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MINUTES OF BANDON KINSALE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT MEETING HELD IN TOWN HALL, KINSALE HELD ON 20TH ~~NOVEMBER~~ 2018. DECEMBER

Members Present: Cllrs. A. Lombard, K. Murphy, G. Coughlan, A. Coleman, R. McCarthy.

In Attendance: Charlie McCarthy, Senior Executive Engineer, Bandon (C.M.C.)
Brendan Fehily, Executive Engineer Kinsale (B.F)
MacDara O'Hici, Senior Executive Officer (MD.O'H)
Mark Daly, Executive Engineer, Carrigaline (M.D.)
Enda O'Halloran, A/Municipal District Officer (E.O.H)
Claire O'Donovan, Clerical Officer

Apologies Cllr. J. O'Donovan

Cllr. Lombard asked that the Municipal District write to the parents of Ryan O'Sullivan, Belgooly who was a Cork County Council employee at the Bandon Area office to extend their sympathies on his passing.

1. Minutes

(a) Confirmation of minutes of meeting of Municipal District of Bandon Kinsale held on 23rd November 2018.

On the proposal of Cllr. Murphy, seconded by Cllr. Lombard the minutes of meeting held on 23rd November 2018 were agreed.

(b) Matters arising from minutes dated 23rd November 2018.

Cllr. Murphy

- Crossbarry bridge (which is a protected structure) and issue with traffic flow on R589. Signage needs to be improved and the possibility of putting traffic lights at this location be examined as well as the placing of a boardwalk at side of bridge. CMC said he would consult with Roads Design Office after Christmas.
- Can floodlighting be put in place at Area Engineer's office?

- What is plan of action for Shipool corner and issue with subsidence. It was agreed that a plan be requested from Roads Design Office.

Cllr. Coleman

- Asked if a list of vacant properties in Bandon was received. MOH said the list was being clarified and would be presented at the January meeting.

Cllr. Lombard

- Watermain issue at Ballinhassig, Fivemile and Halfway – reply from Irish Water. It was proposed to again write to Irish Water and say their reply was not acceptable.

2. Reports & Recommendations

(a) Bandon Main Drainage Scheme

EOH read out update on Bandon Main Drainage Scheme.

(b) Bandon Flood Relief Scheme

Noted.

(c) Update of Roadworks

CMC said that repairing potholes was being done.

Cllr. Lombard asked that the Ballyfeard Nohoval road be considered as it needs work. BF said he would look at this road.

(d) Chairman's Report.

A list of grants available was passed out to members.

Cllr. Coleman asked if text alert for Bandon could be discontinued. CMC said he would review in January.

(e) Municipal District Officer's Report.

None

3. Statutory Business

None

4. Correspondence

Cllr. Coleman asked if reply had been received from Uachtaran na hEireann and was told there wasn't as yet.

5. Any Other Business

Cllr. Lombard

- BKMD contacted Tourism SPC regarding connecting route between Ireland's Ancient East and Wild Atlantic Way. Cllr. Lombard informed the meeting that a group had been set up in Tracton. Cllr. Coleman said that a meeting would be arranged in January with the group, chairman and Tourism Officer.
- When will wall repair be done in Crosshaven? MD said these works are scheduled for next year.
- Footpath in Minane Bridge? Cllr. Lombard expressed disappointment about the lack of communication to members about progress and drew attention to a letter which had been sent to an Oireachtas member updating them and not the Councillors. He asked that Divisional Manager be written to and asked to report on why a CPO was not the preferred method of progressing the matter..
- Traffic calming and footpath at Ballygarvan. BF and CMC said that a design scheme was needed as well as funding. CMC informed members that a Section 50 for bridge widening was happening now.
- Growth by Lombards farm blocking signage.

Cllr. Murphy

- Provision of bus shelter. Need a temporary structure to be put in place while waiting for permanent shelter. MDOH said that the proposed plan was to be funded by the NTA who requested changes and this was the delay. The plan was to progress as soon as possible in accordance with the scheme approved by the members with the improvements set out by the NTA and it was not appropriate to put a temporary measure in place.
- Could the R611 from Belgooly to Ballyfeard be included in RI Programme 2019. BF said it was.
- Issue with subsidence and flood areas on Oysterhaven to Cush road.
- Burst pipe at Kilbrittain.
- Thanked BF for hedges cut at Ardcarraig Estate.
- Rights of way at Innishannon. MDOH said that it is a function of the Attorney General to protect public rights and a formal dedication of a right of way was required by Irish law before a public right of way could be legally asserted. When Cllr Murphy's said that a former Member from Bandon had evidence of the dedication in relation to these rights of way MDOH said that he would write to her to ask her for those details.
- Cllr. Murphy asked if monies left over in relation to public toilets in Kinsale Town Council were transferred to Cork County Council. EOH said that this money was in a capital code and available for public convenience works.

- Table tops in town centre in need of repair. Could one on Market Street and New Road be changed to pedestrian crossings?
- Broken light at Fourwinds, Featherbed Lane.
- Subsidence behind Sleaveen Park.
- Lights by Harbour Masters office. EOH said it's being done.
- Cars parked on Saile road causing upset for Cluid construction site. It was agreed to write to school. Cllr. Coleman suggested raising at the next Saile meeting if Saile car park could be used by school for parking.
- Condition of Forest Road.
- Can crossroad at Ballintubber Woods be upgraded?

Cllr. McCarthy

- House at Oliver Plunkett Street that partially fell down last week, commended Area Engineer's office on swift action and said that traders were enquiring about when the street will be reopened. CMC said the primary issue was public safety and would remain closed until such a time as it was deemed safe. Cllr. McCarthy requested that a statement be issued to the public. CMC said that a structural engineer would be onsite today and more would be known upon receipt of report.
- Thanked Cork County Council for their response to flooding on Bridge Street.
- Potholes in centre of town.

Cllr. Alan Coleman

- Can gullies at Halfway and Church Hill in Innishannon be cleaned?
- Can a report from Saile be presented at next meeting by Cllr. Murphy?
- Sewers at Innishannon: Irish Water informed residents that the sewers are the responsibility of the homeowner until they joined the public sewer despite being under the public road. BF said that when Cork County Council were in charge of sewers that it was the same.
- Could footpath programme include Bandon Co-op, St. Multose School and also link to Kinsale Manor Estate?
- Any estimated time for speed signs at Belgooly? BF said they were waiting on arrival.
- Could dead tree at Clontead cemetery be cut down?
- Road bubbling between Black Cross and N71. BF to look.
- Road condition at Ballyheada.
- Can County Engineer be written to regarding Section 50 culvert at Hurleys Farm?

Cllr. Coughlan

- Can signs be put up to direct HGV's to use the Southern By-Pass. Can survey be done?
- Can new railings be put up around The Shambles?
- Laurel Walk impassible.

- Rices Road residents, Cllr. Coughlan said she had been in contact with Irish Water and the residents were told it was at their own expense to connect to public sewer. This is not a Cork County Council issue.
- Coolmaine/Harbour View improvements? MDOH said that an appropriate assessment will be done in early 2019 as a first step to designing any improvements.
- Speeding on Kilmoney Road.

This concluded the official business of the meeting.

CATHAOIRLEACH Aidan Lonsdale

DATE 25/01/2019