Members Present: Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire
Councillor Des Guckian
Councillor Sinead Guckian
Councillor Séadhna Logan
Councillor Sean McGowan
Councillor Enda Stenson

Officials Present: Mr. Shane Tiernan, A/Director of Services, Economic Development, Planning, Environment & Transportation
Ms. Kathryn Bohan, Meetings Administrator
Mr. Darragh O’Boyle, District Engineer South Leitrim
Mr. Shay O’Connor, Senior Engineer, Roads Department
Ms. Mary Quinn, Director of Services, Housing, Corporate, Culture and Emergency Services
Ms. Marie Mulligan, A/Senior Executive Engineer, Housing Department
Ms. Helen Denning, Economic Development, Planning, Environment & Transportation

CMD 17/135 Minutes of the Meeting of Carrick on Shannon Municipal District
09/10/17 held on Monday 11th September 2017

Proposed by Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire, Seconded by Councillor Sinead Guckian AND UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED;

“That the Minutes of Carrick on Shannon Municipal District Meeting held in Aras an Chontae, Carrick on Shannon, Co. Leitrim on Monday 11th September 2017 be adopted.”

Matters arising from Minutes:-
Councillor Sinead Guckian asked for an update from the A/Director of Services, Economic Development, Planning, Environment & Transportation in relation to Waste Collection along the Leitrim Gaels Community Grounds Road. This item had been raised at the July & September Carrick on Shannon Municipal District Meeting (Ref. Item CMD 17/111 of July Minutes and Item CMD 17/121 of September Minutes). Mr. Shane Tiernan, A/Director of Services said that contact had been made with Barna Waste and Leitrim Gaels GAA Club in relation to this matter and that Barna Waste need a large turning space and the GAA Club do not have anybody available to open the gates of the GAA Grounds on an ongoing basis.

Councillor Sinead Guckian stated that there are a considerable number of households along this road and that a solution is needed in order to facilitate waste collection along this road. She requested that all available options be looked at in order to progress this matter.

Mr. Darragh O’Boyle stated that the 2 minor roads off this road do not have the capacity to provide turning space for a lorry and that the only option would be if land were to be provided to Leitrim County Council to facilitate the turning of a lorry on this road.

Councillors Sinead Guckian, Sean McGowan and Enda Stenson stated that the matter cannot be left as it is and asked if it would be possible to acquire a small piece of ground in order to allow a lorry to turn. Councillor Des Guckian said that a solution needs to be found as people are obliged to make arrangements to have their waste collected and he asked that the junction with the 2 minor roads be strengthened so as to allow a lorry to turn.

Mr. Shay O’Connor asked if it would be possible for residents to come together and come up with a solution whereby residents would give the council a piece of land which would provide a Turning Space. Councillor Enda Stenson requested that a meeting be held between Representatives from Leitrim County Council, Barna Waste and the Residents in order to progress this matter and that this meeting should be held out at this road. It was agreed that this meeting would be arranged.

CMD 17/136 Speed Limit Review 09/10/17

A Copy of Report dated 4th October, 2017 from Senior Engineer, Roads Department was circulated to the Members in advance of the Meeting.

(Appendix No. 1 to the Minutes of this meeting in the Minute Book).

Mr. Shay O’Connor outlined the details of the Report and outlined details of the Submissions received following public consultation. Mr. O’Connor advised that copy of the maps relating to the Speed Limit Review are available if anyone wished to view the maps. He outlined the changes proposed which related to the Carrick on Shannon Municipal District and he outlined that a decision was needed from this meeting in relation to the Speed Limit Review and this would be brought back to Transport Infrastructure Ireland (TII) and then be brought to a full meeting of Leitrim County Council for approval.

Proposed Speed Limit Changes at Aghamore: Proposal is to increase the existing 60km/h speed limit on both approaches to the village to a 100 km/h speed limit and retain the existing 50 km/h speed limit through the village. Councillor Des Guckian stated the members had expressed their concerns previously with regard to the proposed changes here and he asked what weight will
be given to the opinions of the members on such issues by the TII. Councillors Sean McGowan and Sinead Guckian expressed their concern with regard to these proposed changes particularly due to the proximity of the GAA Centre of Excellence and Annaduff GAA Grounds. They requested that their objections to these proposed changes be made known to the TII.

