

NEWRY, MOURNE & DOWN DISTRICT COUNCIL

NMD/AGM/

Minutes of Annual Meeting of Council held on Monday 1 June 2020 at 2pm in the Newry Leisure Centre and Skype.

In the Chair: Councillor C Casey 2.00pm-2.32pm
Councillor L Devlin 2.33pm-2.51pm

In attendance: (Councillors)

Councillor T Andrews	Councillor P Brown
Councillor R Burgess	Councillor P Byrne
Councillor C Casey	Councillor W Clarke
Councillor D Curran	Councillor L Devlin
Councillor S Doran	Councillor C Enright
Councillor M Gibbons	Councillor O Hanlon
Councillor V Harte	Councillor R Howell
Councillor M Larkin	Councillor A Lewis
Councillor O Magennis	Councillor G Malone
Councillor C Mason	Councillor D McAteer
Councillor L McEvoy	Councillor H McKee
Councillor K McKeivitt	Councillor A McMurray
Councillor Mulgrew	Councillor Murphy
Councillor Owen	Councillor G O'Hare
Councillor B Ó Muirí	Councillor H Reilly
Councillor G Sharvin	Councillor D Taylor
Councillor J Tinnelly	Councillor J Trainor
Councillor W Walker	

(Officials)

Mrs M Ward, Chief Executive
Mrs D Carville, Director of Corporate Services
Mrs C Mallon, Director of Enterprise, Regeneration and Tourism
Mr R Moore, Director of Neighbourhood Services
Miss S Taggart, Democratic Services Manager (Acting)
Mrs D Starkey, Democratic Services Officer
Ms L O'Hare, Democratic Services Officer

An apology was received from Councillor Savage.

The Outgoing Chairperson, Councillor Casey welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked his colleagues and officers for all the support he had received during his year as Chair, in particular the Democratic Services team, Sheila Kieran, Aoife McCreesh and Rebecca Webb who had been working with him at the start of his tenure.

Councillor Casey advised he had travelled the length and breadth of the district from Culloville to Saintfield and visited and hosted many schools, community associations, voluntary groups and individuals. It had been an absolute privilege to see the work carried out across the District especially by the community and voluntary sector.

Councillor Casey highlighted his chosen charities were on the family theme namely Autism Families, Birthwise and Cuan Mhuire and stated he was delighted to have been able to present them with cheques for £2,500 each, even though the fundraising had not been completed to its full potential in light of the current pandemic.

He advised that his year had been unfortunately curtailed due to the current pandemic, however Council had adapted to many changes and was able to continue with vital business and meetings through the use of modern technology such as Skype. He spoke of one of the highlights being able to host the Council's Annual Civic Awards night virtually on 27 May 2020. It was a magnificent event that showcased the unsung heroes in the District. He commented that due to the unprecedented times of COVID-19 it had never been more important to look after each other, showing care and consideration and reaching out to those in need and thanked all essential workers. The efforts of so many had been and continued to be critical to keeping the District functioning, making sure that every citizen was safe, healthy and had access to all the required resources.

Councillor Casey went on to wish Councillors Devlin and McKee the very best of luck as they took up their new roles.

The Outgoing Deputy Chairperson, Councillor Andrews stated it had been a privilege to serve the District over the last year and paid tribute and thanks to his colleague Councillor Casey, Chief Executive, Mrs Marie Ward and former Chief Executive, Mr Liam Hannaway along with the Democratic Services team and other party colleagues for their help and support. He wished Councillors Devlin and McKee good luck and best wishes for the year ahead. Also remembering those affected by the Coronavirus, Councillor Andrews paid tribute and thanked frontline staff and services in what was a very difficult time.

Councillors Clarke, Byrne, Walker and Taylor paid tribute to the work undertaken by Councillors Casey and Andrews during their tenure as Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson, how well they worked had together through all sectors of the community regardless of religion or politics. Councillor Byrne also put on record the tremendous financial support and recognition for the chosen charities.

