

**COMHAIRLE CATHRACH CHORCAÍ
HALLA NA CATHRACH
CORCAIGH**



**CORK CITY COUNCIL
CITY HALL
CORK**

Bíodh a fhios agat go dtionólfar cruinniú de Chomhairle Cathrach Chorcaí ar an dáta thíosluaite, ar a **5.30 A CHLOG I.N., I SEOMRA NA COMHAIRLE, HALLA NA CATHRACH, CORCAIGH** chun na gnóthaí seo a leanas a dhéanamh:-

Take notice that a Meeting of Cork City Council will be held on the undermentioned date, at the hour of **5.30 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, CORK** for the transaction of the following business:-

GNÁTHCHRUINIÚ – DÉ LUAIN, 25^ú FEABHRA 2019

ORDINARY MEETING – MONDAY, 25th FEBRUARY 2019

1. Votes of Sympathy.
2. Votes of Congratulations/Best Wishes.

3. **LORD MAYOR'S ITEMS**

To consider any item the Lord Mayor may wish to raise.

4. **CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S ITEMS**

4.1 **CORK ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL 2019**

An Chomhairle to consider the report of the Chief Executive on the proposed holding of an event by Cork City Council under the Planning and Development Act, 2000 and Planning and Development Regulations 2001. The event is the Cork St. Patrick's Day Parade, Sunday 17th March 2019.

5. **MINUTES**

To consider, and if so decided to approve as correct record and sign Minutes of:-

- Ordinary Meeting of An Chomhairle held 28th January 2019 (as amended).
- Ordinary Meeting of An Chomhairle held 11th February 2019.

6. **QUESTION TIME**

Questions submitted enclosed.

7. **ITEM REFERRED FROM MEETING OF AN CHOMHAIRLE HELD ON 28th JANUARY 2019**

PARTY WHIPS – 14th JANUARY 2019

7.1 **NAMING OF BRIDGE BETWEEN MERCHANTS QUAY TO HARLEY STREET**

At a meeting of An Chomhairle held on 28th January 2019, An Chomhairle considered and approved the recommendations of 5 names by Party Whips, regarding the Naming of Bridge between Merchants Quay to Harley Street.

An Chomhairle considered and approved the following shortlist of names:-

1. Mary Elmes
2. Mother Jones
3. Leslie Price de Barra
4. Donnchadh de Barra
5. Joan Denise Moriarty

It was further agreed that the names be selected as follows:-

- (a) Each Member present to be afforded the opportunity to identify their preferred nomination from the agreed shortlist.
- (b) The two nominations with the two highest number of preferences to be confirmed by the Lord Mayor, and in the event of any tie the two name(s) to go forward to be determined by casting vote(s) of the Lord Mayor.
- (c) Each Member present then to be afforded the opportunity to identify their preference from the two resultant names with the Lord Mayor having further casting vote in the event of a tie.

8. **CORPORATE POLICY GROUP – 18th FEBRUARY 2019**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Corporate Policy Group, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 18th February 2019.

8.1 **FINANCIAL STATEMENT TO 31st JANUARY 2019**

J. Hallahan presented the Financial Statement to 31st January 2019.

Decision of Group

It was agreed to refer the Financial Statement of 31st January 2019 to An Chomhairle for consideration.

9. **HOUSING & COMMUNITY FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 18th FEBRUARY 2019**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Housing and Community Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 18th February 2019.

9.1 **MONTHLY REPORT**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services on Housing for January 2019.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

9.2 **SOCIAL HOUSING DELIVERY IN CORK CITY 2018**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 14th February, 2019 on Social Housing Delivery in Cork City in 2018.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for information.

9.3 **HOUSING MAINTENANCE – CATEGORISATION OF REPAIRS**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 14th February, 2019 on Housing Maintenance – Categorisation of Repairs.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for information.

9.4 **CATEGORIES OF HOUSING NEED**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 14th February, 2019 on Categories of Housing Need.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for information.