**Proposed Speed Limit Changes on the N4 at Carrick on Shannon:** Proposal is to increase the existing 50km/h speed limit on the Dublin side of Carrick on Shannon at Attirory to 60km/h. Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire and Councillor Sinead Guckain expressed their concerns with regard to these proposals and all Councillors agreed that the existing speed limit here should remain. They requested that their objections to these proposed changes be made known to the TII.

**Proposed Speed Limit Changes at Dromod** – Councillor Des Guckian supported the proposal to extend the existing 50 km/h out past entrance to Shannon Haven Housing Estate.

**Proposed Speed Limit Changes at Leitrim Village** – Councillors welcomed the proposals here.

Councillor Enda Stenson observed that the policing of Speed Limits is a big issue and it is not easy to enforce these Speed Limit Laws.

It was agreed that the Councillors concerns with regard to the proposed changes to the Speed Limits at Aghamore and on the N4 at Carrick on Shannon would be brought to the attention of the TII and also request reduced Speed Limits at the Leitrim GAA Centre of Excellence.

Mr. Shay O’Connor advised that the approval of the TII is needed before speed limits on National Roads can be changed. He advised that the Speed Limit Review must be approved by the full Council and that the TII have already been advised of our concerns with regard to the proposed changes at Aghamore and on the N4 at Carrick on Shannon but that we will revert to the TII again with regard to these issues.

**CMD 17/137 Correspondence 09/10/17**

Copies of correspondence were circulated to Members in advance of the meeting.

**Item No. 1**
Copy of E-Mail dated 20th September, 2017 from Roscommon County Council regarding a request from Carrick on Shannon Municipal District for clear signage of the Taxi Rank at Carrick on Shannon Train Station. (Appendix No. 2 to the Minutes of this meeting in the Minute Book).

**Item No. 2**
Copy of E-Mail dated 22nd September, 2017 from the Department of Rural & Community Development notifying Leitrim County Council of an Allocation of €250,000 for Local Improvement Schemes (LIS) for 2017. (Appendix No. 3 to the Minutes of this meeting in the Minute Book).

Councillor Sean McGowan welcomed the funding for Local Improvement Schemes (LIS) for County Leitrim but compared it to the allocation received by large counties such as Cork. He said that Leitrim is a rural county and this Scheme should prioritise funding for smaller rural counties.
such as Leitrim. He asked that a letter issue to the Minister requesting more such funding for smaller rural counties such as Leitrim.

Councillor Sinead Guckian referred to the Design of a new Renewable Electricity Support Scheme (RESS) which is currently out for public consultation. Submissions may be made up to 3rd November, 2017 and Councillor Guckian requested that details of this be circulated to all members and asked that Leitrim County Council make a Submission in relation to this matter.

**Part 1 – Notices of Motion**

CMD 17/138 Road Access in Ros na h-Inse Estate for proposed Social Housing 11/09/17

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Des Guckian;

“That we, the elected members of Leitrim County Council, stand opposed to any attempt by Leitrim County Council officials to take over and to use any part of the Ros na h-Inse Estate in order to provide road access for the recently announced new estate of 24 social houses which is being promoted by the Council and is to be built in the townland of Attitory”

*Report by Director of Services, Housing, Corporate, Culture and Emergency Services;*

“The issue of access to the proposed new development will be determined through the detailed design process for scheme. All relevant issues will be considered as part of this process. The outcome of the detailed design process will then be subject of the Part VIII consultation process for local authority development.”

Councillor Des Guckian stated that Ros na h-Inse is a quiet housing estate with 38 houses and residents had paid high prices for their houses. He outlined that the residents are not opposed to the proposed Social Housing Scheme but are opposed to any proposal by Leitrim County Council to use the road in this estate as an access road to these proposed houses. He stated that the reply received to this Motion is not acceptable and that Leitrim County Council should not have purchased land which is marooned with no proper means of access other than through the Ros na h-Inse Estate. He stated that representatives of Leitrim County Council had advised residents that if the Council got permission to build Social Housing at this location that the Council would not purchase any further houses in the Ros na h-Inse Estate and Councillor Des Guckian stated that this amounted to Blackmail of the residents. Councillor Sinead Guckian stated that she is disappointed that any access to this site is via this Housing Estate as the estate is an amenity area for the residents of the estate and Councillor Guckian asked how many sites were submitted for consideration in the Carrick on Shannon environs. Councillor Enda Stenson stated that there had been no discussions with the members in relation to this matter and there had been no consultations with the members of Leitrim County Council before these proposals were submitted to the Department for consideration.

