

Minutes of Annual Meeting of the Municipal District of Muinebheag

held in McGrath Hall, Muinebheag, Co. Carlow

on Thursday, 4th June, 2015 at 3.45 p.m.

Present: Councillor W. Quinn, Cathaoirleach
Councillor M. Doran,
Councillor D. Foley
Councillor A. Gladney
Councillor T. Kinsella,
Councillor A. McDonald,
Councillor C. Murphy,
Councillor J. Murphy,

In attendance: Seamus O'Connor, Director of Service
Ray Wickham, Senior Executive Engineer
Emer Connors, Clerical Officer

Seamus O'Connor, Director of Services on behalf of himself and staff paid tribute to the present Cathaoirleach and expressed best wishes to the Muinebheag Municipal District in the preparation of the 2015 Budget. He also thanked the Leas Cathaoirleach Councillor D. Foley for his assistance during the year. He noted that there was great attendance by Members at meetings and congratulated them on not confining the meetings to a single location in the Municipal District. He congratulated the Cathaoirleach on running in the bi-election and expressed best wishes to the incoming Cathaoirleach. The Members paid tribute to Cllr. Willie Quinn for his excellent service to the Municipal District of Muinebheag during his year as Cathaoirleach.

Willie Quinn, Cathaoirleach thanked Members and staff for their co-operation and wished the incoming Cathaoirleach the best of luck.

1. ELECTION OF CATHAOIRLEACH

**Proposed by Councillor T. Kinsella
Seconded by Councillor M. Doran**

"That Councillor Denis Foley is elected Cathaoirleach of the Municipal District of Muinebheag".

There was no other proposal and Councillor Denis Foley was deemed unanimously elected in accordance with Section 37 (b) of the Local Government Act, 2001.

Taking the Chair, the new Cathaoirleach Councillor Denis Foley thanked his proposer and seconder and said it was a great honour to be elected Cathaoirleach of the Municipal District of Muinebheag and said that he looked forward to the year ahead.

Councillor Foley paid tribute to the outgoing Cathaoirleach, Councillor Willie Quinn on an excellent job during his year in office.

The Members congratulated Councillor Foley on his election as Cathaoirleach and wished him well in his new role.

Seamus O'Connor, Director of Services congratulated Councillor Foley on his election.

2. ELECTION OF LEAS CATHAOIRLEACH

Proposed by Councillor D. Foley
Seconded by Councillor W. Quinn

“That Councillor Tommie Kinsella is elected Leas Cathaoirleach of Carlow County Council.”

There was no other proposals Councillor Tommie Kinsella was deemed unanimously elected in accordance with Section 37 (b) of the Local Government Act, 2001.

Councillor Kinsella thanked his proposer and seconder and said he looked forward to his role during the year ahead.

The Members congratulated Councillor Kinsella on his election as Leas Cathaoirleach.

Seamus O'Connor, Director of Services also congratulated Councillor Kinsella.

3. DATES AND TIMES FOR 2015/2016 MEETINGS

It was agreed that meetings continue being held on the 1st Thursday of each month as before and it was noted that same could be changed if as required.

4. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

It was agreed to re-organise the photographs on the wall in the meeting room - Seamus O'Connor to organise.

This concluded the business of the meeting.