

<p style="text-align: center;">Edenderry Town Council Comhairle Bhaile Edan Doire</p>

**MINUTES OF MONTHLY MEETING OF EDENDERRY TOWN COUNCIL
HELD ON WEDNESDAY 10th MARCH, 2010,
IN THE TOWN HALL, EDENDERRY AT 7.30 P.M.**

Present *Cathaoirleach Cllr. Finian O'Neill;*
 Cllr. Patricia Brady;
 Cllr Mary Breen;
 Cllr. Noel Cribbin;
 Cllr. John Foley;
 Cllr. Liam Hogan;
 Cllr Declan Leddin;
 Cllr. Fergus McDonnell;
 Cllr. Jim Murrin;
 Mr. Declan Conlon – Area Manager;
 Ms. Olwen Cooney – Town Clerk.

**1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MONTHLY MEETING HELD
ON 10th FEBRUARY, 2010**

On the proposal of Cllr Hogan and seconded by Cllr Murrin the minutes of the Edenderry Town Council monthly February meeting 2010 were confirmed and signed.

2. R402 – EDENDERRY TO ENFIELD ROAD

All members welcomed the allocation of €2m from the Department of Transport for the Compulsory Purchase orders relating to the upgrade of the Edenderry to Enfield Road. The Town Clerk informed members that Mr. Des O'Connor was in contact re meeting the members and date will be finalised shortly.

3. AMBULANCE EMERGENCY DISPATCH POINT

All members were in agreement that to date ambulance being located in the town has saved lives.

4. EXTENSION OF MIDOC SERVICES TO EDENDERRY

It was proposed by Cllr Brady and seconded by Cllr Murrin to rewrite to Liam O'Callaghan, HSE to invite him to meet with the members to discuss reasons as to why midoc service cannot just be delivered immediately. Lives are at stake as locums at present seem not to be able to respond to all emergency calls in the area. Members have had complaints relayed to them with regard to this situation.

5. COMMUNITY FORUM

Members who attended meeting with Community Forum Support Worker Niamh Dowler complimented the progress to date and asked to meet with her again to finalise details. It was proposed by Cllr Murrin and seconded by Cllr

McDonnell to take €5,000 from the special project fund to support the awards proposal.

It was proposed by Cllr Hogan and seconded by Cllr Cribbin to contribute to Easter Festival. It was agreed to write to the organisers and express town council support. It was proposed by Cllr McDonnell and seconded by Cllr Murrin that Chair be the coordinator in this matter.

6. MOTIONS / NOTICE OF MOTIONS

It was proposed by Cllr Murrin and seconded by Cllr McDonnell to support all notice of motions received-

Carrick on Suir TC “That this Council calls on the Minister for Justice to introduce as a matter of urgency legislation to regulate the “head shops” industry in Ireland and to make provisions to control all products being sold by these outlets”

Tullamore TC “That Tullamore Town Council request information from the HSE regarding the assessment system in place for medical card holders”

Wicklow TC “Wicklow Town Council write to the following ministers, requesting that they immediately review the legislation and bring forward proposals to ban “Head Candy Shops”.

Tipperary Town Council “That this council write to the Minister for Health callin gin her to instruct the HSE not to proceed with the down grading and possible closure of South Tipperary General Hospital as this decision will have huge effect on people’s health and peace of mind in the County of Tipperary.

7. CORRESPONDANCE

It was proposed by Cllr McDonnell and seconded by Cllr Cllr Cribbin to arrange to meet with Mr. Kevin Duffy principal of Scoil Bhríde Primary School prior to next monthly meeting. It was agreed to meet with Philip Cox, Social Welfare Services also.

8. CONFERENCES

Reports welcomed re conferences attended.

It was proposed by Cllr Foley and seconded by Cllr Leddin to write to the boxing club to congratulate Diego Cappocci and Eoin Roche on winning Youth Lenister Titles and to wish Shane O’Leary and Attila Pedro best of luck in the forthcoming Lenister Championships finals next week.

Date of next meeting – 14th April, 2010.

This concluded the business of the meeting.

Cathaoirleach

Date