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To each Member of Bandon-Kinsale Municipal District Area

A Chara,

Tabhair faoi deara go mbeidh cruinniú reachtúil de Cheantar Bardasach Dhroichead na Bandan/Chionn tSáile ar siúl i Leabharlann Dhroichead na Bandan, Dé Máirt 25 Márta 2025 ag 11:00am agus ar MS Teams chun an gnó seo a leanas a dhéanamh:

Kindly take notice that a statutory meeting of the Bandon/Kinsale Municipal District will take place at the **Bandon Library**, on Tuesday 25th March 2025 at 11:00am and on MS Teams for the purpose of transacting the following business:

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Brian Dunne

Oifigeach Ceantair Bardasacha

Agenda for Ordinary Meeting

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES/DEIMHNIÚ MIONTUAIRISCÍ

- (a) Minutes (as circulated) of Bandon/Kinsale Municipal Meeting dated 25th February 2025.
- (b) Matters arising from the minutes.

2. REPORTS & RECOMMENDATIONS /TUAIRISCÍ AGUS MOLTAÍ Ó OIFIGIGH

- (a) Engineers Report
- (b) MDO Report

3. STATUTORY BUSINESS/GNÓ REACHTÚIL

(a) Installation of disabled parking bay 14 Connolly St Bandon

4. NOTICES OF MOTION/ FOGRAÍ RÚN

(a) Cllr Gillian Coughlan

a) 'That Bandon Kinsale Municipal District would provide a beach - accessible chair at Garretstown and Garrylucas beaches to facilitate people with disabilities.'

b) 'That a speed survey would be undertaken in the village of Lislevane with a view to improving pedestrian safety in the village'.

5. CORRESPONDENCE / COMHFHREAGRAS

- (a) None
- 6. ANY OTHER BUSINESS / AON GNO EILE

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Municipal District Meeting indicative times and dates

1. <u>Community Recognition Fund</u>

The Community Recognition Fund was first introduced in 2023 to recognise the huge efforts made by communities in welcoming and supporting people coming to Ireland. The Department of Rural and Community Development recently announced funding under Window 2 whereby Bandon Playground has been allocated funding of €55,000. In 2024 significant investment was made from council reserves to remove older wooden equipment and replace it with more durable material and this final proposed investment of €55,000 will ensure the last of the older items are replaced.

2. Beach Access Disability works Garretstown and Garrylucas

As part of the ORIS scheme 2023 Cork County Council were allocated funding of €200,000 for interventions at four beaches in the Western Division with two of them being in the Bandon Kinsale Municipal District. Initial designs have been sought for this and whilst a date has yet to be agreed we hope to commence works in Quarter 4 of this year. Works will include integrating ramps, handrails and level platforms at the base of the ramps.

3. Town and Village scheme

The Town and Village Renewal scheme was launched last week which aims at funding projects that make our towns and villages more attractive and sustainable. The closing date for the submission of applications under the Building and Land Acquisition Measure is 2nd May 2025 and for the Main Scheme and Project Development Measure is 25th July 2025. Cork County Council will be collating a list of proposals over the coming months for submission to the department by the deadlines outlined

4. Development of the Short Quay Kinsale

Cork County Council previously received funding under the Town Centre First programme for the development of the Short Quay, Kinsale. This is currently being progressed by Cork County Councils placing making unit whereby we aim to have a design completed towards the end of the year. Community engagement will be factored into this process.

5. Ballymartle Walk, Riverstick

This project, which was also funded under ORIS, is currently being progressed by the Riverstick Walking Committee. Both Coillte and Cork County Council have worked closely with them and agreed a specification which is hoped to be delivered by June of this year.

6. Cork Community Paint Grant Scheme 2025

The Relove Paint Community Paint Grant Scheme is now open for applications, continuing a successful three year run in supporting community groups in Cork. This scheme, supporting a circular economy through the recycling of unwanted paint, has attracted widespread participation over recent years. Last year, 96 groups, including Tidy Towns, community associations, sports clubs, and schools from across Cork, received over 2,000 litres of high-quality, upcycled paint. The Community Paint

Grant Scheme is open to community groups, sports clubs and schools who can apply for up to 25 litres of paint, most of which is internal water-based paint, but some external paint may also be available. The deadline for applications is Friday 4th April 2025. For more information on Relove Paint and to apply for the Community Paint Grant Scheme, visit <u>www.relovepaint.ie</u>

7. Anti Litter Challenge

The Anti-Litter Challenge was introduced the 1990s to tackle the problem of litter in Cork County towns and villages. Communities compete and are scored by judges based on the presence or absence of litter on their roads and streets. The challenge is hugely popular with Tidy Towns groups, community organisations and environmentally conscious volunteers who work tirelessly to keep their communities' litter free.

Applications can be made online through the link below. The closing date is Wednesday the 9th of April and the 6-week judging period begins on the 28th of April.

For further details email <u>litterchallenge@corkcoco.ie</u> or contact Cork County Council on <u>021-</u> <u>4532700</u>

8. St Patricks Day

I would like to congratulate all the St Patricks Day committees on the hard works over the last few weeks. With the assistance of Cork County Council, Tidy Towns, local businesses and elected members each town delivered a memorable day for their communities.





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Proposer	Date Received	Notice of Motion Details	Cork County Council Response
Cllr Gillian Coughlan	19/03/2025	That Bandon Kinsale Municipal District would provide a beach - accessible chair at Garretstown and Garrylucas beaches to facilitate people with disabilities.	Cork County Council received funding under the Outdoor Recreation and Infrastructure Fund to improve disability access at both Garretstown and Garrylucas beaches. We aim to commence these works in Q4 2025 at which point consideration will be given to making a beach wheel-chair available during the bathing season.
Cllr Gillian Coughlan	19/03/2025	'That a speed survey would be undertaken in the village of Lislevane with a view to improving pedestrian safety in the village'.	Roads have agreed to carry out a Speed Survey