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**To: The Cathaoirleach and Each Member of the Boyle Municipal District**

**Date: Monday, 20 November 2023**

**Re: Notice of Boyle Municipal District Meeting**

Dear Cathaoirleach & Members,

Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the **Boyle Municipal District** will be held in the **Boyle Municipal District, Boyle** on **Friday, 24th November, 2023 at 2.30 pm** to discuss the agenda set out below.

You are hereby requested to attend.

Yours sincerely,

*Ivor Kilcline*

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**Ivor Kilcline**  
**Boyle Municipal District CoOrdinator**

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**PAIDIR**

## AGENDA

1. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest (Section 177 of the Local Government Act 2001 as amended)
2. Adoption of the Minutes
  - Minutes of Boyle MD meeting on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2022
  - Minutes of Boyle MD Budget meeting on 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2022
3. Matters Arising
4. Boyle MD Fund Project Revisions for Approval
  - (a) Roscommon Historical Society
  - (b) Ballinameen GAA
  - (c) Tarmonbarry Tidy Towns
5. Presentation of First Draft of LECP 2023-2027
6. Declaration of Public Road - 2023 November Director's Report Estate Taken in Charge
  - Section 11 (2) (b) of the Roads Act 1993 and Roads Regulations 1994, Part 2 Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), Section 180 Local Government Reform Act 2014 Schedule 3 Declaration of public road within the housing development at **Quay West North, Cootehall**
  - Section 11 (2) (b) of the Roads Act 1993 and Roads Regulations 1994, Part 2 Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), Section 180 Local Government Reform

Act 2014 Schedule 3 Declaration of public road within the housing development at **Quay West South, Cootehall**

7. Notices Of Motion

4.23 **Cllr. Valerie Byrne/ Cllr. Tom Crosby**

That Roscommon County Council insure that the necessary funding be put in place to Assets Management team for the repair of lighting in Kildollogue and Vesnoy estates in Strokestown. The problem arose due to the change in ESB Networks Regulations and significant works are required to rectify. These works need to be done now as winter is drawing in and it is not safe for people without the proper lighting in place.

8. Questions

8.23 Has the Council been successful in preventing Board Na Mona or their contractors from using the Cloonshanna Road and the Rooskey Tarmonbarry Road for Transporting over 80,000 ton of mill peat stockpiled on the bog for delivery to Northern Ireland.

Both roads are built over bog land with no proper foundation and could not at all sustain lorry loads with weights of over 30 tons on board. **Cllr. Tom Crosby**

9.23 Can Director of Services inform the meeting of what is the current progress with the flooding prevention measures for Bridge Street Strokestown. **Cllr. Tom Crosby**

9. Votes of Congratulations/Sympathy

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**DRAFT MINUTES OF Boyle Municipal District HELD IN THE Boyle Municipal District, Boyle  
ON Friday, 22nd September, 2023 AT 2.30 PM**

**PRESENT:** Councillor Liam Callaghan **PRESIDED**

**MEMBERS:** Cllr J. Cummins, Cllr T. Crosby, Cllr V. Byrne and Cllr M. Mulligan.

**OFFICIALS:** Greg O'Donnell, A/Director of Services  
Ivor Kilcline, Municipal District Co Ordinator  
Gerardine Lafferty, Staff Officer

**Apologies:** Cllr J. Murphy.

**49.23 DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST (SECTION 177 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2001 AS AMENDED)**

There was no conflict of interest declared.

**50.23 ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES**

- **Boyle MD Meeting – 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2023**

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor John Cummins

**SECONDED** by Councillor Valerie Byrne

It was **AGREED** to adopt the Minutes of the Boyle Municipal District meeting of 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2023.

- **Boyle MD Interim Meeting 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2023**

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor Valerie Byrne

**SECONDED** by Councillor John Cummins

It was **AGREED** to adopt the Minutes of the Boyle Municipal District Interim meeting on 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2023.

**51.23 MATTERS ARISING**

On behalf of Cllr. Joe Murphy, Cllr. John Cummins raised the issue of flooding in Strokestown that arose under Any Other Business point 5 on 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023. He stated that there has been more intense flooding since then.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell stated that the unusual heavy rainfall, along with surface run off and hard paved areas has meant that gullies and manholes cannot cope as they were not designed for this level of rainfall. Mr. O'Donnell agreed with Cllr. Cummins & Cllr Byrne that gullies in towns and villages should be maintained.

