

Deputy McCormack stated that it was a very important provision and should be carefully written.

Deputy O'Cuiv referring to this heading stated that the requirement of road frontage and septic tank standards must be looked at in relation to the rebuilding of ruins and also a provision should be inserted so that the house cannot be sold.

The Council then agreed that Mr. Callagy would look at the definitions included under agri tourism and revert to the members at a later date.

MANAGER'S BUSINESS

3345

The County Manager informed the meeting that the Council had received correspondence from the Department of Arts, Culture and the Gaeltacht concerning funding being made available as follows:-

- : deontas nach rachaidh thar £50,750 no 87.5% de chostas na hoibre, cibe acu is lu, chun oibreacha deisiuchain (faoi mar a sonraíodh i litir an 6 Deireadh Fomhair uaibh) a chur i grich ag ce Bearna, agus
- : deontas nach rachaidh thar £8,750 no 87.5% de chostas na hoibre, cibe acu is lu, chun oibreacha deisiuchain (faoi mar a sonraíodh i litir an 6 Deireadh Fomhair uaibh) a chur i grich ag ce Paddy Jack, Leitir Meallain.

The Members welcomed the provision of the finance.

CHRIOCHNAIGH AN CRUINNIU ANSIN

Submitted Approved + Signed: _____

John M. Hancock
Chairman

27/11/95
Date

COMHAIRLE CHONTAE NA GAILLIMHE

(Galway County Council)

Oifig an Runai,
Arus an Chontae,
GAILLIMH.

13 Deire Fomhair, 1995

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Mise, le meas,

B. DOYLE,
A/County Secretary.

CLAR

1. Review of the County Development Plan.

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**MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING OF GALWAY COUNTY
COUNCIL HELD IN COMMITTEE AT THE COUNTY
BUILDINGS, GALWAY ON FRIDAY, 13th OCTOBER, 1995**

Cathaoirleach:- Councillor J. Mannion.

Baill:- Cllrs. J. Brennan, J. Burke,
T. Byrne, J. Callanan,
P. Connaughton, Cllrs.
M. Cunningham, M. Fahy,
P. Finnegan, M. Finnerty, S. Gavin,
T. Hussey, M. Loughnane,
J. McClearn, Deputy P. McCormack,
Cllrs. P. McHugh, M. Mullins,
C. Ni Fhatharta, S. O'Neachtain,
M. O'Neill, P. O'Tuathail,
K. Quinn, M. Ryan.

Oifigigh:- Messrs. D. O'Donoghue Co.
Manager, B. Callagy, S.E.E.,
L. Kavanagh, S.E.E.,
T. Kavanagh, A/Asst. Co. Manager,
T. Connell, Senior Staff Officer,
R. Killeen, A/County Engineer,
M. O'Halloran, C.T. and
B. Doyle, A/Co. Secretary.

Thosnaigh an crinniu leis an paidir.

RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY

3336

A Resolution of Sympathy was passed with the following:-

Mr. Tom Monaghan, Cooloo, Brierfield, Ballinasloe.
Mr. Patrick Killilea, Ballaplea, Ballygar, Co. Galway.

DATE OF NOVEMBER PLANNING MEETING

3338

The Members agreed to change the date of the Planning Meeting to the 17th November, 1995. The Members also noted that Officials from the N.R.A. would be in attendance at that Meeting.

The County Manager indicated that officials of the Council had met with N.R.A. Representatives on the 12th October, 1995. The Meeting had updated the National Roads Authority personnel with the various problem areas on National Roads throughout the County. This was noted by the Members.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

3339

The A/County Secretary informed the Meeting that an official of the Department of Transport, Communications and Energy will attend a Meeting of the council to discuss the licensing and policy of the Department in connection with the provision of Telecommunications Masts. This was noted by the Members.

MANAGER'S BUSINESS

3340

The County Manager informed the Meeting that Bord Failte had indicated that the financial support for the Heritage Projects in Gort and Athenry was being set at 50% instead of 75% funding. The Council felt that this change in the level of grant aid would have disastrous effects for the projects in question.

