

NEWRY, MOURNE & DOWN DISTRICT COUNCIL

NMD/AGM/

Minutes of Annual Meeting of Council held on Monday 1 June 2020 at 6pm in the Downshire Chamber and via Microsoft Teams (Hybrid).

In the Chair in chamber: Councillor L Devlin 6.00pm - 6.27pm
Councillor C Mason 6.28pm - 6.48pm

In attendance in chamber: **(Councillors)**
Councillor P Byrne Councillor C Enright
Councillor O Magennis Councillor G Malone
Councillor H McKee Councillor B Ó Muirí
Councillor H Reilly Councillor D Taylor
Councillor J Tinnelly Councillor W Walker

(Officials)
Mrs M Ward, Chief Executive
Miss S Taggart, Democratic Services Manager (Acting)

In attendance remotely: **(Councillors)**
Councillor T Andrews Councillor P Brown
Councillor R Burgess Councillor C Casey
Councillor W Clarke Councillor D Curran
Councillor S Doran Councillor A Finnegan
Councillor M Gibbons Councillor O Hanlon
Councillor V Harte Councillor R Howell
Councillor M Larkin Councillor A Lewis
Councillor D McAteer Councillor L McEvoy
Councillor K McKeivitt Councillor R Mulgrew
Councillor D Murphy Councillor G O'Hare
Councillor K Owen Councillor M Ruane
Councillor M Savage Councillor G Sharvin
Councillor G Stokes Councillor J Trainor

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Mr C Mallon, Director of Enterprise, Regeneration and Tourism
Mr J Mc Bride, Director of Neighbourhood Services (Acting)
Mr F O'Connor, Legal Advisor
Mrs C McAteer, Democratic Services Officer
Mrs P McKeever, Democratic Services Officer
Ms L O'Hare, Democratic Services Officer

Apologies were received from Councillors Gallagher and McMurray and Mr Lipsett, Director of Active & Healthy Communities.

As outgoing Chairperson, Councillor Devlin welcomed everyone to the meeting highlighting that when she took up the chain of office last year she did so in full knowledge that it would be a year like no other as she assumed the role in the midst of lockdown and did all within her power to provide leadership and calm amidst a raging storm.

Councillor Devlin highlighted the devastating impact Covid had had throughout the community acknowledging even though everyone did their best to ensure it would not overcome them and the speedy rollout of the vaccine, too many people had died and families left behind grieving their loss.

Councillor Devlin paid tribute to the outgoing Vice-Chairperson Harold McKee who so ably deputized when needed, and also paid particular tribute to the SDLP party for their confidence in her as Chair. She went on to thank council senior management team, officers, staff and in particular the team in Democratic Services headed up by Sarah who had worked so hard to ensure Council continued to operate with some semblance of normality. Lastly, she said very special thank you to Sheila Kieran for the huge role she played with such professionalism, integrity and kindness.

Councillor Devlin went on to wish Councillors Mason and Magennis the very best in their new roles in which she had every faith they would undertake with the same spirit of warmth, generosity and compassion.

Councillor Devlin highlighted that, serving as Chair had been the greatest honour of her life. She thanked everyone who had afforded her the opportunity and she looked forward to devoting herself to serving the people of the Mourne fully once more.

The outgoing Deputy Chairperson, Councillor McKee thanked the UUP for choosing him as Deputy Chairperson and thanked Councillor Devlin for doing a great job in what was a difficult year. He stated that although he did not get to fulfil the role in full and duties limited as a result of the pandemic he enjoyed his time and remembered those who had suffered at the hands of the pandemic and those who had lost loved ones and that had been hospitalised. Councillor McKee wished the incoming Chair and Deputy Chairperson well for the incoming year.

Councillors Walker, Ó Muirí, Byrne, Brown, Taylor, Tinnelly and Malone paid tribute to the way Councillor Devlin and McKee conducted themselves during what was a very difficult year acknowledging that although they were unable to attend many of the public engagements as in previous years due to the pandemic they did a fantastic job across the District and conducted themselves in a very respectful and professional manner at all times.

Members took the opportunity to welcome the incoming Chair Councillor Mason and Deputy Chair Councillor Magennis in their new roles.

The Chief Executive on behalf of the management team offered a huge thank you to Councillor Devlin & McKee, stating it had been pleasure to work with them both over the previous year in what had been very unprecedented times.