Ms. Mary Quinn outlined that we had been asked by the Department to identify any Land Banks owned by the Council which would be suitable for Social Housing purposes. A total of 2 Land
Banks in the Carrick on Shannon environs were identified and a Capital Appraisal was submitted to the Department following which Approval in Principal was issued by the Department. Ms. Quinn advised that we do not presently have a detailed design for this Scheme and that the issue of access would be examined as part of the detailed design of this Scheme. Ms. Quinn stated that this motion was premature and that these issues would be dealt with as part of the detailed design of the Scheme and then through the Part VIII Public Consultation Process. In relation to the comment regarding alleged Blackmail, Mr. Shane Tiernan refuted this allegation and stated that the Council had pursued housing acquisitions in order to increase the level of social housing in the County but that as Stage 1 Approval has now been received for this Housing Development of 24 proposed houses, it was agreed that no further houses would be purchased in the Ros na h-Inse Estate.

Councillor Sean McGowan agreed that the motion was premature at this stage but acknowledged the concerns of the Ros na h-Inse Residents and asked if there are other possible means to access this site and asked that Leitrim County Council engage with the residents on this issue.

Councillor Des Guckian reiterated his concerns with regard to this matter and said that residents have a right to know what is being proposed and he requested that Leitrim County Council would not even consider the option of using this estate as an access route to the proposed Social Housing Site. He asked that the elected members oppose any attempt by Leitrim County Council to take over and use any part of the Ros na h-Inse estate in order to provide road access and he asked that the other members support his motion with regard to this matter. Councillor Guckian also referred to the original planning permission for the Ros na h-Inse estate and what was provided for in terms of access to this proposed site in this Planning Permission.

Councillor Sinead Guckian said that she would agree that the existing cul-de-sac road in the estate not be made a through road and it should remain a cul-de-sac. Councillor Enda Stenson said that we need to await the detailed proposals before any decision is made on this matter.

Ms. Mary Quinn again advised that in terms of access to the site, this matter will be dealt with as part of the detailed design of this Scheme and we are aware of the concerns of the residents and when the detailed design is complete, there will be a Part VIII public consultation process on this matter which will then be brought before the full Council for approval. As regards the issue of the planning permission for the Ros na h-Inse estate, this is a public file which is available to the public for viewing.

CMD 17/139
09/10/17

Roadsigns – Effernagh Village – “Birthplace of Jimmy Gralton”

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Des Guckian;

“That we request Leitrim County Council to erect a permanent road sign on each of two approaches to Effernagh Village. These would replace the temporary sign reading “Welcome to Effernagh Village, Birth place of Jimmy Gralton” which was erected by Dermot McLoughlin, in 2016 on the eve of the visit of President Higgins, and which was recently damaged and cast aside by contractors working for the Council. Also, there is a need to place finger signs at Drumsna and Kiltoher to direct a growing number of visitors who wish to see where Jimmy Gralton lived and erected his famous Hall.”
Report by Senior Engineer Roads;
"We can order up these signs and erect them in the new year once the elected members have decided on the exact wording of the Effernagh Village Sign. There are numerous effernagh signs along our public regional roads, however we can erect additional signs at Drumsna and Kiltoghert."

Councillor Des Guckian welcomed the plans to erect additional signs at Drumsna and Kiltoghert and asked that the Permanent road signs on each of the approaches to Effernagh Village have the same wording as before.

Mr. Darragh O'Boyle stated that the signs will be the standard black/blue cast iron signs with “Welcome to Effernagh Village” in both English and Irish with a sub plate “Birthplace of Jimmy Gralton”

Councillor Sinead Guckian welcomed the proposed signs which will now recognise Effernagh as a village as it is currently listed as a Gregg.

Mr. Shay O’Connor advised that the signs will be erected when funding becomes available and the provision of the signs is due to the special circumstances in this instance.

CMD 17/140 Workable Entrance/Exit System – Dromod Railway Station
09/10/17

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Sean McGowan;

“At the October Meeting of Carrick-on-Shannon Municipal District, I will ask the Senior Engineer, Roads, to have discussions with Iarnród Éireann, with a view to putting in place a safe and workable entrance / exit system at Dromod Station. It can be very confusing for motorists entering / exiting the station and maybe a simple one way system might be the best solution at this very busy Station.”

