

**MINUTES OF ROSCOMMON MUNICIPAL DISTRICT MEETING HELD IN THE LOUGHNANEANE SUITE, ÁRAS AN CHONTAE, ROSCOMMON ON 18 DECEMBER, 2017 AT 12.15 P.M.**

**PRESENT:** Councillor Paschal Fitzmaurice, Leas - Cathaoirleach **PRESIDED**

**MEMBERS:** Cllr. Kathleen Shanagher, Cllr. Orla Leyden, Cllr. Domnick Connolly

**ABSENT:** Cllr. Nigel Dineen, Cllr. Michael Creaton

**OFFICIALS:** Ms. Breeda Burke, Staff Officer, Roscommon Municipal District  
Mr. Pat Murtagh, Senior Executive Officer, Community & Enterprise  
Ms. Sheena Cannon, Community & Enterprise

**61.17 RAPID PROGRAMME 2017**

Pat Murtagh outlined to the members the background to the RAPID Programme. A total of €64,500 was allocated in 2017 to Roscommon County Council under the scheme. 28 applications were submitted and on 4<sup>th</sup> December, 2017 the RAPID evaluation sub group evaluated the applications as agreed by the LCDC. The sub group had due regard to the RAPID strategic themes and LECP themes when evaluating the applications. The sub group of the LCDC are now submitting their recommendations for consideration by the members of the Roscommon Municipal District. The Department of Rural and Community Development has stipulated that payment of the grants must be made in 2017.

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor Fitzmaurice  
**SECONDED** by Councillor Shanagher

It was **AGREED** by all present to approve the recommendation of the LCDC to grant the Family Visitors Centre in Castlerea €16,000 under the RAPID Capital Programme 2017.

The members expressed enthusiasm for this very worthwhile project.

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

The foregoing Minutes are  
Confirmed and Signed:

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**Meetings Administrator**

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**Cathaoirleach**

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**Countersigned**