AGM/2/2020

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

AGM/3/2020

TO APPOINT MEMBERS TO THE STATUTORY POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

Read: List of Statutory Positions of Responsibility (copy circulated)

The Chief Executive called upon Councillor Byrne as nominating officer for SDLP to nominate a Councillor for the position of Chairperson of Council for 2020/21.

Councillor Byrne nominated and proposed Councillor Laura Devlin for the position of Chairperson of Council for 2020/21. This was seconded by Councillor Brown and subsequently accepted by Councillor Devlin.

The Chief Executive called upon David Taylor as nominating officer for UUP to nominate a Councillor for the position of Deputy-Chairperson of Council for 2020/21.

Councillor Taylor nominated and proposed Councillor Harold McKee for the position of Deputy Chairperson of Council for 2020/21. This was seconded by Councillor Burgess and subsequently accepted by Councillor McKee.

The Chief Executive stated that Councillor Devlin and Councillor McKee had been duly nominated as Chairperson and Deputy-Chairperson respectively of Newry, Mourne and Down District Council for the year 2020/21.

Councillor Casey vacated the Chair at this point in the meeting – 2.32pm.

Councillors Devlin and McKee assumed the Chairperson and Deputy-Chairperson roles at this point – 2.33pm.

Councillor Devlin, in her acceptance speech as the newly appointed Chairperson of Council for the 2020/21 term, acknowledged that this would be a year like no other, taking up the position amidst the global fight against COVID-19.

The newly appointed Chairperson offered sincere and heartfelt prayers and thoughts to those many families across the district who were currently living with COVID-19 and who had lost loved ones to this virus.

Councillor Devlin also paid tribute and thanks to Councillors Casey and Andrews who had completed their year in office leaving an indelible mark, and stated she looked forward to working with Councillor McKee as Deputy Chair throughout the year to represent all of the people of Newry, Mourne and Down Council.

Councillor Devlin advised the time had come to unlock the tourism potential of Newry Mourne and Down, to unlock the Hospitality potential of the District which had never been challenged more than it was at present and to unlock the potential of local retailers. This was a year like no other. The challenges to be faced were propelled by the continuing climate crisis.

Councillor Devlin confirmed this was the first time since the formation of Newry, Mourne and Down Council in which both the Chair and Deputy Chair were representatives of the same District Electoral Area. Both herself and Councillor McKee were proud to serve the people of the Mournes and to represent all of the people of Newry, Mourne and Down Council.

Councillor McKee, in his acceptance speech, thanked his UUP colleagues for nominating him to his newly appointed position of Deputy Chairperson of Council and congratulated Councillor Devlin on her appointment as Chairperson. He looked forward to working alongside her together with all the Members and Officers' in the coming year. He paid tribute to Chairperson Councillor Casey and Deputy Chairperson Councillor Andrews for the hard work and dedication they showed in carrying out their duties during the 2019/20 term and he wished them well for the future.

The Chief Executive congratulated Councillor Devlin and Councillor McKee on their nominations as Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson of Council and stated that she very much looked forward to working with them together in what was going to be a challenging year ahead.

The Chief Executive then called upon the nominating officers of each of the parties to nominate to the following statutory positions of responsibility. The nominations were made by the respective nominating officers and formally accepted by the nominees as follows:

Chair of ERT	Councillor McMurray
Deputy Chair of ERT	Councillor Ruane
Chair of AHC	Councillor McEvoy
Deputy Chair of AHC	Councillor O'Hare
Chair of NS	Councillor Magennis
Deputy Chair of NS	Councillor Andrews
Chair of SPR	Councillor Sharvin
Deputy Chair of SPR	Councillor Hanlon
Chair of Planning	Councillor Burgess
Deputy Chair of Planning	Councillor Tinnelly

The Chief Executive advised Members that the remaining positions as listed on the agenda had been agreed as four-year terms in 2019 and were for noting.

**Agreed: It was agreed to approve the appointments to
Statutory Positions of Responsibility.**

AGM/4/2019 **TO APPOINT MEMBERS TO COMMITTEES**

Read: List attached showing appointments to be made by Quota of Greatest Remainder and remaining positions to be filled using d'Hondt. (Copy of Committee list 2020/21 is appended to the minutes)

The Chief Executive advised it was agreed to use the default method of Quota of Greatest Remainder for appointment to Committees, with the remaining 12 positions being allocated by the d'Hondt method. The UUP and independent members were then asked to put forward their picks.