**52.23 BOYLE MD FUND 2023 - COIRCAL CHRUACHAIN PROJECT REVISION APPROVAL €2,320**

- **Boyle MD Meeting – 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2023**

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor Liam Callaghan

**SECONDED** by Councillor Valerie Byrne

It was **AGREED** to approve the project revision by Coircal Chruachain under the Boyle MD Fund 2023.

### 53.23 NOTICES OF MOTION

**Motion from Councillor Valerie Byrne: That Roscommon County Council make funds available to put a pedestrian crossing in Croghan in the interest of safety by slowing traffic and leaving it safe to cross the road.**

#### **Response:**

Boyle Area Office have looked at this proposal and are including it in the funding application for Safety Schemes 2024.

Cllr. John Cummins raised the issue of speeding traffic through village of Ballinameen and that a pedestrian crossing, similar to one in Ballyfarnon should be installed. He added that Ballinameen needs a traffic management system such as narrowed traffic lanes, etc.

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor John Cummins

**SECONDED** by Councillor Valerie Byrne

It was **AGREED** to propose that a pedestrian crossing be installed in Ballinameen as a traffic calming measure.

Greg O'Donnell clarified that the issue in Ballinameen would come under Active Travel and that a study of the traffic situation would need to be carried out.

Cllr. Tom Crosby gave his support to motion raised under the Safety Scheme and he also supported proposal for Ballinameen. Cllr. Crosby added that there is an issue with the road surface in Tarmonbarry village resulting in road noise for residents on the national primary, especially at night time.

Greg O'Donnell stated that the Tarmonbarry road is on a schedule of works by TII and he will follow up regarding timeline, etc.

Cllr. Liam Callaghan asked what section manages the Active Travel.

Greg O'Donnell clarified that Active Travel comes under the Roads Section.

Greg O'Donnell will give a full update on Active Travel projects in the Boyle MD Area - those at feasibility stage or completed and what projects are being looked at for 2025. Money allocated for 2024 will likely be used on Ballaghaderreen project. Future projects will depend on value for money, population size, etc.

Cllr Crosby noted lack of progress on the **Termonbarry to Whitehall ActiveTravel project**.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell advised it was a low priority due to the poor cost/benefit ratio; agreed to look at the possibility of doing a portion of the works to link development with Termonbarry.

Mr. Ivor Kilcline stated that the Part 8 Plan for Elphin – footpath and roads – is being rolled out.

Councillor Michael Mulligan asked about the Ballaghaderreen Regeneration Project that was passed by Boyle MD in October 2021. He stated that the Ballaghaderreen Town Team received an update on the

Square Project and that the notice from Roscommon Co. Council stated “as per meeting Monday attached Final Plans for Square.” Cllr. M Mulligan asked for confirmation of this and if there was a second plan different to that passed in October 2021.

Mr. Ivor Kilcline confirmed there is only the one plan unchanged since that passed in October 2021 and it is currently out to tender.

Mr. Greg O’Donnell agreed to get clarification for Cllr. Mulligan on the actual plan and also confirmed that the plan passed in October 2021 is unchanged

Cllr. Valerie Byrne stated that Active Travel was geared towards the regeneration of small towns and villages but that hasn’t happened and she has written to Minister Humphries. She stated that Elphin is “shovel ready” – funding needs to be made available.

Mr. Ivor Kilcline confirmed that works will start on roads and footpaths within Elphin village over the coming weeks.

#### **54.23 QUESTIONS**

**Question: Cllr. Valerie Byrne: Please provide an update on the work that was to take place between Jamestown and Drumsna. Money allocated some years back to get a design done and, as yet, that has not happened. Is this money still available for the design and will some of it be allocated to get the work started?**

#### **Response:**

Roscommon County Council has engaged Consultants with a view to developing an Inter Urban Greyway Pilot connection between Drumsna and Jamestown Villages on the L 1037.

Funding of €25,000 was received in the 2023 allocations to progress the scheme.

The project is currently at Stage I: Scheme Assessment, Concept Development, Options Selection and Preliminary Design.

Roscommon County Council hope to have the Options selection and preliminary design report by the end of September 2023 for submission to the NTA for approval.

Greg O’Donnell clarified that no funding has been received for this Active Travel project to date.