AGM/2/2021

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

AGM/3/2021

TO APPOINT MEMBERS TO THE STATUTORY POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

Read:

List of Statutory Positions of Responsibility (copy circulated)

AGM/4/2021

NEWLY APPOINTED CHAIRPERSON/VICE-CHAIRPERSON TO ASSUME THE CHAIR/VICE-CHAIR ROLE

The Chief Executive called upon Councillor Ó Muirí as nominating officer for Sinn Féin to nominate a Councillor for the position of Chairperson of Council for 2021/22.

Councillor Ó Muirí nominated and proposed Councillor Cathy Mason for the position of Chairperson of Council for 2021/22. This was seconded by Councillor Magennis and subsequently accepted by Councillor Mason.

The Chief Executive called upon Councillor Ó Muirí as nominating officer for Sinn Féin to nominate a Councillor for the position of Deputy-Chairperson of Council for 2021/22.

Councillor Ó Muirí nominated and proposed Councillor Oonagh Magennis for the position of Deputy Chairperson of Council for 2021/22. This was seconded by Councillor Byrne and subsequently accepted by Councillor Magennis.

The Chief Executive stated that Councillor Mason and Councillor Magennis had been duly nominated as Chairperson and Deputy-Chairperson respectively of Newry, Mourne and Down District Council for the year 2021/22.

Councillor Devlin vacated the Chair at this point in the meeting – 6.27pm.

Councillors Mason and Magennis assumed the Chairperson and Deputy-Chairperson roles at this point – 6.28pm.

Councillor Mason, in her acceptance speech as the newly appointed Chairperson of Council for the 2021/22 term, thanked the outgoing Chair Councillor Devlin and Deputy Chair Councillor McKee for discharging their responsibilities with great professionalism and humanity in what had been a very difficult year for the District.

The newly appointed Chairperson thanked her party colleagues for nominating her to take the role of Chairperson, stating it was an honor and privilege to be chosen to lead the Council in this difficult period and looked forward to working with all Councillors, officers, community organizations and agencies to help build back from Covid and mitigate the effects of Brexit.

Councillor Mason advised the incoming year would be about Covid recovery, investing in local economy, protecting and attracting jobs, delivering a better deal for workers and families, building more affordable homes, ensuring the impact of Brexit was mitigated as much as possible and to ensure a sustainable infrastructure to enjoy the natural world across the District. She stated that Covid had had a huge impact on social and personal

well-being and the need for local fit-for-purpose health services was now needed greater than ever.

Councillor Mason stated she looked forward to working with Councillor Magennis as Deputy Chair in what was a big year ahead presenting many challenges and hopefully many opportunities.

Councillor Magennis, in her acceptance speech, thanked the outgoing Chair Councillor Devlin and Deputy Chair Councillor McKee for all their hard work over the last year in very challenging times. She thanked her own party Sinn Féin for proposing her for the role and thanked her family who had been a great support throughout her tenure as Councillor so far.

Councillor Magennis said she was delighted to be Deputy Chair and to working closely with her colleague Councillor Mason, highlighting it was a testament to both their abilities and changing times that two women had been selected for those roles.

Councillor Magennis stated she had no doubt the incoming 12 months would continue to be a challenge as the last year had been a testing one for all and as a Slieve Gullion Councillor she hoped that the strong strategic alliance with counterparts on Louth County Council continues to grow. Cross-border cooperate was essential and Covid had made that close connection even more necessary.

The Chief Executive offered her congratulations to Councillor Mason and Councillor Magennis on their nominations as Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson of Council and stated that she looked forward to working closely with them in the 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 Howell

Proposed by Councillor Ó Muirí, seconded by Councillor Magennis

Deputy Chair of ERT

Councillor Andrews

Proposed by Councillor Byrne, seconded by Councillor Devlin

Chair of AHC

Councillor McKeivitt

Proposed by Councillor Byrne, seconded by Councillor Walker

Deputy Chair of AHC

Councillor Casey

Proposed by Councillor Ó Muirí, seconded by Councillor Mason

Chair of NS

Councillor Owen

Proposed by Councillor Walker, seconded by Councillor Taylor

Deputy Chair of NS

Councillor Finnegan

Proposed by Councillor Ó Muirí, seconded by Councillor Magennis

Chair of SPR

Councillor Hanlon

Proposed by Councillor Ó Muirí, seconded by Councillor Mason

Deputy Chair of SPR**Councillor Brown**

Proposed by Councillor Enright, seconded by Councillor Tinnelly

Chair of Planning**Councillor McAteer**

Proposed by Councillor Byrne, seconded by Councillor Devlin

Deputy Chair of Planning**Councillor Enright**

Proposed by Councillor Enright, seconded by Councillor Tinnelly

AGM/5/2021

TO APPOINT MEMBERS TO COMMITTEES - 2021/22 (LIST ATTACHED SHOWING APPOINTMENTS TO BE MADE BY QUOTA OF GREATEST REMAINDER AND REMAINING POSITIONS TO BE FILLED USING d'HONDT.)

