

LONGFORD MUNICIPAL DISTRICT

Please note meeting will be held in the Council Chamber, Aras an Chontae and via Microsoft Teams

14 April 2026

To: Each Member of Longford Municipal District.

Dear Member,

You are requested to attend a Meeting of Longford Municipal District to be held in **the Council Chamber, Aras an Chontae** and **via Microsoft Teams** on **Monday, 20 April 2026 at 12.30pm** to transact business, as set out on the agenda hereunder.

Yours sincerely,



Lorraine McKee
Meetings Administrator

AGENDA

Prayer before meeting.

- 1.** Confirmation of Minutes:
 - (i) Longford Municipal District Meeting held on 25 March 2026 – enclosed
 - (ii) Longford Municipal District Committee Meeting held on 25 March 2026 – enclosed

2. Matters arising from Minutes.
3. Declaration of Interest by Members
4. Engineers Report – enclosed
5. Update on window inspection in Park Villas
6. Notice of Motions

Councillor Seamus Butler

I call on Longford Municipal District to carry out a survey of all road- side and public signage, including street and estate name plates in Longford Town, Newtownforbes, Clondra and general townlands with a view to removing signs and posts that are redundant, correcting incorrectly aligned signs and cleaning/refurbishing all signs. That any underspend on winter gritting and other underspent funds should be utilised for these purposes with a view to instigating an ongoing annual funded programme for all signage maintenance and cleaning.'

Councillor Kevin Hussey

- (i) I call on Longford Municipal District to establish a 'Town Pride' rapid-response system to address issues such as litter, illegal dumping, graffiti, and minor public realm maintenance, including the development of a clear and accessible public reporting mechanism and defined response timelines for addressing reported issues.
- (ii) I call on Longford Municipal District to examine and review current on-the-spot fines and enforcement measures in relation to littering and illegal dumping, with a view to strengthening their effectiveness as a deterrent."
- (iii) I call on Longford Municipal District to ask the Minister for Justice to review how repeat offending and anti-social behaviour are being dealt with, due to the ongoing problems in Longford Town, particularly along the Main Street area from the Post Office to Garvey's Yard. I further call for increased Garda presence in Longford Town and improved enforcement of existing laws to address this behaviour.

There are regular incidents of public drinking, obstruction of footpaths and streets, and intimidating behaviour towards members of the public, which are having a negative impact on local residents, businesses, and visitors to the town.