

Minutes of Annual Meeting of Tipperary-Cahir-Cashel Municipal District hosted in the Council Chamber, Civic Offices, Tipperary Town and held remotely on Monday 27th June 2022 at 11am

Members Present: Councillor Mary Hanna-Hourigan, Cathaoirleach outgoing
Councillor Micheál Anglim, Cathaoirleach incoming
Councillor Tony Black
Councillor Declan Burgess
Councillor John Crosse
Councillor Michael FitzGerald
Councillor Roger Kennedy
Councillor Máirín McGrath
Councillor Andy Moloney
Councillor Marie Murphy
Councillor Annemarie Ryan (Shiner)

Officials Present: Mr. Anthony Coleman, District Administrator
Mr. James Swords, District Engineer
Mr. Paul Farrell, Executive Engineer
Mr Robert Johnson, Executive Engineer
Ms. Adeline Walsh, Staff Officer

Apologies Mr. Pat Slattery, District Director

Mr. Anthony Coleman, District Administrator commenced the meeting with the meeting prayer.

The Cathaoirleach began by saying that it was a great honour and privilege to have been Cathaoirleach of the Tipperary-Cahir-Cashel Municipal District. She paid tribute to all the staff of the Municipal District who helped her during the year. She thanked the members for their co-operation and support and said that a big programme of work had been completed throughout the year including completion of the upgrade works to the Market Yard. She was delighted to be present at the contract signing and sod turning ceremony last Friday for the works on the River Ara Walkway. She paid tribute to the great work carried out by communities and Tidy Town groups throughout the district with the support and financial assistance from grants provided by the Municipal District. She thanked the District for the great work on the Roads Programme and acknowledged Paddy Crowley and the Active Travel Team. She noted the disappointed that everyone felt when Tipperary Town wasn't granted RRDF funding, however acknowledged the work of Pat Slattery District Director, Carmel Fox and Michael Begley on the Tipperary Taskforce. She was delighted to have the opportunity to honour SEMRA at a recent civic reception and she said the highlight of her year was the official opening of Aherlow Meadows

housing estate last Saturday. She thanked the residents and particularly its longest resident Marian Clarke for welcoming everyone into her home for refreshments.

1. Election of Cathaoirleach

The Cathaoirleach called for nominations for the position of Cathaoirleach of the Tipperary-Cahir-Cashel Municipal District for the 2022 -23 term.

Councillor Roger Kennedy thanked Councillor Hanna Hourigan and wished her well. He proposed Councillor Micheál Anglim for the position of Cathaoirleach. This proposal was seconded by Councillor Marie Murphy.

Councillor Annemarie Ryan (Shiner) proposed herself for the position saying that it was important to have a vote for the position of Cathaoirleach in the interest of fairness. She requested to be given the opportunity and felt that she would do a good job. This proposal was seconded by Councillor Tony Black.

As there were 2 nominations for Cathaoirleach, the following vote was taken:

	<u>Candidate Name</u>	<u>Candidate Name</u>
	Cllr. Micheál Anglim	Cllr. Annemarie Ryan (Shiner)
Councillor ANGLIM (FF)	Cllr. Anglim	
Councillor BLACK (SF)		Cllr. Ryan (Shiner)
Councillor BURGESS (FG)	Cllr. Anglim	
Councillor CROSSE (FG)	Cllr. Anglim	
Councillor FITZGERALD (FG)	Cllr. Anglim	
Councillor HANNA HOURIGAN (FG)	Cllr. Anglim	
Councillor KENNEDY (FF)	Cllr. Anglim	
Councillor McGRATH (NON-PARTY)	Cllr. Anglim	

Councillor MOLONEY (NON-PARTY)	Cllr. Anglim	
Councillor MURPHY (FG)	Cllr. Anglim	
Councillor RYAN (SHINER) (NON-PARTY)		Cllr. Ryan (Shiner)

Councillor Micheál Anglim was deemed to be elected Cathaoirleach of the Tipperary-Cahir-Cashel Municipal District for the 2022-2023 term.

Councillor Anglim took his position as Cathaoirleach of the Tipperary-Cahir-Cashel Municipal District saying that he was delighted to be elected as Cathaoirleach.

He congratulated Councillor Mary Hanna Hourigan on her term as Cathaoirleach. He thanked his proposer and seconder for nominating him as Cathaoirleach. He looked forward to working with everyone and he aimed to be fair to everyone. He was particularly delighted to have his mother and wife present. He confirmed that he was co-opted in 2013 following the death of his father and was re-elected in 2014 and 2019. He looked forward to working with the members and officials in the coming year.

The members congratulated Councillor Anglim on his election and said they looked forward to working with him in the coming year and wished him well.

2. Election of Leas-Chathaoirleach

The Cathaoirleach called for nominations for the position of Leas-Chathaoirleach of the Tipperary-Cahir-Cashel Municipal District.

Councillor Marie Murphy proposed Councillor Michael Fitzgerald for the position because it would make sense to have representation from either side of the district. This proposal was seconded by Councillor Roger Kennedy.

Councillor Tony Black congratulated Councillor Anglim and proposed himself for the position. This proposal was seconded by Councillor Annemarie Ryan (Shiner).

As there were 2 nominations for Leas-Chathaoirleach, the following vote was taken:

	<u>Candidate Name</u>	<u>Candidate Name</u>
	Cllr. Michael Fitzgerald	Cllr. Tony Black
Councillor ANGLIM (FF)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor BLACK (SF)		Cllr. Black
Councillor BURGESS (FG)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor CROSSE (FG)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor FITZGERALD (FG)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor HANNA HOURIGAN (FG)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor KENNEDY (FF)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor McGRATH (NON-PARTY)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor MOLONEY (NON-PARTY)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor MURPHY (FG)	Cllr. Fitzgerald	
Councillor RYAN (SHINER) (NON-PARTY)		Cllr. Black

Councillor Michael Fitzgerald was deemed to be elected Leas-Chathaoirleach of the Tipperary-Cahir-Cashel Municipal District for the 2022-2023 term.

Councillor Fitzgerald thanked members for their support on his election; he said that this is a big district and he looked forward to the Municipal District working together for the coming year. The Cathaoirleach and members congratulated Cllr. Fitzgerald on his election.

3. Agree Schedule of monthly meetings of Tipperary-Cahir-Cashel Municipal District

The schedule of Municipal District meetings was agreed as presented with on the proposition of Councillor Marie Murphy, seconded by Councillor Roger Kennedy.

This concluded the business of the meeting.

Signed/  Dated/ 25/07/22
Leas Chathaoirleach

Signed/  Dated/ 25/07/22
District Administrator

