' INFORMATION

(a) Email from Ann Walton, St. Nicholas Church dated 24th November, 2016
RE: Annual Civic Carol Service – 18th December, 2016.

(b) Email from Kevin O'Donoghue, Department of Communications, Climate Action & Environment, dated 1st December, 2016.
RE: Ireland's Attainment of the Battery Collection Target of 45% for 2016.

8. CONFERENCES

- (a) Title: 2 Day Microsoft Excel Intermediate Training for Councillors
Date: 17th and 18th December, 2016
Venue: Clonakilty, Co. Cork
- (b) Title: The Finance Act 2016
Date: 13th to 15th January, 2017
Venue: Carlingford, Co. Louth.

9. VOTES OF SYMPATHY/CONGRATULATIONS

10. OTHER BUSINESS SET FORTH IN THE NOTICE CONVENING THE MEETING

11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