Cllr. Valerie Byrne stated that Leitrim Co Council has also looked for update on the Greyway. Boyle MD will keep pushing for the project to get it through the stages to completion. Some difficulty with the initial design has also delayed the project which is on-going for 3-4 years.

#### **55.23 VOTES OF CONGRATULATIONS/SYMPATHY**

Councillors who wish to express sympathy or congratulations to forward to Gerardine Lafferty.

#### **56.23 CIVIC RECEPTION PROPOSALS 2023**

There were no proposals for Civic Reception 2023.

## 57.23 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Cllr Tom Crosby raised the following items:

- **School at Cloonfour** – update on funding application  
Mr. Ivor Kilcline stated that funding has been reallocated for Cloonfour. Works should commence in 3-4 weeks. Lights update – solar lights, road markings, etc.
- **Rooskey Regeneration Scheme** – 1 small section of footpath at the Community Centre needs to be completed  
Mr. Ivor Kilcline confirmed that this has been agreed and that section in front of Centre will be concreted in next 4-5 weeks.
- **Update on N5**  
Greg O'Donnell stated that there is no further update since last meeting. He confirmed that one valid tender had been received and was evaluated by the RDO. Council hopeful that contract will be procured in Q4 2023. Department of Transport had to look at re applying for the funding for this project due to the higher costs involved which has well exceeded original estimate. If contract awarded in 2023, work should commence early 2024.

### ***Post meeting update:***

On 26<sup>th</sup> September 2023, Cabinet announced approval of the N5-Scramogue Road project for €450m.

**Boundary Fences on N5:** Cllr. Liam Callaghan stated that there are issues regarding the division of land and that some farmers not happy – boundary fences should all be put back in place.

Cllr. Valerie Byrne had the following issues:

**N5 CPO Payments:** Cllr. Valerie Byrne asked if all CPO payments sorted and that this would need to be resolved before Q1 2024.

**Traffic Noise N4 Boyle Side:** road surface noise on the N61 from the soccer pitch to its junction with the N4 had increased – could be linked to surface and/or speeds?

**Survey of Rivers in County – when is this being done.** Local rivers need cleaning especially with the recent increase in rain fall. Land flooding, rivers overflowing. Can a list of rivers under the control of Roscommon Co. Council be obtained and can members get a schedule for the other rivers under OPW and why some rivers are done, and others not.

Mr. Ivor Kilcline responded and stated that Roscommon Co. Council is not responsible for all rivers in County. There is a set amount. Roscommon Co. Council make returns on those rivers to OPW annually. A list of rivers under OPW will be obtained for next meeting.

Greg O'Donnell stated that in relation to maintenance of rivers, there has been a change of thought in that rivers should be left untouched so as not to accelerate the flow of water to somewhere else. Draining allows river to flow faster. EPA water reports indicate that JCB cleaning drains or creating drains on farm land causes more damage.

Cllr. Valerie Byrne stated that it is back then on the farmer which is not good enough. Land affected by flooding, cost implication very unfair to farmers.

**Ivy on Roadside Trees:** Trees alongside roads being destroyed by ivy – can anything be done? Very expensive on landowners to carry out maintenance works, e.g ESB, Eir, traffic management, etc.

Mr. Ivor Kilcline stated that the maintenance of trees is the responsibility of the land owner. Roscommon Co. Council can work with farmers e.g. in instances where roads are closed for road works, this is an opportunity for farmers and other land owners to get work done along roadside hedges and ditches.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell informed meeting the problem of ivy growing on trees was raised at the SPC meeting with Environment Section. Issue of ivy to be treated in same vein as ash die back.

**Newly appointed Area Engineer:** new Area Engineer very welcome to Strokestown Area and look forward to working with him.

Cllr. Michael Mulligan

**Local Bridges:** Cllr Mulligan noted local bridges (breakwaters/battlements) were in poor condition and needed attention.

Cllr. John Cummins had the following issues:

**N61 overlay project at Shankill**– issue with road sides not built up. Cars and lorries going in. Also, a few houses are still waiting for accommodation works in front of their houses. Why was road side build-up done with gravel and not clay as on regional and local roads?

Mr. Kilcline explained that edge filling/drainage with gravel finish on the N61 is per TII standard for road finish which must be adhered to.

**Drainage works at 2 houses on N61:** welcomes that works are about to commence.

Cllr. Valerie Byrne added that drainage works completed at four houses - 3 no one living in them. 1 who live in not done. Was promised to be done early Sept but no date

Mr. Ivor Kilcline requested Cllr. Byrne & Cllr. Cummins to send him details of the above and he will follow up.

