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## MINUTES OF BANDON KINSALE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT MEETING HELD IN TOWN HALL, BANDON ON 25<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2018.

**Members Present:** Cllrs. R. McCarthy, Gillian Coughlan, A. Lombard, A. Coleman J. O'Donovan, K. Murphy

**In Attendance:** Charlie McCarthy, Senior Executive Engineer, Bandon (C.M.C.)  
Brendan Fehily, Executive Engineer, Kinsale (B.F)  
Mac Dara O'Hici, Senior Executive Officer (M.D O'H)  
Mark Daly, Executive Engineer, Carrigaline (M.D.)  
Enda O'Halloran, A/Municipal District Officer (EOH)

### 1 (a) Confirmation of Minutes of Municipal District of Bandon-Kinsale Meeting held 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018.

On the proposal of Cllr. O'Donovan seconded by Cllr Murphy the Minutes of Meeting of Bandon-Kinsale Municipal District held on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018 were confirmed.

### 1 (b) Matters arising from Minutes dated 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018.

#### Cllr. Murphy

- Condition of Halfway Village. Has mentioned it several time in the past. Estate is unfinished.
- Ballinadee – River needs to be cleaned up.
- Innishannon Village – Abandoned buildings. Can CCC get a plan together to regenerate the village?
- Can the Municipal District get a list of annual funding schemes for Councillors?

#### Cllr. Lombard

- Can a survey of the new footpath at Minane Bridge be carried out? MD said that there was a survey carried out last and submitted for 2019 capital funding. Cllr. Lombard says the scheme should be shovel ready and we should be better at future planning.

## 2 Reports & Recommendations

### a) Bandon Main Drainage Scheme

Report circulated to councillors

### b) Bandon Flood Relief Scheme

Cllr. Coughlan mentioned community festival at footbridge on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June.

EOH circulated FEWS update. Cllr. Coughlan said FEWS was revolutionary when it was installed first.

**c) Update on Roadworks**

CMC circulated update.

CMC said that tenders back for blacktop contracts.

Cllr. Murphy asked about road in Kilbrittain that was in as a fall back scheme this year. CMC said another road would have to be taken off programme to fund this road.

Cllr. Lombard queried whether Crosshaven road would be resurfaced before Ford Week.

**d) Report from Municipal Chairs Meeting.**

None this month.

**e) Municipal District Officers Report**

29<sup>th</sup> June was picked for next meeting in Bandon. The AGM will be provisionally held in Crosshaven.

Cllr. Coleman thought we were a bit harsh on Bandon Show not sponsoring them through Community Grant Scheme. Cllr. Murphy asked about it being brought to CPG for clarification going forward.

Cllr. Murphy queried Belgooly group applying for speed actuated flashing lights in Belgooly village.

**3 Statutory Business**

**(i) Kinsale Library Part 8**

Cllr McCarthy welcomed it. Cllr Murphy proposed the development and Cllr Coleman seconded it.

**(ii) Notices of Motion submitted by Cllr. Aidan Lombard:**

**(a) That Cork County Council progresses a design and a costing for the provision of a footpath from Riverbank housing estate to Belgooly village.**

Cllr. Lombard again highlighted the need for schemes to be shovel ready. KM agreed with shovel ready approach. CMC said it is a resource issue. He said they will get it onto a priority list but the design office is extremely busy. CMC said he will get a list together from senior engineer for these type projects for the committee. Cllr. Murphy asked did Riverbank planning include a footpath. BF said it did as far as he is aware.

- (b) That Cork County Council survey Camden road in Crosshaven and see what measures can be taken to reduce speed on the road and make pedestrians safer on the road in the short term. This is a problem throughout Crosshaven and I also propose we write to the Road Design Office to do a full infrastructural plan for Crosshaven.**

Can transportation study be done for Crosshaven similar to Kinsale? Committee to write to Peter O'Donoghue to see how to progress this.

