MINUTES OF ORDINARY MEETING OF CORK CITY COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER 2016

PRESENT An tArd-Mhéara Comhairleoir D. Cahill.

NORTH EAST Comhairleoirí T. Tynan, T. Brosnan.

NORTH CENTRAL Comhairleoirí T. Gould, K. O'Flynn, L. O'Donnell, F. Ryan, J.

Sheehan.

NORTH WEST Comhairleoirí M. Nugent, T. Fitzgerald, K. Collins, M. O'Sullivan.

SOUTH EAST Comhairleoirí K. McCarthy, C. O'Leary, L. McGonigle, T. Shannon,

N. O'Keeffe.

SOUTH CENTRAL Comhairleoirí M. Finn, F. Kerins, T. O'Driscoll, S. Martin.

SOUTH WEST Comhairleoirí J. Buttimer, H. Cremin, M. Shields, F. Dennehy, P.J.

Hourican, T. Moloney.

ALSO PRESENT Ms. A. Doherty, Chief Executive.

Mr. J. Hallahan, Head of Finance.

Mr. B. O'Hare, Management Accountant, Finance.

Mr. P. Moynihan, Director of Services, Corporate & External Affairs.

Mr. D. Joyce, Director of Services, Environment & Recreation.

Mr. J.G. O'Riordan, Senior Executive Officer, Corporate & External

Affairs.

Mr. M. Steele, Administrative Officer, Finance.

Ms. N. Fitzgerald, Staff Officer, Finance.

Party Whips agreed to defer the start of the meeting to 4.45pm.

An tArd-Mhéara Comhairleoir D. Cahill recited the opening prayer <u>and</u> observe<u>d</u> one minute's reflection.

An tArd-Mhéara offered a vote of sympathy to Comhairleoir F. Dennehy and his family on their recent bereavement.

The Chief Executive outlined the main points contained in the "Report to members on matters to which Cork City Council are required to have regard in setting the Local Adjustment Factor for the Local Property Tax" which had been circulated.

VOTE ON WHETHER OR NOT TO ADJUST THE BASIC RATE OF LPT

On the proposal of An tArd-Mhéara, seconded by Comhairleoir S. Martin, a vote was called for to **not** adjust the basic rate of LPT, where there appeared as follows: -

FOR: Comhairleoirí K. O'Flynn, J. Sheehan, T. Fitzgerald, K. McCarthy, An tArd-

Mhéara D. Cahill, L. McGonigle, T. Shannon, N. O'Keeffe, M. Finn, T. O'Driscoll, S. Martin, J. Buttimer, M. Shields, F. Dennehy, P.J. Hourican, T.

Moloney.

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AGAINST: Comhairleoirí T. Tynan, T. Brosnan, T. Gould, L. O'Donnell, F. Ryan, M.

Nugent, K. Collins, M. O'Sullivan, C. O'Leary, F. Kerins, H. Cremin.

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As the numbers voting in favour of not adjusting the LPT rate exceeded those voting against, An tArd-Mhéara declared the vote to not adjust the LPT rate carried.

The following resolution was then proposed by Comhairleoir S. Martin and seconded by Comhairleoir L. McGonigle: -

"It is resolved that at the meeting of Cork City Council on 29th September 2016, the basic rate of the Local Property Tax should stand unchanged for the year 2017 in respect of the relevant residential properties situated in its administrative area."

An tArd-Mhéara declared the resolution adopted.

This concluded the business of the meeting

ARD-MHÉARA CATHAOIRLEACH