Cllr. Liam Callaghan had the following issues:

**Doonshanville Bell Tower:** He welcomed funding being made available for Consultants to review structure. Hopefully funding will cover their costs.

**Complimented work done on N5 Bellanagare section** – standard at front of houses, including drainage finished very well and to a good standard.

Cllr T Crosby raised the following:

**Flooding in Strokestown**

3 business premises, 1 residential badly flooded. Insurance Companies do not pay out on 2<sup>nd</sup> incident or future incidents. Needs to be urgently attended to – what can be done?

Mr. Greg O'Donnell proposed to look at main drain which takes all the waste and Mr. Ivor Kilcline will review.

Recent flooding due to level of rainfall intensity. Existing drainage system cannot cope with that volume.

Mr. Ivor Kilcline stated that water came from car park and property at back of Percy French hotel – land to river privately owned. He stated the importance of gully and SW sewer maintenance in light of intensity of recent rainfall events.

Greg O'Donnell stated that if anyone had any measures or suggestion regarding these issues, to please forward and Roscommon Co Council would review.

**Part 8 Strokestown Public Realm Enhancement Project**

- Returned drawing solutions
- Less hard surfaces to facilitate drainage
- Maybe less car parks but not a big reduction.

***NEXT MEETING***

**The next meeting will be on Wednesday, 18th October, 2023.**

This concluded the business of the meeting.

The foregoing Minutes are

Confirmed and Signed:

*Ivor Kilcline*

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Meetings Administrator

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Countersigned



**DRAFT MINUTES OF Boyle Municipal District HELD IN THE Boyle Municipal Office - Boyle MD Offices  
ON Wednesday, 18th October, 2023 AT 2.30 PM**

**PRESENT:** Councillor Liam Callaghan      **PRESIDED**

**MEMBERS:** Cllr J. Cummins, Cllr T. Crosby, Cllr V. Byrne and Cllr M. Mulligan.

**OFFICIALS:** Greg O'Donnell, A/Director of Services  
Gerardine Lafferty, Staff Officer  
Colm Kelly, Executive Engineer

**Apologies:** Cllr J. Murphy.

**58.23 DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST (SECTION 177 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2001 AS AMENDED)**

There were no conflicts of interest declared.

**59.23 TO CONSIDER THE DRAFT BOYLE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT BUDGET FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2024**

Mr. Sean Mullarkey, Head of Finance presented the Chief Executive Report regarding the General Municipal Allocation (GMA) and the Draft Budgetary Plans for Boyle Municipal District 2024. Mr. Mullarkey, Head of Finance outlined that the total proposed General Municipal Allocation (GMA) for 2024 for the Boyle Municipal District Area was €985,000.

The decision taken at the Plenary meeting on the 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2022 to vary the LPT basic rate upwards by 15% allowed for the following items to be included in the GMA for 2023 & 2024.

- €255,000 of Community & Enterprise funding for distribution by members
- €187,200 for street cleaning
- €30,000 of funding has been allocated to the emergency graveyard budget
- €75,000 has been allocated to graveyard grants
- €72,000 in funding has been granted to assist Tidy Towns programmes.
- Town Team funding of €12,500 for each of the six town teams.

Mr. Mullarkey, Head of Finance outlined the rationale for allocating funds. The model used in 2023 for apportioning roads expenditure is (33.3% Population, 33.3% km Roads, 33.3% Condition) has again been applied in 2024.

Mr. Mullarkey clarified that for the 2023 GMA Budget, Boyle's allocation was €948,600, however the members agreed at the 2022 Plenary Budget Meeting to allocate €25,000 to Castlerea Fire Brigade and €1,667 for development of Business Network, leaving a new budget balance for 2023 of €921,933. The purpose of the draft budgetary plan meeting is to provide each municipal district an opportunity to allocate its proportion of the General Municipal Allocation according to its priorities.

The following budget changes for 2024 were noted:

- Taking in Charge: €10,000/€0 2023

- Public Lighting: €16,800/as for 2023
- Community Development: €85,000/€73,333 2023
- Town Teams: €37,500/ €30,000 2023
- Illegal Dumping: €7,500/€5,000 2023
- Street Cleaning: €70,200/ €68,700 2023
- Voluntary Graveyard Grant: €25,000/€21,600 2023
- Burial Grounds Emergency Repairs: €10,000/€6,000 2023

All of the elected members thanked Mr. Sean Mullarkey, Head of Finance for the comprehensive budget and welcomed the budget as presented.