- (c) The issues in Graball Bay of little or no known road surface, no public sewerage provision and very poor water quality are ongoing and I understand part of a full proposal. I would ask that the District Office would do a high quality patching job and drainage job on the road and car park in the meantime as the road, drainage and general maintenance of the bay needs urgent attention.**

Can we fix potholes and clear drains? MD said no potholes up there but drainage is not good enough. Cllr. Lombard asked could velocity patcher be sent down as far as car park?

#### **4 Correspondence**

None.

#### **5 Any Other Business**

##### ***Cllr. Murphy***

- People are complementing the council for all the road works being done.
- Fivemilebridge needs a cleanup and road lining. Can BF get plan of action for it?
- Bus Park. When will it open? BF said he hopes it will open next week. BF said NTA are threatening to pull funding because of bus stop not being JC Deacux. BF said pedestrian crossing needed near here. Cllr. Murphy asked that public toilet be put into building at Cronin's. He also asked can sculpture at existing bus stop be moved to new location and bus parking/set down be put at this location?
- Shippool road. CMC said this is a very significant project, possibly a 7 figure sum to complete.
- Ballinspittle Village. Services under road. BF approached Irish Water on a number of occasions about laying new ductile water main. No answer from Irish Water yet. It is ready to go for after the summer.
- Footpath to Kilmore Woods.
- The Glen parking. Ongoing issues and Cllr. Murphy will contact Chamber about it.
- Kinsale Rugby 7's. Issue with the Council having to clean up after the rugby 7's. BF said that there is still glass broken on car park surface in the centre of Kinsale as people are corralled into this car park by Gardaí. Cllr Murphy has spoken to Gardaí about it already. Cllr. Murphy wants to arrange meeting with Gardaí and event organisers before next years event. Cllr. Coleman suggested that security on car park should give plastic glass out to people on entry to car park and no glass be allowed into car park.

##### ***Cllr. O'Donovan***

- LIS in Ballinspittle. Is it going ahead? CMC said no formal decision made yet. No confirmation of which scheme are picked yet.

- Bridge trench in Bandon. CMC talked to contractor and said it needs to be blacktop.

***Cllr. Lombard***

- 2 drains on R600 on Airport side of Fivemilebridge not catching water and is ponding outside house.
- Can we get public toilet at Roberts Cove and clean up beach? EOH said toilet to be organised for July and August.
- Can we look at getting toilet at the Dock Beach?
- Slipway at Roberts Cove green.

***Cllr. Coughlan***

- Condition of road surface on Oliver Plunkett Street.
- Potholes on Timoleague Road.
- Could the Council purchase Mart Field?
- Road surface on Macroom Road.
- Traffic issues on St Brogans Hill. CMC said bus stop is part of T-PREP. Gillian Coughlan asked can land acquisition be advanced at this location.
- There will be issues with parking on Convent Hill with new houses. What can Council do? Cllr. McCarthy proposed Northern Relief Road should seriously help this. Cllr Coleman said there is a live planning application here at the moment and it should be addressed through the planning process.
- Cllr Coughlan queried driver activated speed signs in Belgooly.
- Harbour View Beach. Hard core needed. Cllr. Coleman said that dunes are increasing in size. Can we stop drivers going all the way through?
- Walkway at the causeway at Harbour View Beach needs a couple of loads of hardcore.
- Is the lane to the side of Dr. Callanan's off Ballymoden Place into Riverview taken in charge?
- Issues with cable across Scilly Walk from house.
- Could we write to Irish Water about getting a capital programme of works in the MD?

***Cllr. McCarthy***

- Condition of Macroom Road.
- Condition of Rices Road.
- Horsehill Road in Ballinadee in bad condition.
- Verges at Halfway roundabout needs cutting.
- Toilet for Myrtleville?
- Old Millbrook nursing home derelict. Fire there in the past. Can derelict report be done?
- Rugby 7's Kinsale.
- Civic Reception prior to July Meeting? Councillors are to send suggestions into EOH prior to next meeting.

***This concluded the official business of the meeting.***

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*Paul M'Carthy*

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*29.6.18*