9.5 **ELIGIBILITY FOR SOCIAL HOUSING LIST**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 14th February, 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That Cork City Council would consider putting on hold / freezing applicants on our social housing list for a period of two years rather than removing them from our list for those whose income exceeds the income threshold for a limited period of time. Families who try to improve their financial situation find themselves removed from the social housing list despite the precarious nature of their employment and must start the process again from the beginning if they become either unemployed or receive a reduction in income. This measure would prevent poverty traps from forming in regard to eligibility for social housing support.’

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 19/014)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

9.6 **SITE AT MODEL FARM ROAD**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 14th February, 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That Cork City Council refer this motion to the Housing Functional Committee for consideration prior to writing to the Minister for Housing, Eoghan Murphy, to request sufficient funding for the construction of a scheme of 100% public mixed income housing on the 4.7 acre site at Model Farm Road which was withheld from sale by decision of the City Council meeting of 10th December 2018.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 19/027)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10. **ROADS & TRANSPORTATION FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 18th FEBRUARY 2019**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Roads and Transportation Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 18th February 2019.

10.1 **ROADWORKS PROGRAMME**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated 14th February 2019 on the progress of the ongoing Roadworks Programme for the month ending January 2019.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.2 **REPORT ON WARD FUNDS PAID IN 2018**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated 14th February 2019 on Ward Funds paid in 2018.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.3 **REPORT ON SECTION 38 PUBLIC CONSULTATION FOR PROPOSED TRAFFIC CALMING AT BANTRY PARK ROAD**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated 14th February 2019 regarding report on Section 38 Public Consultation for proposed Traffic Calming at Bantry Park Road.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.4 **2019 REGIONAL AND LOCAL ROAD GRANT ALLOCATIONS**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated 14th February 2019 regarding correspondence from the Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport regarding the 2019 Regional and Local Road Grant Allocations.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.5 **2019 ESTATE RESURFACING PROGRAMME**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated the 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That Congress Road be included in the 2019 Estate Resurfacing Programme.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 18/289)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.6 **PONDING AT POPES HILL**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated the 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That the ponding at the bottom of Popes Hill on the North Ring Road be looked at as a matter of urgency.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O’Flynn 18/356)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.7 **SIGN ON EVERGREEN ROAD**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated the 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘I ask the Roads & Transport Directorate to erect a sign (facing Eastward) stating (THIS ROAD IS UNSUITABLE FOR ARTICULATED VEHICLES) on Evergreen Road Westward of the junction with Summerhill South/Murphy’s Gardens. All too often articulated vehicles using a Sat Nav/Google Maps, and heading for the Limerick Road or Western suburbs, are directed up through Evergreen Road/Evergreen Street/Barrack Street all of which are totally unsuitable for such large vehicles resulting in major traffic disruption as generally the articulated vehicles have to reverse back down to Summerhill South.’