Cllr Liam Callaghan queried the budget reallocation of €25,000 to Castlerea Fire Brigade from Boyle MD 2023's budget.

Mr. Sean Mullarkey clarified that at the Plenary Budget meeting, it was agreed to reallocate €8,333 per Operational Area and as Boyle has 3 Operational Areas, Boyle's contribution totaled €25,000.

Cllr. John Cummins queried the €25,000 allocated to Castlerea Fire Brigade at last year's meeting and was this money spent and if not, could it be taken back. Members had understood the allocation was per Municipal District and not Operational Area.

Mr. Sean Mullarkey stated that the €25,000 is resting in a Capital Account and this funding rolls over year to year. This was agreed at the full Council meeting in 2022 and the decision cannot be reversed.

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor L Callaghan  
**SECONDED** by Councillor V. Byrne

It was **AGREED** that any proposed amendments to the budget would be reviewed by the MD Coordinator and Area Engineers to assess the impact of such an amendment on MD budget/projects.

Cllr. Tom Crosby queried the allocation of €7,500 for Illegal Dumping stating that such an amount is totally inadequate for the extent of illegal dumping problems across the Municipal District. Budget is too restrictive to tackle the situation. Illegal dumping is a blight on the countryside and impacts on tourism & fishery. Penalties applied are ineffective and that laws on illegal dumping should be changed.

Cllr. Valerie Byrne asked how is household rubbish collection monitored and if those without bins are asked to produce receipts to prove rubbish brought to dump.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell confirmed that disposal of household rubbish is checked by Roscommon Co Council. Roscommon Co. Council has access to bin collection data linked to eircode. This information can be used to target those who don't have a bin collection service.

Cllr. Michael Mulligan stated that illegal dumping is a serious issue in forestry and the Ballaghaderreen Area. The cleanup is left to volunteers who collect lorry loads of rubbish around the town. He also asked if results of survey done in Ballaghaderreen on bin collection can be made available.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell stated that the Council follows up with private land owners such as Coillte where illegal dumping takes place on their land. Roscommon Co Council has a role in following up on illegal dumping. CCTV likely in 2024 but use of it is very restrictive

Mr. Greg O'Donnell is to check with Environment Section for the result of this survey. There will be follow up with Coillte if there is illegal dumping on their land.

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor T Crosby  
**SECONDED** by Councillor J. Cummins

It was **AGREED** to raise the issue of budget allocation for Illegal Dumping at the next Plenary Meeting.

Cllr. Liam Callaghan complimented Roscommon Co Council on the speed limit signs in towns and villages. Signs are worthwhile in light of number of serious accidents on roads.

Cllr. John Cummins stated that along with street cleaning, there is the maintenance of the newly opened An Rioga in Boyle that will require continuing maintenance and cleaning. Area Office would need resources/funds to cover costs.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell agreed that additional resources - under the Public Realm Team – should be available.

Mr. Sean Mullarkey agreed that Public Realm Team funding should include maintenance of such a facility like An Rioga.

Cllr. Valerie Byrne queried Public Lighting funding and that some estates are still waiting on lighting. Public lights being replaced by LED lights and contracted to Electric Skyline through Mayo Co. Council but asked what is the situation regarding new lighting as new lighting is needed in her area.

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor V. Byrne  
**SECONDED** by Councillor T. Crosby

It was **AGREED** that funding be made available for the Connacht Fleadh 2024 being held in Strokestown and that the application for funding would be favourably received.

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor L. Callaghan  
**SECONDED** by Councillor J. Cummins

It was **AGREED** that a list of estates in Boyle and their status regarding Taking in Charge be presented at next Boyle MD meeting.

Cllr. L Callaghan also requested that for next meeting, there would be an update on verge trimming costs and how much has been completed.

**N5 update**

Mr. Greg O'Donnell stated that the budget and project have been approved. The project is still on track and hope to award contract before end of 2023.

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor T. Crosby  
**SECONDED** by Councillor John Cummins

It was **AGREED** to adopt the Draft Budgetary Plan for Boyle Municipal District 2024 as presented.

### **60.23 ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

**(a)** Cllr. Valerie Byrne expressed get well wishes on behalf of members to Annette Donlon, Environment Section, and wished her a speedy recovery.

