

Please note meeting will be held in the Council Chamber and via Microsoft Teams.

2 September 2026

Chuig: Gach Ball don Chomhairle

A Chomhairleoir,

Iarrtar ort bheith i láthair ag Cruinniú Míosuil Chomhairle Chontae Longfoirt a tionólfar i Seomra na Comhairle, Aras an Chontae, Longford agus via MS Teams ar an **De Ceadaoin, 9 Meán Fómhair 2026 ag 4pm** chun gnó a dhéanamh d'éir an Chláir thíos.

You are requested to attend the Monthly Meeting of Longford County Council to be held in the **Council Chamber and via Microsoft Teams** on **Wednesday, 9 September at 4pm** to transact business, as set out on the Agenda hereunder.

Mise le meas,



Lorraine McKee
Meetings Administrator

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Prayer before meeting.

1. Confirmation of Minutes

- (i) Monthly meeting of Longford County Council held on 8 July 2026 – enclosed.
- (ii) Committee meeting of Longford County Council held on 28 July 2026 – enclosed

2. Matters Arising

3. Declaration of Interest by Members

4. To note Management Report

5. To note CE Orders

6. To note adopted Minutes of Corporate Policy Group Meeting held on 10 June 2026 – enclosed

7. Social Development

- (i) To note the minutes of the Social Development SPC meeting held on 27 April 2026 – enclosed
- (ii) Section 183 – 13 Demense, Longford
- (iii) Section 183 – 18 Main Street, Granard
- (iv) Section 183 – 81 Teffia Park, Longford
- (v) Section 183 – 19 The Demense, Longford
- (vi) Notice of Motions

Councillor Paul Ross

I call on Longford County Council to review the requirement for 2 different healthcare professionals to sign a HMD 1 form to help those people who apply for social housing adaptation due to a disability or on medical grounds. This requirement is a huge burden on people who have to seek out a second medical professional to sign the form before they can apply for urgent works. This requirement is not needed for those who are applying for private house grants due to medical or disability reasons. This review should be carried out through The Social Development SPC.

8. Economic Development

- (i) Policy – Visits by Groups to the Council
- (ii) To note the minutes of the Economic, Enterprise and Rural Development SPC meeting held on 28 April 2026 - enclosed
- (iii) **Notice of Motions**

Councillor Mark Casey

I call on Longford County Council to reach out to Hoteliers across the country looking for them to develop a Hotel in Lanesborough Town in the interest of maximising tourism in Longford as a whole. Lanesborough has seen an increase in visitors in recent years due to the success of a number of local events. Also, it is estimated that over 200,000 people visit Centre Parks, which is just a short distance from Lanesborough. There has long been a problem with short-term accommodation in the town, and a hotel is badly needed.

9. Physical Development

- (i) To note planning applications received
- (ii) To note the minutes of the Physical Development SPC meeting held on 27 April 2026 - enclosed
- (iii) Notice of Motions

Councillor Garry Murtagh

As we approach the winter maintenance and gritting season, I call on Longford County Council to implement a Community Salt Box programme, where local groups can request salt bins for steep hills or junctions in conjunction with the Longford County Council Road Salting Programme, similar to Leitrim County Council.

10. Finance, Innovation, Information Technology and Emergency Services

- (i) Local Property Tax Update

11. Correspondence

- (i) Correspondence from Senator Paul Daly
- (ii) Correspondence from Dublin City Council
- (iii) Correspondence from Oireachtas Joint Committee on Health
- (iv) Correspondence from Louth County Council
- (v) Correspondence from Taoiseach
- (vi) Correspondences from Carlow County Council
- (vii) Correspondences from Leitrim County Council
- (viii) Correspondence from Dept of Transport
- (ix) Correspondence from Minister Browne
- (x) Correspondences from Roscommon County Council
- (xi) Correspondence from Minister Carroll MacNeill
- (xii) Correspondence from ESB
- (xiii) Correspondence from Minister Patrick O'Donovan

12. Training for Approval

13. Votes of Sympathy

14. Date and time of next meeting