Report by Senior Engineer Roads;
"We have tried to organise meeting previous with Irish Rail. If the councillor wishes to arrange a meeting with Irish Rail, I will attend. The entrance to Irish Rail station is the property of Irish Rail and we will assist them in any way possible regarding changes that they wish to make to this entrance."

Mr. Darragh O'Boyle stated that a meeting was previously organised with Irish Rail but the representative from Irish Rail did not turn up for the meeting but that he will attend a meeting if it can be organised. He advised that the piece of property in question is in the ownership of Irish Rail.

Cathaoirleach Councillor Séadhna Logan supported the motion and said that the current system is dangerous and needs to be resolved.

Councillor Sean McGowan asked if any progress had been made with Irish Rail with regard to
providing a safe and secure type of fence along the footpath on both sides of the Railway Bridge at Dromod Train Station. Mr. Darragh O’Boyle advised that no progress has been made on this issue.

CMD 17/141 Improvement of View – Junction Carrick-Mohill Road at Laheenamona
09/10/2017

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Sean McGowan;

“At The October Meeting of Carrick on Shannon Municipal District, I will again ask the Senior Engineer, Roads, what progress has been made with regard to carrying out realignment works to improve the view at the Junction on the Carrick-Mohill Road at Laheenamona, off Local Road from Rosdoowaun-Tamlaghtavally LS-7483-0. Has any design work been done in relation to re-locating the junction and has the Council had discussions with relevant landowners? It is extremely dangerous for the local community coming out onto the R201 with a limited view back towards Carrick on Shannon and they are rightly concerned and fearful for their safety.”

Report by Senior Engineer Roads;
"As mention at previous municipal district meeting, we will apply for a low cost safety in 2018. If or when we receive confirmation of grant aid we will commence design and third party discussions. Leitrim County Council have erected numerous signs, road markings and driver feedback signs at this location to alert drivers to the reduced speed limit and junctions ahead."

Councillor Sean McGowan noted the reply and hoped that funding would be secured for this works in 2018.
Councillor Des Guckian stated that this motion and similar motions had been put forward before.

Cathaoirleach Councillor Seadna Logan said that these works should be prioritised.

Mr. Darragh O’Boyle stated that this work would be put forward for funding under the Low Cost Safety Scheme for 2018 and that we have erected Feedback signs, rumble strips etc.

CMD 17/142 Proposal for 24 Social Houses at Attyrory, Carrick on Shannon
09/10/17

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Finola Armstrong-McGuire;

“I ask that Leitrim County Council withdraw their proposal to build 24 social housing units on a site owned by them at Attyrory. There are too many unoccupied and neglected houses already in the vicinity of Carrick on Shannon. I propose that the money being drawn down is instead used to buy and return to use these vacant houses. I have had representations from residents residing beside these vacant properties requesting that the return to use of these vacant properties be addressed. Recent census figures from the 2016 Census state that there are 530 vacant dwellings in Carrick on Shannon.”
Report by Director of Services, Housing, Corporate, Culture and Emergency Services;

"Delivering additional social housing units across the country is a key priority for Government and all Local Authorities are required to put in place an accelerated housing programme to address the housing crisis. In the context of implementing "Rebuilding Ireland" all local authorities were required to review their housing land banks and identify sites with the potential to deliver housing in the short to medium term.

There are currently 330 households on the housing waiting list with the greatest demand in the County town. Furthermore there is a specific need for smaller accommodation units to meet the needs of single applicants who represent a large category of need.

In the context of addressing the housing need and delivery under the Government's programme Rebuilding Ireland, Leitrim County Council developed proposals for two sites in Carrick on Shannon with the potential to deliver 44 units which have been approved in principle by the Department of Planning Housing and Local Government. These projects will now be progressed to detailed design and Part VIII consultation process.

Separate funding streams exist for the purchase of private market homes for utilisation as social housing and the Council has undertaken an active acquisitions programme across the County. 15 houses have been acquired in the past 18 months in Carrick on Shannon. Other schemes introduced under the Rebuilding Ireland Programme such as the Repair and Lease Scheme and Buy and Renew Scheme which are intended to bring vacant and neglected houses into social housing stock have been explored but to date these schemes have not presented suitable houses in Carrick on Shannon.

