

**KILKENNY COUNTY COUNCIL - COMHAIRLE CHONTAE CHILL CHAINNIGH**  
**Agenda for the Ordinary Meeting of Kilkenny County Council to be held on**  
**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> of May 2011 at 2.30 p.m. in Council Chamber, County Hall, John**  
**Street, Kilkenny.**

**Clár do Ghnáth-Chruinniú Chomhairle Chontae Chill Chainnigh le reachtáil ar an**  
**Luan 16<sup>th</sup> Bealtaine ar a 2.30 i.n. i Seomra na Comhairle, Halla an Chontae, Sráid**  
**Eoin, Cill Chainnigh.**

**1. Confirmation of Minutes - Dearbhú Miontuairiscí:**

- (a)** Minutes of Ordinary Meeting of Kilkenny County Council held on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> of April 2011 (copy of minutes attached)
- (b)** Minutes of Strategic Policy Committee No. 3 Environmental Policy, Fire Services and Emergency Planning Meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> April, 2011. (copy of minutes attached)

**2. Business prescribed by Statute, Standing Orders or Resolutions of the Council.**  
**- Gnó forordaithe do réir Reachtaíochta, Orduithe Seasta, nó Rúin**  
**an Chomhairle.**

**(a) Other Disposal - Díuscairt Eile**

- (i)** "That Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of land at property at Danganbeg, Knocktopher, Co. Kilkenny, in accordance with Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 to Thomas Davis, Danganbeg, Knocktopher, Co. Kilkenny". (Notification issued)
- (ii)** "That Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of land at Oldstone, Urlingford, Co. Kilkenny, in accordance with Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 to John O' Dwyer, Oldstone, Urlingford, Co. Kilkenny" (Notification issued)
- (iii)** "That Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of land at the Islands, Urlingford, Co. Kilkenny in accordance with Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 to Philip Fogarty, The Islands, Urlingford, Co. Kilkenny. (Notification issued)
- (iv)** "That Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of land at The Islands, Urlingford, Co. Kilkenny, in accordance with Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 to Brendan Hickey, The Islands, Urlingford, Co. Kilkenny". (Notification issued)
- (v)** "That Kilkenny County Council hereby approves of the disposal of land at Kilroe, Horse & Jockey, Co. Tipperary in accordance with Section 183 of the Local Government Act, 2001 to Philomena Maher, Parkstown House, Horse & Jockey, Co Tipperary" (Notification attached)

**(b) Corporate Affairs - Gnóthaí Corparáideacha**

Draft Annual Report 2010 (report to follow)

**(c) Roads - Bóithre**

Circular on Speed Limits. (report attached)

Amenity Grants for 2011 (report to follow)

**(d) Finance- Airgeadas**

2011-2013 Draft Capital Budget (report attached)

Economic Policy Update

**(e) Housing - Tithíocht**

Housing Report for First Quarter 2011 (report previously circulated)

**(f) Community & Enterprise -**

Adoption of Community & Cultural Facilities Grant Scheme. (report attached)

**3. Urgent Correspondence - Comhfhreagras Práinneach**

**4. Business adjourned from a previous Meeting - Gnó ar athló ó chruinniú roimhe seo:**

**5. Fix Dates and Times of Meetings - Dátaí agus Amanta do chruinnithe a shocrú:**

Schedule of meetings for May - July (attached)

**6. Consideration of Reports and Recommendations of Committees of the Council - Plé ar Thuairiscí agus Moltaí ó Choistí an Comhairle:**

**(a)** Report on SPC 3 Environmental Policy, Fire Services and Emergency Planning Meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> April, 2011 (copy of report attached)

**7. Other Business set forth in the Notice convening the Meeting - Gnó Eile romhainn i bhFógra reachtála an Chruinnithe**

**8. Education & Training**

Conferences – Request for approval to attend as per circulated list. Summary of proceedings at Conferences have been received from

<b>Councillor</b>	<b>Date of Conference</b>	<b>Title of Conference</b>
M. Shortall	4 <sup>th</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> March	Media Skills
S. Treacy	15 <sup>th</sup> -17 <sup>th</sup> April	The Future of Local Politics

**9. Matters Arising from Minutes - Gnótha ag éirí as Miontuairiscí**

**10. Any Other Business - Aon Ghnó Eile**

**11. Notices of Motion - Fógraí Rúin:**

**3(11) Cllrs. Tomas Breathnach, Ann Phelan, Marie Fitzpatrick, Michael O' Brien and Maurice Shortall, Thomas Prendergast.**

“That in view of the recent European Court of Auditors report on the international sugar industry that the Council writes to the Department of Agriculture & Food and to the Department of Enterprise, Trade & Employment to consider measures which would result in Ireland reacquiring its sugar beet production quota and to encourage the re-establishment of the sugar processing industry and alternative fuels industry in Ireland”.

**5(11) Cllr. Malcolm Noonan**

“That Kilkenny County Council would call on Government to recognise Travellers as a distinct ethnic group as recommended by the UN Committee for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, thereby bringing the traveller community into the ambit of various protections in international agreements and within the Irish state”.

**6(11) Cllr. Malcolm Noonan**

“In light of the accident at the Fukushima Nuclear Power Plant in Japan, that Kilkenny County Council calls upon the Irish Government to object to the British Government over the construction of its new generation of nuclear power plants on the west coast of Britain.”

**7(11) Cllrs. Maurice Shortall & Catherine Connery.**

“That Kilkenny County Council would include Ballyragget in the Alcohol Bye Laws Scheme which would prohibit the consumption of alcohol in all public and amenity areas of the town similar to what is presently in place in the four scheduled towns on County Kilkenny”.

**8(11) Cllr. Mary Hilda Cavanagh.**

“That this Council would contact the NRA again in relation to the traffic problems in Johnstown and write to the Minister for Transport seeking his support to find a solution to the intolerable problem of speeding trucks going through Johnstown especially at night”.

**9(11) Cllr. Mary Hilda Cavanagh**

“That this Council alert the public to the need for adequate “Fire brigade Call Out” cover on their house or business premises on the Council website and in the local press and local radio”.

**12. Notices of Motion from other local authorities seeking support of Kilkenny County Council County Council - Fógraí i dtaobh Rúin ó Údaráis Áitiúla eile ag lorg tacaíochta ó Chomhairle Chontae Chill Chainnigh:**

**10(11) Carrickmacross Town Council**

“That this Local Authority, in light of the potentially catastrophic danger to public health posed by various nuclear power plant reactors in Japan; renews its opposition to Westminster’s plans to build 5 new nuclear power stations along the Irish Sea in Britain and calls on the Government in Dublin to voice these concerns to Westminster in the strongest possible terms as well as calling on Dublin to take further legal steps confirming Ireland’s status as a Nuclear Free State”.