(Proposer: Cllr. P. Dineen 18/381)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.8 **CARS PARKING IN CYCLE LANES**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated the 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That Cork City Council Parking Enforcement Team address as a matter of urgency the growing problem of cars parking in designated cycle lanes around the City. These cycle lanes were installed as a safety measure for cyclists and cars parking in these spaces presents a serious safety hazard to all road users.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 19/017)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.9 **OLD LAMPS AT THE NATIONAL MONUMENT ON GRAND PARADE**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, dated the 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That Cork City Council reinstate the old lamps at the National Monument on Grand Parade.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 19/036)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.10 **SUSPEND THE CITY CENTRE MOVEMENT STRATEGY**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That Cork City Council suspend the City Centre Movement Strategy as it is not delivering on efficient Public Transport.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 19/037)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.11 **MURMONT GROVE AND MURMONT COURT IN THE ESTATES ROAD RESURFACING PROGRAMME 2019**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘Can the estate road which is a cul de sac at Murmont Grove and Murmont Court please be included in the estates road resurfacing programme for 2019. Similar to other estate cul de sacs in our area this road has never been resurfaced. Over the years various areas have been dug up for various services and in many cases not properly reinstated. This cul de sac needs to be fully resurfaced.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 19/038)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.12 **SPEED MONITOR SIGN ON LOWER GLANMIRE ROAD**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘Can a speed monitor sign that indicates the speed of the passing traffic please be installed on Lower Glanmire Road between Kent Station and the bridge.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 19/039)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.13 **SPEED RAMPS IN BISHOPSCOURT DRIVE**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘I am proposing that 4 speed ramps would be installed in Bishopscourt Drive. This area has become a ‘rat run’ for huge traffic which exits from Aldi Supermarket (cannot make a u turn there) so turn left into Bishopscourt Drive, Bishopscourt Park and on to main Bishopstown Road again, causing a huge problem for residents. Speeding on this road is a major dangerous issue.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Shields 19/041)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.14 **REMOVE GRAVEL AND GRIT IN GLEN AVENUE**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘The Gravel and grit that has fallen in the shores in Glen Avenue be immediately removed to stop and abate any blockages of water and nuisance of ponding in the area.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O’Flynn 19/043)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.15 **TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES AT ASHMOUNT ESTATE, SILVERSPRINGS**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That Cork City Council will survey Asmount Estate, Silversprings for traffic calming measures which could include signage reflecting the 30k speed limit, with the area near the creche a concern for residents, City Council to engage with the County Council on this as part of the estate is currently within the County administrative area.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 19/049)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.16 **TRAFFIC WARDEN AT TORY TOP ROAD**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘That a pedestrian or traffic warden crossing at the Tory Top Road end of Upper Clarkes Road be considered, to facilitate school-going pedestrians, library users and customers of the businesses located there.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 18/359)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.17 **PARKING PROBLEMS AT LOWER FRIARS WALK, BALLYPHEHANE**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘In an effort to combat chronic parking problems due to location of a medical centre, credit union and church, double yellow lines are painted outside the driveway entrances of Lower Friars Walk, Ballyphehane so residents can access their properties.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 18/360)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.18 **REDUCE THE CLOSURE OF PATRICK’S STREET**

Members considered the report of Director of Services dated 14th February 2019 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:-

‘In view of the on-going trading issues being experienced by our City Centre indigenous traders and other traders alike I ask that Cork City Council would reduce the closure of Patrick’s Street to 5 days per week (Monday to Friday) and reinstate normal traffic flow on Patrick’s Street on Saturday, Sunday and Bank Holiday Mondays. This would, I believe, be proactive and may help to alleviate the current difficulties that the current Movement Strategy is creating.’

(Proposer: Cllr. P. Dineen 18/379)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.19 **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

The Director of Services updated members on naming the new pedestrian bridge at Harley Street, with a decision scheduled to be made on the 25th February 2019. Members noted and agreed to refer to An Chomhairle for information.

11. **CORRESPONDENCE**

An Chomhairle to note correspondence, if any.

12. **CONFERENCE/SEMINAR SUMMARIES**

An Chomhairle to note summaries by Members of Conferences/Seminars attended, if any.

13. **CONFERENCES/SEMINARS**

An Chomhairle to approve attendance at Conferences/Seminars tabled on the night, if any.

14. **TRAINING**

An Chomhairle to approve attendance at training tabled on the night, if any.

15. **CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S MONTHLY MANAGEMENT REPORT**

An Chomhairle to note the Chief Executive's Monthly Management Report for January 2019.