Read:

List attached showing appointments to be made by Quota of Greatest Remainder and remaining positions to be filled using d'Hondt

The Chief Executive advised it had been 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 Ulster Unionist Party (UUP) and Independent Members were then asked to put forward their picks.

The UUP had the first 2 picks, the remaining positions were confirmed as follows:

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

The Chief Executive advised that the remaining names for committee selection should be given to democratic services by close of play Tuesday 2 June 2021.

Agreed:

It was agreed on the proposal of Councillor Ó Muirí, seconded by Councillor Walker to approve the appointments to Committees using d'Hondt (copy of Committee List 2021/22 appended to these minutes)

AGM/06/2021:

APPOINTMENTS TO EXTERNAL BOARDS/BODIES AND COUNCIL COARDS/BODIES

Read:

External and Council Bodies List (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 2021/22 appended to these minutes).

AGM/07/2021: SCHEME OF ALLOWANCES 2021/22

Read: Scheme of Allowances 2021/22 (Copy circulated)

Noted: **It was agreed to note the Scheme of Allowances 2021/22 (copy of Scheme of Allowances 2021/22 appended to these minutes).**

AGM/08/2021: SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS FOR INCOMING YEAR

Read: Schedule of meetings for incoming year (Copy circulated)

Start times for the Schedule of Meetings for the year June 2021-May 2022 to be agreed at the first meeting of each Committee.

Noted: **It was agreed to note the Schedule of meeting for the incoming year (copy of Schedule of meetings for incoming year appended to these minutes).**

There being no further business, the Meeting concluded at 6.42pm.

Signed: _____
Chairperson

Signed: _____
Chief Executive



Comhairle Ceantair
**an Iúir, Mhúrn
agus an Dúin**
**Newry, Mourne
and Down**
District Council

2021-2022 Appointments

Chairperson:

Councillor Cathy Mason

Deputy Chairperson:

Councillor Oonagh Magennis

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2. Statutory Positions of Responsibility – Annual Meeting 1 June 2021

POSITION - Year 3		Councillor Name
Chair of Council Year 3	Sinn Féin	Councillor C Mason
Deputy Chair of Council Year 3	Sinn Féin	Councillor O Magennis
Chair - ENTERPRISE, REGENERATION & TOURISM Year 3	Sinn Féin	Councillor R Howell
Deputy Chair - ENTERPRISE, REGENERATION & TOURISM Year 3	SDLP	Councillor T Andrews
Chair - ACTIVE & HEALTHY COMMUNITIES Year 3	SDLP	Councillor K McKeivitt
Deputy Chair - ACTIVE & HEALTHY COMMUNITIES Year 3	Sinn Féin	Councillor C Casey
Chair - NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES Year 3	DUP	Councillor K Owen (changed to W Walker)
Deputy Chair - NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES Year 3	Sinn Féin	Councillor A Finnegan
Chair - STRATEGY, POLICY & RESOURCES Year 3	Sinn Féin	Councillor O Hanlon
Deputy Chair - STRATEGY, POLICY & RESOURCES Year 3	Alliance	Councillor P Brown
Chair - Planning Year 3	SDLP	Councillor D McAteer
Deputy Chair - Planning Year 3	Ind	Councillor C Enright
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

Brexit Forum

Membership	2019-2023
Sinn Fein	M Larkin C Mason
SDLP	G Stokes M Savage
UUP	D Taylor
DUP	G Hanna
Alliance/Independent	H Reilly

Chief Executive Appraisal Group

Membership	2019-2023
1 Sinn Fein	B Ó Muirí
1 SDLP	P Byrne
1 UUP	R Burgess
1 DUP	G Hanna
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 UUP	H McKee
1 DUP	W Walker
1 Alliance	P Brown
1 Smaller Party/Independent	J Tinnelly