In relation to the number of vacant houses in Carrick on Shannon, it should be noted that the CSO figures relate to the Carrick on Shannon District Electoral Division and not just the town. The Council are developing a Vacant Homes Action Plan as directed by the Department of Planning Housing and Local Government. This plan will give an accurate picture of the real scale of vacancy, ascertaining where empty homes are located, who owns these vacant properties and will prioritise and target dwellings where housing demand is most acute. However this is a separate scheme that will require longer term research, negotiations, interaction with owners and potentially compulsory purchase. Therefore, this will not lead to the delivery of 44 houses to meet the specific housing needs in Carrick on Shannon in the short to medium term."

Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire outlined that a development of 24 houses was very large and referred to the large number of vacant units in Carrick on Shannon town and that this should be looked at before building an estate of 24 houses. She said that the maintenance of housing is a major issue and that vacant and derelict units should be brought back to use. She said that the Ros na h-Inse Estate has always been described as a Cul-de-Sac estate.

Ms. Mary Quinn stated that the two sites put forward by Leitrim County Council were put forward because both are in the ownership of Leitrim County Council and both had potential to deliver Social Housing. She said that we must look at our Housing Waiting List where there is large demand for more Social Housing in Carrick on Shannon. The funding available for new social housing is a separate funding stream and cannot be re-directed to the Repair and Lease Scheme.
Councillor Des Guckian said that the proposal to build 24 houses is being done in the context of a housing emergency and the residents of the Ros na h-Inse Estate are not against the development but opposed to any proposal to use their estate as access to this proposed site.

Cathaoirleach Councillor Séadhna Logan stated it was not possible to withdraw this proposal to construct 24 houses.

Ms. Mary Quinn stated that a detailed discussion on this matter could take place following the preparation of the detailed design of this Scheme and as part of the Part VIII Public Consultation process.

**CMD 17/143 Lighting Audit – St Mary's Close, Carrick on Shannon**

09/10/17

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Finola Armstrong-McGuire;

“I ask that a Lighting Audit is carried out at St. Marys Close area of Carrick on Shannon as soon as possible. A lot of pedestrians use the rear of St. Marys Church as access and lighting is very poor particularly in the area behind the church. As Church steps at the front are not accessible by those less able to walk, the back entrance and adjoining parking area is essential for use. Lighting at evening Mass times is not adequate for general movement.”

*Report by Senior Engineer Roads;*

“We carried out an audit of public lighting in the whole town centre area for the Purple Flag submission. This audit concluded that public lighting was adequate in all public areas in the town centre.”

Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire said that the back of the Church is a problem area particularly at evening masses and removals. Councillor Enda Stenson and Councillor Sinead Guckian both supported the motion.

Mr. Shay O’Connor said that the lighting audit was not specifically related to the church area and that we would look at this area again.

**CMD 17/144 Number of vacant Social Housing Units and Number on Housing Waiting List**

09/10/17

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Séadhna Logan;

“How many of the Social Housing Units owned by Leitrim County Council are currently vacant and how many applicants are currently on the Housing Waiting List. Also, how many of the 2017 Housing Transfers were on grounds of medical need, downsizing or change in family circumstances”
Report by Director of Services, Housing, Corporate, Culture and Emergency Services:

“There are currently 54 Social Housing Units vacant of which 5 have been offered and we await a response. 6 properties have been recently vacated and we await the return of keys for these. Of the 43 remaining units the position is as follows:- 15 to be available for allocation by end October, 10 to be available for allocation by end December, 11 to be available for allocation by end of January. The remaining 7 units will be completed by end of quarter 1 2018. There are currently 330 household on the Housing Waiting List.

To date in 2017, 5 households have been accommodated with a transfer all of which were on medical grounds.”

Cathaoirleach Councillor Séadhna Logan asked what prioritises a family for a transfer and he was advised that all factors are considered in accordance with our adopted Housing Allocation Scheme.

CMD 17/145  Funding for repair and improvement of Footpaths in Municipal District
09/10/17

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Seadhna Logan;

“That funding be sourced to repair and improve a number of footpaths in towns across this Municipal District which have fallen into disrepair through neglect in recent years”

Report by Senior Engineer Roads;

“We currently have no budget for footpath improvements in 2017. If funding is secured in the 2018 budget, we can start repairing sections of public footpaths within the municipal district. Trip hazards are constantly being repaired under our general maintenance budget allocation.”