The 12 remaining positions were confirmed as follows:

UUP	SPR and NS
Councillor Malone	AHC
Councillor Reilly	ERT
Councillor Tinnelly	Deputy Chair of Planning
Councillor Gibbons	AHC
Councillor Enright	SPR
Councillor Malone	NS
Councillor Reilly	NS
Councillor Tinnelly	ERT
Councillor Gibbons	Audit
Councillor Enright	Audit

Agreed: **It was agreed to approve the appointments to Committees using Quota of Greatest Remainder. (copy of Committee List 2020/21 appended to these minutes)**

AGM/5/2020 **EXTERNAL BODIES AND ORGANISATIONS**

Read: External and Council Bodies List (excluding Statutory Positions of Responsibility - copy circulated)

Noted: **It was agreed to note the External Bodies and Organisations List (excluding Statutory Positions of Responsibility) (copy of External Bodies and Organisations List 2020/21 appended to these minutes).**

AGM/6/2020 **SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS**

Read: Schedule of Meetings for the year 2020/21 (copy circulated)

The Chief Executive advised the start times for the Schedule of Meetings for the year June 2020 - May 2021 would be agreed at the first Meeting of each Committee.

Agreed: **It was agreed to approve the Schedule of Meetings for the year 2020/21.**

There being no further business, the Meeting concluded at 2.51pm.

Signed: _____
Chairperson

Signed: _____
Chief Executive

2020-2021 Appointments

Chairperson:

Councillor Laura Devlin

Deputy Chairperson:

Councillor Harold McKee

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2. Statutory Positions of Responsibility – Annual Meeting 1 June 2020

POSITION - Year 2		Councillor Name
Chair of Council Year 2	SDLP	Councillor L Devlin
Deputy Chair of Council Year 2	UUP	Councillor H McKee
Chair - ENTERPRISE, REGENERATION & TOURISM Year 2	Alliance	Councillor A McMurray
Deputy Chair - ENTERPRISE, REGENERATION & TOURISM Year 2	Sinn Féin	Councillor M Ruane
Chair - ACTIVE & HEALTHY COMMUNITIES Year 2	Sinn Féin	Councillor L McEvoy
Deputy Chair - ACTIVE & HEALTHY COMMUNITIES Year 2	Sinn Féin	Councillor G O'Hare
Chair - NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES Year 2	Sinn Féin	Councillor O Magennis
Deputy Chair - NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES Year 2	SDLP	Councillor T Andrews
Chair - STRATEGY, POLICY & RESOURCES Year 2	SDLP	Councillor G Sharvin
Deputy Chair - STRATEGY, POLICY & RESOURCES Year 2	Sinn Féin	Councillor O Hanlon
Chair - Planning Year 2	UUP	Councillor R Burgess
Deputy Chair - Planning Year 2	Ind	Councillor J Tinnelly
Partnership Panel for NI: 4 Year Term	UUP	Councillor R Burgess
NI Housing Council: 4 Year Term	Sinn Féin	Councillor M Ruane
Reserve Forces & Cadets' Assoc for NI: 4 Year Term	DUP	Councillor K Owen
Arc21 - Position 1: 4 Year Term	DUP	Councillor K Owen
Arc21 - Position 2: 4 Year Term	UUP	Councillor H McKee
Arc21 - Position 3: 4 Year Term	Sinn Féin	Councillor W Clarke
PCSP Position 1: 4 Year Term	Sinn Féin	Councillor W Clarke
PCSP Position 2: 4 Year Term	SDLP	Councillor H Gallagher
PCSP Position 3: 4 Year Term	Sinn Féin	Councillor O Hanlon
PCSP Position 4: 4 Year Term	SDLP	Councillor M Savage
PCSP Position 5: 4 Year Term	Sinn Féin	Councillor S Doran
PCSP Position 6: 4 Year Term	Sinn Féin	Councillor D Murphy
PCSP Position 7: 4 Year Term	UUP	Councillor A Lewis
PCSP Position 8: 4 Year Term	SDLP	Councillor J Trainor
PCSP Position 9: 4 Year Term	Sinn Féin	Councillor M Ruane
PCSP Position 10: 4 Year Term	DUP	Councillor W Walker