Covid 19 Recovery Working Group

Membership	2021-2023
Sinn Fein	W Clarke O Hanlon
SDLP	G Stokes L Devlin
DUP	K Owen
UUP	D Taylor
Alliance/Independent	J Tinnelly

Economic Forum

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

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	A McMurray
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 UUP	D Taylor	A Lewis
1 DUP	G Hanna	K Owen

1 Alliance	P Brown	P Brown
I 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	

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	

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

Membership	
Sinn Fein	L McEvoy M Larkin G O'Hare V Harte D Murphy
SDLP	L Devlin D McAteer J Trainor
	G Hanna
UUP	R Burgess H McKee
1 Independent	C Enright

Neighbourhood Services Working Group

Membership	
2 Sinn Fein	A Finnegan O Magennis
2 SDLP	G Stokes K McKeivitt

1 UUP	H McKee
1 DUP	K Owen
1 All/Indp	G Malone

Appointments should come from the Neighbourhood Services Committee.

Newry City Centre Regeneration Project

Membership	
Sinn Féin	C Casey R Mulgrew
SDLP	P Byrne G Stokes
UUP	D Taylor
DUP	W Walker
All/Ind	G Malone

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	D Murphy
1 SDLP	D McAteer
1 UUP/DUP	W Walker

Party Representatives Forum

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

- **One Special Responsibility Allowance to Sinn Féin 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 UUP	D Taylor
1 DUP	W Walker
1 Alliance	P Brown
1 Independent	H Reilly

Plus 9 social partners

Planning Call in Panel

Membership	June 2021-Nov 2021
D McAteer	
M Larkin	
H McKee	

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

Strategic Finance Working Group (replaced EWG)

Membership	
2 Sinn Féin	W Clarke O Hanlon
2 SDLP	P Byrne G Sharvin
1 DUP	K Owen
1 UUP	R Burgess
1 Alliance/Independent	C Enright

Sustainable Development and Climate Change Forum

Membership	
2 Sinn Féin	W Clarke C Mason
2 SDLP	T Andrews D Curran
1 DUP	G Hanna
1 UUP	D Taylor
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

Women's Working Group

Membership	
Sinn Fein	C Mason A Finnegan
SDLP	L Devlin K McKeivitt
UUP	A Lewis
DUP	K Owen
All/Ind	M Gibbons

4. Task & Finish Working Groups

Camlough Lake Task & Finish Working Group

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 UUP	A Lewis
1 DUP	G Hanna
1 All/Indp	A McMurray

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

St Patrick's Day Cross Party Working Group

Membership	
1 Sinn Fein	O Hanlon
1 SDLP	J Trainor
1 UUP	D Taylor
1 DUP	G Hanna
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 UUP	R Burgess
1 DUP	G Hanna
1 Alliance/Independent	P Brown

Warrenpoint Front Shore Public Realm Working Group

Membership	
Crotlieve Cllrs	M Gibbons

	D McAteer K McKeivitt G O'Hare M Ruane J Tinnelly
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Warrenpoint Municipal Park Task & Finish

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

YAFTA Short listing

Membership	
Sinn Fein	V Harte
SDLP	P Byrne
UUP	A Lewis
DUP	K Owen
All/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
UUP/DUP 1 Member	W Walker
Council Officer	C Moffett

Dublin-Belfast Economic Corridor

Membership	P Byrne
	D Murphy
	D Taylor

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
UUP	R Burgess
DUP	W Walker
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 Alliance /Indp 1 Member	R Burgess
	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

NILGA Policy & Learning Networks

Economy & International Affairs	
Elected Member Development	T Andrews
Health, Social & Environmental Wellbeing	
Place Shaping & Infrastructure	
Reform, Devolution & Improvement	

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

Slieve Gullion Councillors	SDLP	P Byrne
	Sinn Féin	A Finnegan
	Sinn Féin	M Larkin
	Sinn Féin	O Magennis
	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	O Magennis
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	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 2020 – 2024

Sinn Fein	C Mason
SDLP	K McKeivitt
DUP	G Hanna

6. Community Planning Thematic Groups

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

Sustainable Environment (Environmental & Spatial)	Elected Member
Sinn Féin	W Clarke
SDLP	J Trainor
UUP	H McKee
DUP	K Owen
Alliance/Independents	C Enright