#### **(b) Roundabout at Abbeytown (Nordstrom)**

Cllr John Cummins stated that this roundabout is causing difficulties. It's the route to the football pitch, school, nursing home, houses, and access to Nordstrom facility with 250 employees, etc. High volume of traffic all year round. Road markings on button roundabout have worn away and no longer visible. Signage on approach to roundabout needs to be looked at.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell informed meeting that this section of road is to have an overlay and road will be relined. He also stated that the installation of a pedestrian crossing could be considered.

Mr. Colm Kelly, Area Engineer, stated that works are scheduled to take place on this section during the mid-term break at end of month and road markings and button roundabout would be completed after this. He also agreed to look at the signage, etc.

On the **PROPOSAL** of Councillor J. Cummins  
**SECONDED** by Councillor V. Byrne

It was **AGREED** to request larger signs be installed to indicate approach to button roundabout and that pedestrian crossing be installed.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell stated that if signage not adequate then Roscommon Co. Council can put signage in place. However, if current signage is adequate for urban level traffic in a 50Km/h area, larger signage should not be needed plus detracts from the aesthetic of the area.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell stated that the MD will look at a pelican/push button pedestrian crossing options.

**(c) Tarmonbarry Village:** Road very dangerous – is there a date for this to be sorted?

Mr. Greg O'Donnell said he will follow up with Municipal District Coordinator.

**(d) Active Travel: Tarmonbarry - Rooskey**

Mr. Greg O'Donnell stated that money for feasibility studies reduced and more focused on larger urban centres like Ballaghaderreen.

Mr. Greg O'Donnell stated that there will be an update at the next meeting in November.

Cllr. V. Byrne stated that Active Travel was meant for smaller towns and villages and the refocusing on larger towns is unfair. She has discussed this with Minister Humphries.

***NEXT MEETING***

**The next meeting will be on Friday, 24th November, 2023.**

This concluded the business of the meeting.

The foregoing Minutes are

Confirmed and Signed:

*Ivor Kilcline*

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Meetings Administrator

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## **BOYLE MD MEETING – 24<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

### **ROSCOMMON HISTORICAL SOCIETY – PROPOSAL FOR INCREASED ALLOCATION (REF BOYMD 21-06)**

**Boyle MD Fund 2021 Allocation: €4,425**

With reference to the above matter, the works herein were due to be carried out by Messrs Leavy's, Monumental Sculptors, but the COVID-19 Pandemic intervened, and unfortunately the works were not undertaken at the time. Of course, the Pandemic impacted the costs of labour and materials and the Contractors found themselves unable to carry out the works for the original Quotation. Hence, they were requested to furnish a revised Quotation taking into account the changed circumstances. This has already been furnished to Roscommon County Council. Revised quote including VAT: **€5,844.16**

County Roscommon Historical and Archaeological Society are anxious to progress matters given the delays herein to date and to have the Memorial in pristine condition before the commencement of the next Tourist Season. The Society is very appreciative of the assistance and co-operation received from the County Council over the years. Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

SHANE LYNSKEY

President, County Roscommon Historical and Archaeological Society (CRHAS).

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## **BOYLE MD MEETING – 24<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

### **DETAILS OF PROPOSED PROJECT: BALLINAMEEN GAA CLUB (BMD 23-04)**

Ballinameen GAA Club now wish to use the Grant Money of **€6,500 allocated** to the club in May of this year to finish out our walkway round the pitch. A digger and dumper will be used to remove clay to make pathway, a tram base will be laid out, then stone laid on top and rolled in. New lights will be fitted around the walkway also.

Project Location ;  
Carkfree Boyle Co Roscommon  
F52K795.

Work will be carried out by a contractor from 1 of the quotations below. And adequate insurance will be provided.

This work will benefit the club and the rest of the community in a major way. We are a small rural club in the country and to provide a lit up area where the people of the parish can now come on a dark evening and walk in a safe surrounding. It would be a massive addition to the club and for people in the club suffering from Mental Health issues as well as keeping people fit and active over winter months.

But not only for winter months when parents are at trainings and matches with kids in the summer they can use the pathway to walk around.

Funding Agreed and Allocated to a different project in May of this year. But there isn't enough money to do that job.

So we now hope this revised project will be passed at your monthly meeting and we can start on this project with the money straight away.