3. Council Project Boards and Forums 2020 – 2021

Brexit Forum

Membership	2019-2023
1 Sinn Fein	M Larkin
1 SDLP	G Stokes
1 DUP	K Owen
1 UUP	D Taylor
1 Alliance/Independent	H Reilly

Chief Executive Appraisal Group

Membership	2019-2023
1 Sinn Fein	B Ó Muirí
1 SDLP	P Byrne
1 DUP	G Hanna
1 UUP	R Burgess
1 Alliance/Indp	C Enright

Christmas Illuminations / Celebrations Group

Membership	2019 - 2023
2 Sinn Fein	W Clarke O Magennis
2 SDLP	T Andrews K McKeivitt
1 DUP	W Walker
1 UUP	H McKee
1 Alliance	P Brown
1 Smaller Party/Independent	J Tinnelly

Economic Forum

Membership	2019-2023
2 Sinn Fein	O Hanlon D Murphy
2 SDLP	M Savage D Curran
1 DUP	K Owen
1 UUP	R Burgess
1 Alliance/Independent	P Brown

Efficiency Working Group

Membership	2019 - 2023
1 SF	O Hanlon
1 SDLP	P Byrne
1 DUP	K Owen
1 UUP	R Burgess
1 Alliance / Indp	C Enright

Elected Member Development Working Group

Membership 2019 - 2023	
Sinn Fein	M Ruane
Sinn Fein	B Ó Muirí
SDLP	T Andrews
SDLP	M Savage
UUP	A Lewis
DUP	K Owen
Alliance/Indp	P Brown

Equality and Good Relations Reference Group

Membership	
Sinn Féin (2)	W Clarke
	B Ó Muirí
SDLP (2)	P Byrne
	K McKeivitt
UUP	D Taylor
DUP	W Walker
Alliance	P Brown
Independents (2)	H Reilly
	C Enright

Fair Trade Steering Group

Membership	
Sinn Fein	R Howell
SDLP	P Byrne

Health Working Groups

Membership 2019-2023	Southern Trust Area	SE Trust Area
3 Sinn Fein	C Casey D Murphy G O'Hare	W Clarke S Doran O Hanlon
3 SDLP	P Byrne D McAteer M Savage	T Andrews J Trainor D Curran
1 DUP	G Hanna	K Owen
1 UUP	D Taylor	A Lewis
1 Alliance	P Brown	P Brown
1 Independent	G Malone	C Enright

International Relations Forum

Membership	
Sinn Fein	M Ruane
Sinn Fein	O Magennis
SDLP	G Stokes
SDLP	K McKeivitt
UUP	R Burgess
DUP	W Walker
Alliance	P Brown
Independent	J Tinnelly

Local Development Plan Steering Group – (All Planning Committee Members)

Membership	
Sinn Fein	S Doran M Larkin G O'Hare V Harte D Murphy
SDLP	G Stokes D McAteer J Trainor
UUP	R Burgess
DUP	G Hanna
1 Alliance	P Brown
1 Independent	J Tinnelly

Neighbourhood Services Working Group

Membership	
2 Sinn Fein	A Finnegan O Magennis
2 SDLP	G Stokes K McKeivitt
1 DUP	K Owen
1 UUP	H McKee
1 All/Indp	G Malone

Appointments should come from the Neighbourhood Services Committee.