16. **MOTIONS**

To approve the referral to the relevant Committee of the following motions, due notice of which has been given:-

16.1 **FOOTPATH RENEWAL IN CONNAUGHT AVENUE**

'That extensive footpath renewal be carried out in Connaught Avenue.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 18/294)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

16.2 **CORK CITY COUNCIL CLEANING REGIME**

'That the Curragh Road, Kinsale and adjacent park be included in a regular Cork City Council cleaning regime. It is one of the main road networks into town and it should be cleaned on a regular basis.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 18/295)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

16.3 **NEW FESTIVAL FOR CORK CITY**

‘Following on from the Impact 18 Cities of Culture conference in Liverpool I ask that Cork City Council would endeavour to create a new festival for our new enlarged city. The new Festival should focus on many cultures that we have in Cork City and should be known as the (Mixed Culture Festival) or another. How and ever the festival name should promote culture inclusiveness from the outset. This new festival should/would ideally run over a weekend 2/3 days perhaps towards the end of summer. The (Mixed Culture Festival) should/will provide a platform for the many different Diasporas from far and wide that have now made Cork City their home. The festival should promote the various cultures within our city which will allow all of those that share this great city the opportunity to express themselves while at the same time gaining respect for each other.’

(Proposer: Cllr. P. Dineen 19/055)

Tourism, Arts & Culture Functional Committee

16.4 **BUTTER EXCHANGE BAND**

‘That Cork City Council engages with the Butter Exchange Band to explore the possibility of receiving funding from Cork City Council to develop the band room on John Redmond Street.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 19/057)

Tourism, Arts & Culture Functional Committee

16.5 **TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT BOHERBOY ROAD, SILVERSPRINGS LANE AND SILVERSPRINGS COURT**

‘That Cork City Council place traffic lights at the following junctions: Boherboy Road and Silversprings Lane and Silversprings Court and Silversprings Lane as they are extremely dangerous junctions and local residents are finding it impossible to access right onto Silversprings Lane and also access left at peak traffic times.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 19/061)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

16.6 **PUBLIC LIGHTING IN SILVER HEIGHTS AND BOHERBOY**

‘That Cork City Council Invest in a new public lighting scheme in the Silver Heights and Boherboy areas.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O’Flynn 19/069)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

16.7 **GRASS CUTTING IN COUNCIL AND PRIVATE ESTATES**

‘Can Council give a report on the situation of grass cutting for the green areas in both Council and private estates for 2019. Will they be cut regularly this year as there was a lot of green areas went uncut in 2018.’

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 19/074)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

16.8 **FOOTPATHS ON HAZEL ROAD, TOGHER**

‘That City Council would carry out an inspection of the footpaths on Hazel Rd; Togher particularly around number fourteen with the intention of carrying out immediate repairs.’

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 19/075)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

16.9 **VEGETATION IN TRACTON AVENUE AND MIDDLE GLANMIRE ROAD**

‘That Cork City Council would clean out the overgrowth and vegetation in the ditch bordering Tracton Avenue and Middle Glanmire Road. The unkept nature of this area encourages the dumping of all kinds of rubbish in the overgrown vegetation which needs to be cut back and cleared.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 19/078)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

16.10 **TAKE IN CHARGE ORCHARD COURT, BLACKPOOL**

‘That Orchard Court in Blackpool, which was constructed in 1999, be taken in charge by Cork City Council.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 19/079)

Strategic Planning, Economic Development & Enterprise Functional Committee

16.11 **LEVELS OF TRAFFIC ON THE R635, NORTH RING ROAD**

‘In view of the constantly increasing levels of traffic on the R635 North Ring Road in Mayfield, including large volumes of heavy vehicular traffic, and given that the construction of a proper North Ring Road is still some way into the future, that urgent steps would be taken to protect those pedestrians using the narrow footpath between Tinker’s Cross and Ballyhooly Road and in particular the section of footpath between Boyne Crescent and Ballyhooly Road. In addition to the removal of overhanging brambles and loose stones, that remedial measures be

undertaken to prevent soil and other debris from falling onto the footpath from the raised embankment on the southern side of the footpath and to replace the disintegrating concrete railings on the northern side.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 19/083)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