**FRANK DWYER**  
**BUILDING CONTRACTOR**  
**REASK**  
**BOYLE**  
**086-2554107**

VAT NO: 0037090K

DATE: 7-11-23

QUOTATION: *Ballinameen GAA Club Gravel Walkway*

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*Description of works:*

*400m x 2m x .2m of gravel walkway, dig out and lay weed proof material underneath.*

*Remove all excess material of site.*

*Compact walkway with a roller.*

*All labour and materials included.*

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>€8,020</b>
<b>VAT @13.5%</b>	<b>€1,082</b>
<b>TOTAL INC VAT</b>	<b>€9,102</b>



**FRANK DWYER**  
**BUILDING CONTRACTOR**  
**REASK**  
**BOYLE**  
**086-2554107**

VAT NO: 0037090K

DATE: 7-11-23

QUOTATION: Ballinameen GAA Club Gravel Walkway

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Description of works:

400m x 2m x .2m of gravel walkway, dig out and lay weed proof material underneath.

Remove all excess material of site.

Compact walkway with a roller.

All labour and materials included.

TOTAL	€8,020
<u>VAT @13.5%</u>	<u>€1,082</u>
TOTAL INC VAT	€9,102



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**BOYLE MD MEETING – 24<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2023**

**DETAILED PROJECT PROPOSAL AMENDMENT – TARMONBARRY DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (REF BOYMD 22-4)**

Our association, Tarmonbarry Development & Tidy Towns are requesting that we change the project “Tourist Trail” which we were awarded **€4,750 under there 2022 MD Fund Allocation**. (BOYLD 22-4)

The reason for the change is the contractor who was awarded the project is no longer doing such work.

Our Development Association requests that we use the 2022 allocated funds for the purchase of a ride-on lawnmower as the current mower we have is totally insufficient for amount of green area we have to deal with, which includes all the approach roads into the village, the harbour area, the walk areas, etc.

The purchase price of the ride on mower is €5,000. Our Association will be paying the difference €250.

**Cllr Tom Crosby**  
**Secretary Tarmonbarry Development & Tidy Towns Association.**

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**TO: The Cathaoirleach and Each Member of Boyle Municipal District**

**RE: Declaration of a Public Road**

**Roads Act 1993, Section 11  
Roads Regulations 1994, Part 2  
Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), Section 180  
Local Government Reform Act 2014 Schedule 3**

A request was received to have the roads located within housing development at the following locations in the Boyle Municipal District declared to be public roads:

- Quay West North, Cootehall
- Quay West South, Cootehall

In accordance with Section 11 (2) (b) Roscommon County Council has:

- Satisfied itself that the road is of general public utility.
- Considered the financial implications for the authority of the proposed declaration.
- Published the required notices in the Roscommon People, dated 19<sup>th</sup> September 2023 and 26<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

The final date for submissions in relation to the declaration was 4pm on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2023. No objection or representation was received.

The declaration of a road to be a public road is a reserved function to be performed by Municipal District Members. The Council will be charged with the future maintenance of the roads. Drawings are attached showing the roads to be taken in charge.

It is accordingly recommended that the roads referred to be declared public roads.