Newry Lower Hill Street Public Realm Scheme

Membership	
Newry DEA Councillors	C Casey V Harte R Mulgrew G Malone M Savage G Stokes

Plus representatives from Newry Chamber of Commerce

Newry and Mourne Travellers Forum

Membership	2019 - 2023
3 Councillors appointed to Local Government Partnership for Travellers	C Casey G Stokes J Tinnelly
Plus 3 Councillors:	
1 Sinn Fein	R Mulgrew
1 SDLP	D McAteer
1 DUP/UUP	W Walker

Party Representatives Forum

Membership	
Sinn Fein (2 Members if not holding Chair of Council position)	W Clarke B Ó Muirí
SDLP (Chair of Council plus Party Rep)	P Byrne
1 UUP	D Taylor
1 DUP	W Walker
Chair of Council	L Devlin

- **One Special Responsibility Allowance to Sinn Fein and SDLP for role as Party Representative.**
- **Position of Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson, if on forum, count towards allocation of two places for Sinn Fein and SDLP**

Peace IV Partnership

Membership	
3 Sinn Fein	D Murphy M Ruane S Doran
2 SDLP	T Andrews K McKeivitt
1 DUP	W Walker
1 UUP	D Taylor
1 Alliance	P Brown
1 Independent	H Reilly

Plus 9 social partners

Planning Call in Panel

Membership	June 2020-Dec 2020
R Burgess	
M Larkin	
D McAteer	

***Membership to be rotated on 6 monthly basis**

Strategic Projects Working Group

Membership	
3 Sinn Féin	W Clarke D Murphy C Mason
2 SDLP	T Andrews G Stokes
1 UUP	R Burgess
1 DUP	K Owen

Sustainable Development and Climate Change Forum

Membership	
2 Sinn Féin	W Clarke C Mason
2 SDLP	T Andrews D Curran
1 UUP	D Taylor
1 DUP	G Hanna
1 Alliance	P Brown
1 Independent	C Enright

Agreed that the Sustainability and Climate Change Forum would be open to any additional Members who wished to attend.

All Party Group on Sustainable Development

Membership	
Sinn Féin	W Clarke
SDLP	T Andrews

4. Task & Finish Working Groups

Albert Basin Park Task and Finish Working Group

Membership	
Newry Councillors	C Casey
	TBC
	R Mulgrew
	G Malone
	M Savage
	G Stokes
	D Taylor
Plus 1 Councillor from Unionist Grouping	

Plus external representatives in accordance with Terms of Reference

Camlough Lake Task & Finish Working Group

Membership	
Slieve Gullion Councillors	P Byrne
	A Finnegan
	M Larkin
	O Magennis
	D Murphy
	B Ó Muirí
	D Taylor

Castlewellan Forest Park Task and Finish Project Board

Membership	
2 Sinn Fein	W Clarke
	R Howell
2 SDLP	L Devlin
	H Gallagher
1 DUP	G Hanna
1 UUP	A Lewis
1 All/Indp	A McMurray

Implementation of Irish Language Strategy Working Group

Membership	
Sinn Fein	B Ó Muirí
Sinn Fein	G O'Hare
SDLP	T Andrews
SDLP	D McAteer
1 UUP	No nomination
1 DUP	No nomination
2 Alliance / Independents	C Enright
	P Brown

St Patrick's Day Cross Party Working Group

Membership	
1 Sinn Fein	O Hanlon
1 SDLP	J Trainor
1 DUP	G Hanna
1 UUP	D Taylor
1 Alliance/Independents	C Enright

Tourism/Arts Task and Finish Project Board

Membership	
2 Sinn Fein	W Clarke O Magennis
2 SDLP	D Curran D McAteer
1 DUP	G Hanna
1 UUP	R Burgess
1 Alliance/Independent	P Brown

Warrenpoint Municipal Park Task & Finish

Crotlieve Councillors	M Gibbons
	D McAteer
	K McKeivitt
	G O'Hare
	M Ruane
	J Tinnelly

YAFTA Short listing

Membership	
Sinn Fein	V Harte
SDLP	P Byrne
DUP	K Owen
UUP	A Lewis
Smaller Parties/Indp	P Brown

5. Appointments to External Bodies/Organisation

APSE NI Executive Board 2019-2023

Membership	
1 Member	T Andrews

Carlingford Lough Commissioners Board 2019 – 2023

Sinn Fein	S Doran
SDLP	M Savage

Community Planning Partnership Board

Membership	
Sinn Féin 2 Members	W Clarke
	A Finnegan
SDLP 2 Members	T Andrews
	G Stokes
UUP 1 Member	H McKee