16.12 **INCLUDE RICHMOND HILL, HARDWICK STREET AND OLD YOUGHAL ROAD IN THE CCMS**

‘That Richmond Hill, Hardwick St and the western side of Old Youghal Road between Landsdowne Court and Fever Hospital Steps be included in the CCMS phases 3, 4 and 5 as they will be impacted by the re routing of local traffic under the plan.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 19/089)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

16.13 **HOUSES ON CHURCHFIELD AVENUE**

‘That Cork City Council survey a number of houses on Churchfield Avenue to determine if works are needed to secure the backs of the houses on Churchfield Road.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 19/095)

Housing & Community Functional Committee

17. **MOTIONS**

17.1 **JUAN GUAIDÓ AS INTERIM PRESIDENT OF VENEZUELA**

‘That Cork City Council officially recognizes Juan Guaidó, the leader of the National Assembly, as the interim president of Venezuela.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O’Flynn 19/063)

17.2 **FUNDING FOR THE DEVELOPOMENT OF A VETERANS/PERSONNEL SUPPORT CENTRE**

‘I ask that Cork City Council would write to the Minister for Defence Mr Leo Varadkar to ask him to secure funding (€200k) for the development of a combined veterans/ personnel support centre in the Camp Field, Collins Barracks, Cork. The funding would be used to renovate two properties (defunct married quarters) in the Camp Field. The support centre will be used to provide advice and assistance to both serving and ex service men and women of the Defence Forces. With the second largest number of veterans in the country many of the Defence Forces veterans in the Cork region finds themselves in difficult financial situations and a number have

become homeless. The centre would provide essential support for both serving and retired personnel and would help to address homelessness for Defence Forces veterans.’

(Proposer: Cllr. P. Dineen 19/082)

17.3 **TITLE 3 OF THE HELMS BURTON ACT**

‘To ask the Tánaiste and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade his views on the fact that the Government of the United States of America may implement Title 3 of the Helms Burton Act; and if he will raise the matter with his US counterpart. This Act reinforces the illegal economic, commercial and financial blockade imposed by the US government against Cuba. Title 3 of the Act has a deep extraterritorial content and it seeks to impede Cuba's trade relations with other States and discourage foreign investment in Cuba. Successive US Governments have systematically approved every six months a suspension of application of Title 3. On 16 January 2019 President Donald Trump announced he will only approve a suspension for just 45 days and there is strong evidence of the intention to begin the application of the norm. If Title 3 of the Act is imposed, it will violate international law and norms and make a mockery of the 27 UN General Assembly motions that have passed with substantial majorities calling for the USA to end its blockade of Cuba. The application of Title 3 would severely affect the interests of Irish citizens.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 19/084)

17.4 **SUPPORT FOR PARENTS OF GAELSCOIL PHEIG SAYERS AND ST. PATRICK'S NATIONAL SCHOOL, GARDINER'S HILL**

‘That Cork City Council would offer its support and assistance to the parents of Gaelscoil Pheig Sayers, Farranferris in their appeal for suitable Special Needs Assistant coverage for children with special educational needs in the school. Furthermore, City Council also offers similar support to the parents in St Patrick's National School, Gardiner's Hill as they seek the development of an ASD unit on the school grounds.’

(Proposers: Cllr. M. Nugent, Cllr. K. Collins 19/091)

17.5 **IRISH DEFENCE FORCES**

‘That this Council recognises the selfless commitment of the Irish Defence Forces (Navy, Army and Air Corps) to the people of Ireland in defence of the nation and in the protection of the internal security of the State. In particular it acknowledges the role played by the Defence Forces in multinational peacekeeping, humanitarian relief, maritime security and fishery protection. This council in its support for the campaign for Respect and Loyalty calls on the Government to immediately take action to resolve the issues relating to the pay and conditions of service of Defence Forces Members as they are seriously impacting retention and recruitment.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Moloney 19/094)

JOSEPHINE GAZELY
MEETINGS ADMINISTRATOR

Chuíg gach ball de Chomhairle Cathrach Chorcaí.

21^ú Feabhra 2019