

Comhairle Contae Chorcaí

Halla an Bhaile, Cnoc Naomh Eoin,

Cionn tSáile, Co. Chorcaí, Éire.

Fón: (021) 4772154 · Faics (021) 4772615

Suíomh Gréasáin: www.corkcoco.ie



MINUTES OF BANDON KINSALE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT MEETING HELD ON MICROSOFT TEAMS APP ON 23rd June 2021.

Members Present: Cllrs. K. Murphy, M. O'Sullivan, G. Coughlan, A. Coleman, J O'Sullivan, S O'Donovan

In Attendance: Richard Cahill, Senior Executive Engineer (R.C)
Niall Dillon, Executive Engineer, Kinsale (N.D)
Ed Coleman, A/Executive Engineer, Kinsale
MacDara O'Hici, Senior Executive Officer (MD.O'H)
Claire Levis, Assistant Staff Officer.
Paul Barry, Municipal District Officer (P.B)

Statutory Monthly Meeting

1. Minutes

(a) Confirmation of minutes of meeting of Municipal District of Bandon Kinsale held on 23rd June 2021

On the proposal of Cllr. A.Coleman seconded by Cllr. J. O'Sullivan the minutes of meeting held on 27th May 2021 were agreed.

(b) Matters arising from minutes dated 23rd June 2021.

Cllr Murphy

Knockbrogan place-thank you for the clean-up from the residents.

Re Bandon bridge -wants to look into putting a boardwalk on the bridge. Mentioned this to minister and the head of the OPW when he met them.

MDO'Hici replied that a boardwalk was not possible unless it was raised to the height of the top of the wall to prevent flooding.

Cllr Coleman

Can resurfacing Ring village be put on the schedule for next year? R.C. replied and said this was a possibility.

Asked about the completion of the fish pass on the Bandon River- R.C. stated that it was complete.

Asked if Killaneer in Newcestown is on our list for the LIS program since it moved from the Macroom area, R.C. replied and said yes.

Cllr Coughlan

Asked if the TII could look at the new works on the Dunmanway road and possibly re-instate the lay bye? R.C. replied that he would pass this on to the team.

Asked if there was a maintenance contract after the Bandon main drainage was complete and R.C. said yes there was and there would be a snag list done before passing it over.

2. Reports and Recommendations.

(a) Bandon Main Drainage Scheme

P.B. read a report from the OPW. No change since last month.

(b) Engineer's Report.

R.C. updated the members on works being done currently.

Benches have been replaced in Garretstown and Garrylucas.

Some hedge trimming has been done on the Scilly walk in line with health and safety.

Road between Ballyfeard and Tabor lodge has been put on the maintenance program.

Works have been started in Dunworley beach, fencing and handrail.

Ballinaclashet wall has been put on the list.

Gullies on Archdeacon bridge have been cleared.

Spanish flag being put up in Charlesfort.

The road at the back of the Co-Op in Bandon is being re surfaced-there is a chance if budget allows to stretch this to the end of the road.

Clare O Leary walk car park- potholes have been filled.

Bandon Grammar-Bench has been made safe with the replacement of some of the wood.

Regarding the playground in Kinsale- plans are there to put a raised table in order to make it safer.

One-way system has been implemented at the Dock beach.

Knockborgan place – grass cutting has taken place.

Works are being started on the L5046 next week- this will include raising up the road by 400mm.

Crossbarry bridge wall issue- consultants have been appointed.

Cllr M O' Sullivan

Compliments the engineer on the report and the works done to date.

Welcomed the update on the playground and the benches at the beaches.

Cllr Coughlan

Asked for an extension of the footpath to Kinsale hospital.
Ballinadee road there are dangerous patches.
Asked if the villages in the area have applied for outdoor dining licences?
Thanks to the engineer for the works done in Cloghane.

Cllr Murphy

Mentioned that there was an old file regarding the footpath at the hospital and recommended R.C to look at it.

Cllr J O Sullivan

Thanks to R.C. for trying to fix the issues by the school in Timoleague, cars have been damaged there.
Thanks also for the works being done in Dunworley beach.