DUP 1 Member	W Walker
Alliance/Indp 1 Member	P Brown
Chairperson of Council	L Devlin

(Chairperson will change annually)

Diversity Champions 2019-2023

Councillors and Officer	
Sinn Féin 1 Member	A Finnegan
SDLP 1 Member	P Byrne
DUP/UUP 1 Member	W Walker
Council Officer	C Moffett

East Border Region

Sinn Féin	C Mason
Sinn Féin	D Murphy
Sinn Féin	M Ruane
SDLP	T Andrews
SDLP	D McAteer
UUP	R Burgess

East Border Region Board Directors 2019-2023

Sinn Féin	M Ruane
SDLP	T Andrews
UUP	R Burgess

FLAG Board

1 Member	D Curran
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LAG Board

Sinn Féin	L McEvoy
Sinn Féin	R Howell
Sinn Féin	A Finnegan
Sinn Féin	R Mulgrew
SDLP	T Andrews
SDLP	P Byrne
SDLP	D McAteer
SDLP	M Savage
DUP	W Walker
UUP	R Burgess
Alliance / Indp	J Tinnelly
	H Reilly

Local Government Partnership on Travellers Issues 2019-2023

Sinn Féin	C Casey
SDLP	G Stokes
Alliance / Indp	J Tinnelly

Louth, Newry, Mourne and Down (LNMD) Joint Committee 2019-2023

Sinn Féin	W Clarke
Sinn Féin	M Larkin
Sinn Féin	R Mulgrew
Sinn Féin	D Murphy
SDLP	D Curran
SDLP	D McAteer
UUP	H McKee
DUP	W Walker
Alliance / Indp	J Tinnelly

National Association of Councillors 2019-2023

3 Sinn Féin	C Casey
	V Harte
	M Ruane
3 SDLP	T Andrews
	D Curran
	H Gallagher
1 UUP	R Burgess
Alliance /Indp 1 Member	P Brown

NILGA 2019-2023

3 Sinn Féin	M Ruane
	C Casey
	V Harte
3 SDLP	T Andrews
	D Curran
	K McKeivitt
1 UUP	R Burgess
1 DUP	W Walker

Regional Elected Member Development Working Group

Membership	2019 - 2021
1 Member	W Walker

Ring of Gullion AONB Management Board/Ring of Gullion Landscape Partnership Management Board

Slieve Gullion Councillors	SDLP	P Byrne
	Sinn Féin Finnegan	A
	Sinn Féin	M Larkin
	Sinn Féin Magennis	O
	Sinn Féin	D Murphy
	Sinn Féin	B Ó Muirí
	UUP	D Taylor

Rural Community Network

SDLP	Pete Byrne
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SANDSA (South Armagh, Newry and Down Sports Association)

5 Councillors	Sinn Féin Magennis	O
	Sinn Féin	L McEvoy
	SDLP	D McAteer
	SDLP	G Sharvin
	UUP	A Lewis

Somme Advisory Council 2019 – 2023

Year 1 Walker / Andrews	Year 2 Burgess / Owen
Year 3 McKee / Andrews	Year 4 Lewis / Hanna

Strangford Lough and Lecale Partnership

Years 1 and 3 2019 / 2020 and 2021 / 2022

2 Councillors	SDLP	G Sharvin
	Alliance/Indp	C Enright

Years 2 and 4 2020 / 2021 and 2022/2023

2 Councillors	SF	O Hanlon
	DUP	K Owen

Warrenpoint Harbour Authority 2019 – 2023

Sinn Fein	S Doran
DUP	G Hanna

Elected Member Representation on Community Planning Thematic Groups

Health and Wellbeing	Elected Member
Sinn Féin	V Harte
SDLP	D McAteer
UUP	D Taylor
DUP	K Owen
Alliance/Independents	G Malone

Environment and Spatial Development	Elected Member
Sinn Féin	W Clarke
SDLP	J Trainor
UUP	H McKee
DUP	K Owen
Alliance/Independents	C Enright