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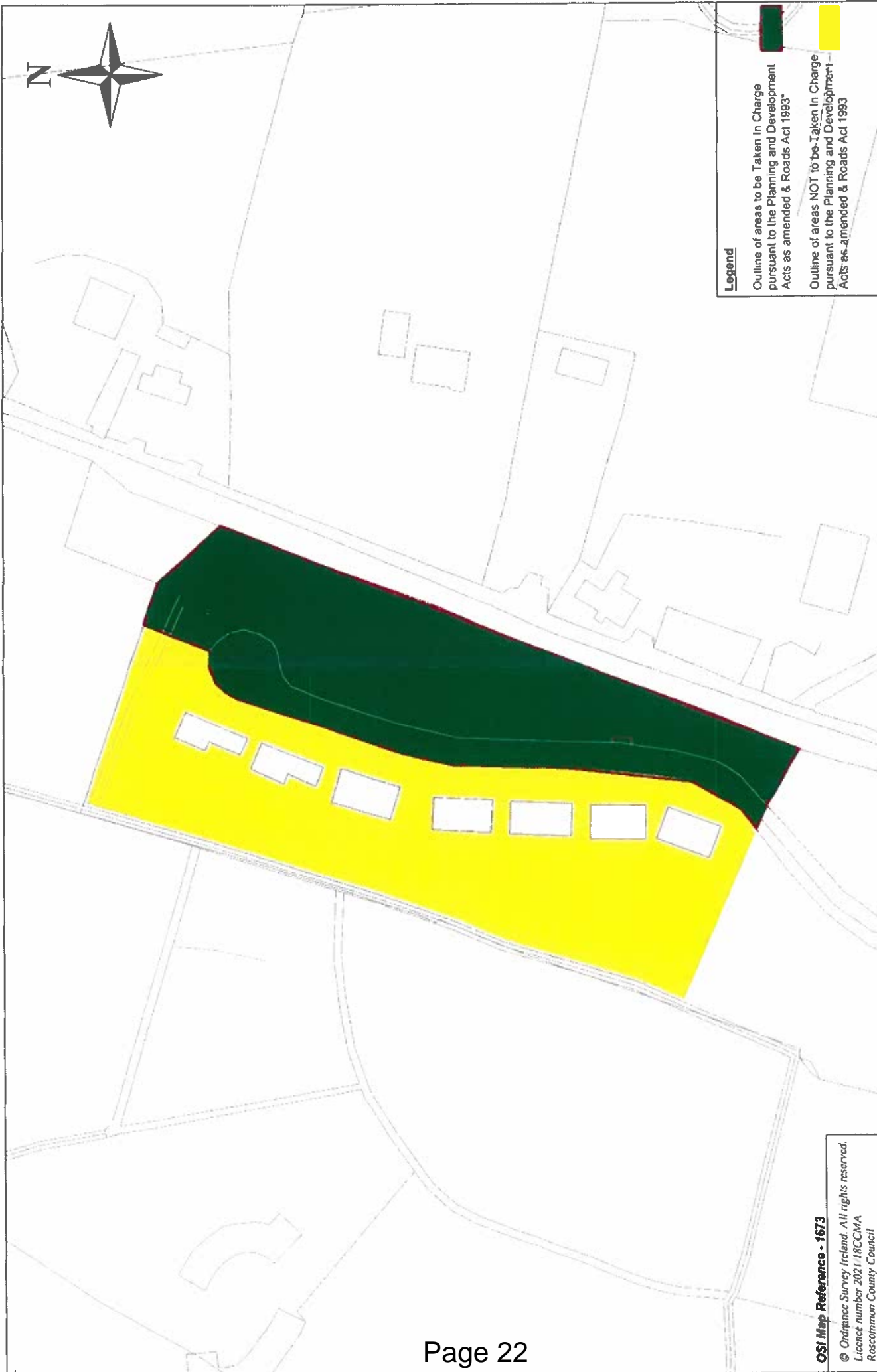
**Greg O'Donnell**  
**A/Director of Services**  
**Roads and Transportation**  
**8<sup>th</sup> November 2023**



**Legend**

Outline of areas to be Taken in Charge pursuant to the Planning and Development Acts as amended & Roads Act 1993\*


Outline of areas NOT to be Taken in Charge pursuant to the Planning and Development Acts as amended & Roads Act 1993




Public: Estates to be Taken in Charge: Quiry West North Cemetery			
Site No.	15	Estimate	
Date	1/10/23	Rev.	September 2023
Project		Drawn	D. Carr
		Reviewed	J.P.
Planning No.		1/C	Car

Revision	1	Issue	1
Date	02/09/23	By	DC

Roscommon County Council shall not be responsible for any cutting or removal of grass or other vegetation, including any trees, shrubs or other plants, or any other works, on any site, or any other works, on any site, or any other works, on any site.



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**Legend**

- Outline of areas to be Taken in Charge pursuant to the Planning and Development Acts as amended & Roads Act 1993\*
- Outline of areas NOT to be Taken in Charge pursuant to the Planning and Development Acts as amended & Roads Act 1993

Project: Estate to be Taken in Charge - Clony Wood South Corriball			
Site No:	TC: 1600	Plan No:	TC: 011
Date:	1/10/02	Scale:	1:1000
Author:	D. Carr	Checked:	JF
Drawn:		Reviewed:	

Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area
1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36
37	38	39	40	41	42
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67	68	69	70	71	72
73	74	75	76	77	78
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85	86	87	88	89	90
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97	98	99	100		

\*Roscommon County Council shall not be responsible for grass cutting or maintenance at grass height, incidents or animals/damaged areas or fire damage.

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