(c) Chairman’s Report.

No update however possibly a meeting in the coming month.

(d)Municipal Officers report



Municipal District Meeting indicative locations and dates for 2021

Jul 22 nd	Sept 23 rd	Oct 28 th	Nov 25 th	Dec 23 rd ?
MS Teams	Kinsale	Bandon	Bandon	Kinsale
MS Teams	Mun Hall	Town Hall	Town Hall	Town Hall

Streetscape Paint Scheme 2021

Closing date was the 28th May. Applicants have been contacted along with the amount of funding awarded to the successful ones.

Painting of the Stoney Steps

The steps were painted last week - with the theme being Anne Bonny. Before, during and after pictures:





WELL

WOMEN

WOMEN

FREEDOM

MAKE

HISTORY

PIRATE
ANNE
BONNY

BORN IN
KINSALE

C. 1700



Outdoor Seating Applications

Applications for outdoor street furniture are available from the Municipal Office in Kinsale.

Pedestrianisation of Streets in Bandon & Kinsale

Bridge Lane in Bandon and the Short Quay in Kinsale have become pedestrian zones for Summer 2021.



Arigadeen Walkway: Ballinascarthy to Courtmacsherry

Works on erecting waymarkers, map boards and interpretive signs commenced on Monday 21st June and are due to be completed by tomorrow. Walk will be approx. 15km in length.

The members welcomed the work done on the steps and the overall response was positive that it brightened up the area and that other areas should be looked at with the view to improving them.

AGM:

AGM is scheduled for Tuesday 6th July at 10am via Teams.

3. **Statutory Business.**
none

d)Notice of Motion

none

4. **Correspondence.**

None

5. **Any Other Business**

Cllr. Marie O’Sullivan

- Can Bus Eireann be written to and ask them why the Kinsale bus stop was moved in Cork City and why people hadn’t been informed?

Cllr S O’Donovan

- Pay parking in Bandon-the machines are still accepting money. Can anything that has been collected be donated to the playground in Bandon?

Cllr. J O’Sullivan

- Can the Coast road bridge in Timoleague be put on the RI program next year?
- Why are some graveyards not being maintained?
- Any updated on the Bench sponsoring process?

Cllr Gillian Coughlan

- Parking by Roseabbey park in Kinsale is becoming impossible for the residents. The parking there is being used by the school and this is not acceptable.
- The bridge in Tullyland- a contract has been awarded but when is the work starting?

Cllr. Murphy

- Graveyards should be always maintained funding should be found.
- Can the beach in Garrylucas be cleaning and raked with machinery, lots of debris and seaweed?
- The Orchard estate has a wall that is buckling this needs to be looked at urgently.
- Disappointed that the construction work on the library has not started.
- What is the update on the reopening of the Museum? Any staff assigned?
- Lots of vandalism on the public toilets in Kinsale-can CCTV be used to identify them?
- The road from Pedlars Cross to Bodeen is very dangerous.
- Some new trees are planted at Waltons Court can these be investigated?
- Road R611 needs to be upgraded can this be put on the program.

- Speed calming measures are needed for the road between Glasheen and Pikes Cross

McD O'Hici

- Consultation with the locals will be done before the installation of portaloos on local beaches.
- Regarding the vandalism- we will check into this.
- Will make sure the parking meters are turned off and not accepting monies.
- There is a budget cut to the maintenance to burial grounds however we will check and see what more can be done and consult with community groups.
- Looking at a workable scheme for sponsoring a bench.
- Regarding the Library and the construction-the Architects dept. is in close contact with the contractors.
- Regarding the Museum - works are being done in the background in cataloguing all items and an application will be sent to the Minister for funding for staff.
- Will look into cleaning some of our beaches with machinery however some will not have access.
- Regarding Roseabbey and the parking-will check the planning.

N.D.

- The construction of a new tabletop in Ballinadee is going out to tender.

Next MD meeting the 22nd July 2021

This concluded the official business of the meeting.

CATHAOIRLEACH

Kevin Murphy

DATE

22nd July 2021