Cathaoirleach Councillor Séadhna Logan said there is an urgent need to look at footpaths in smaller towns. Councillor Sean McGowan supported the motion and stated that significant investment is required.

CMD 17/146  Walls as Flood Defences
09/10/17

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Enda Stenson;

“May I ask what is being planned, by way of walls, as flood defence measures in Leitrim. Also, what role does Leitrim County Council have, other than give opinion or recommendation, in the final decision as to what works are completed to alleviate flooding.”

Report by Senior Engineer Roads;

“The flood defence measures proposed for Co Leitrim are contained within the CFRAM project. The Flood Risk Management Plan (FRMP) report for the CFRAM project is currently with the Government for approval. It is our understanding that once approved the FRMP will be submitted to each local authority and it will be up to each local authority to implement the measures
contained within the plans.

All measures proposed will still require Planning Approval before any works commence. The public consultation for the Draft FRMP is now closed.

Councillor Enda Stenson said that there is huge concern around Carrick on Shannon and Leitrim Village regarding flooding and the proposed building of walls which would detract from the appearance of the area. He said that if the lowering/dredging of the Shannon was done properly this would be the answer and there would be no need to build walls.

Councillor Sinead Guckian supported the dredging of the Shannon and she said that at a recent meeting with Minister Kevin “Boxer” Moran, concerns had been expressed to him about the proposal to build walls. The proposal for Carrick on Shannon is not like the Walk Way in Athlone and people are confused as to what is proposed.

Councillor Sean McGowan supported the motion and agreed that if the lowering/dredging of the Shannon was done there would be no need to build walls. Councillor Des Guckian referred to the Draft Flood Risk Management Plan and stated that there were too many statutory bodies involved and the views from Councillors is not being taken into account. Councillor Finola Armstrong McGuire stated that progress was needed on this issue.

Mr. Shay O’Connor stated the that the Draft Flood Risk Management Plan (DFRMP) has been published and the period for public consultation has now closed. Leitrim County Council made Submissions on the Draft Plan including that the Council is not in favour of the construction of walls. The Draft Plan is now with the Minister for approval. Once the Minister and the Department have decided on proposals to deal with flooding, the proposals will come back to Leitrim County Council for approval and adoption and for the agreed works to be carried out.

Councillor Enda Stenson agreed that he would discuss this matter with his fellow independent Deputy.

CMD 17/147 Proposed Five Year Budget – Cleaning of Rivers

To consider the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Enda Stenson;

“While I Thank the Minister for Rural & Community Development, Mr Michael Ring, for the revival of the Local Improvement Scheme Programme, and I suggest that we write to Minister Ring and express our gratitude for same. However, in doing so, we should request that he now puts a budget in place, over a five year period, for the cleaning of rivers such as the Eslin River, the Headford River, the Rynn and Blackwater River, plus other rivers in order to get the water flowing off our lands again.”

Councillor Enda Stenson stated that Funding is needed for the drainage of rivers and requested that a letter issue to the Minister requesting that a Budget be put in place for the drainage of small rivers. Councillor Sean McGowan supported the motion. Councillor Des Guckian also supported the Motion and said that the River Shannon needs to be lowered first. It was agreed that a letter would issue to the Minister requesting the putting in place of a Budget for the Drainage of Rivers.
Mr. Shay O’Connor stated that any such letter should issue to both Minister Ring, Minister for Rural & Community Development and Minister Kevin “Boxer” Moran, Minister of State with responsibility for the Office of Public Works and Flood Relief.

**CMD 17/148**  
**Any Other Business**  
**09/10/17**

Councillor Enda Stenson proposed a motion of congratulations to Mohill GAA Club on their win in the Leitrim Senior Football Final and Aughnasheelin GAA Club on their win in the Leitrim Intermediate Football Final.

The recent funding announced for the Towns and Villages was welcomed.

The next meeting of the Carrick on Shannon Municipal District is scheduled to take place on Monday 13th November, 2017 at 3.30 pm in the Council Chamber.

This concluded the business of the meeting.

Signed: ___________________________  
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Councillor Séadhna Logan  
Cathaoirleach  

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Ms. Kathyne Bohan  
Meetings Administrator

Date: ___________________________