The County Manager indicated that he was raising the matter again with Bord Failte and he would keep the Council informed of any developments.

REVIEW OF COUNTY DEVELOPMENT PLAN

3341

Cllr. O'Neachtain proposed that Chapters 10 & 12 be dealt with at this sitting and Chapters 9 & 11 be considered at another meeting so as to enable the members to study the documentation which had been circulated. This proposal was seconded by Cllr. Ryan. Deputy Connaughton requested the County Engineer and his staff to examine the Class II Control Roads and in particular such roads which have a low traffic volume and where existing businesses or new businesses are being created which are related to the area. The granting of planning permission should be considered in such cases. This proposal was supported by Cllr. Callanan.

CHAPTER 10

The chapter on Heritage Areas and Buildings was outlined by Mr. Callagy. He referred to development control objectives and policies, other related matters such as sites and monuments of archaeological interests and buildings of artistic, architectural or historic interests were also considered.

Cllr. Loughnane enquired if the list relating to archaeological sites had been extended since the last plan was drawn up. He was advised by Mr. Callagy that the list of monuments had not been revised, and added that an extensive survey was carried out in 1985.

Cllr. Quinn referring to the state of old Churches wished to know if they could be taken over and restored. She was informed that this would be a matter for the Office of

Public Works.

Cllr. Callanan referred to gates which lead to historic houses and expressed his concern that they were not being preserved. Mr. Callagy stated that he would investigate this matter for him. Pages 1, 2 & 3 were then agreed by the members.

Cllr. McHugh referring to 10.3.3 on Natural Heritage Areas stated that such designation will make areas very restrictive. It would result in turning locations into non-development areas and he would not be in agreement to incorporate this provision into the County Development Plan. Mr. Callagy stated that there may be a possible misinterpretation of the provision. He was not saying that development would be prohibited in such areas. Cllr. McHugh stated that he wanted to know the extent of restrictions imposed in these areas and that an explanation must be given by the Office of Public Works. How would people be effected? He requested that someone from the Office of Public Works should be invited to a meeting and explain the impact of the Natural Heritage Areas.

Cllr. O'Tuathail stated that people agree with such areas but the property must be clearly defined and mapped exactly.

The County Manager stated that there was some confusion concerning the Natural Heritage Areas and that it would be advisable to have a member from the Office of Public Works at the meeting to talk about these proposals.

Cllr. McHugh proposed that 10.3.3 on Natural Heritage Areas be considered at another meeting. This was seconded by Cllr. Cunningham.

CHAPTER 12 - General Objectives and Policies

Mr. Callagy went through the document as circulated to the members and in turn dealt with Environmental Impact Assessment, Pollution Threats, Development Control Policy on Odour, Noise, Water Pollution Control Measures.

Cllr. O'Tuathail expressed his concern about fish farms and the control of pollution on lakes. Mr. Callagy stated that the local authority was responsible only for land up to the high water mark.

Cllr. Byrne referring to noise requested that the Plan refer to existing premises that cause noise, such as, disco's.

Chapter 12 was then agreed by the members.

Cllr. Gavin referred to cases where material contravention planning applications are appealed to An Bord Pleanala. At the oral hearing there is no provision for the Council Members to make a submission. He wished to get clarification on this point. Mr. T. Connell, Senior Staff Officer, Planning Department, stated that the elected members can make submissions as individuals and the

Regulations provide for this provision.

The County Manager stated that the Regulations were specific in this regard.

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Submitted, Approved + Signed:

John M. Mannion
CHAIRMAN

27/10/95

DATE

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COMHAIRLE CHONTAE NA GAILLIMHE

MINUTES OF MONTHLY MEETING OF GALWAY
COUNTY COUNCIL HELD AT THE COUNTY BUILDINGS,
GALWAY ON MONDAY, 25TH SEPTEMBER, 1995

CATHAOIRLEACH:- An Comhairleoir J. Mannion.

I LATHAIR FREISIN:

Baill:

Cllrs J. Brennan, J. Burke, W. Burke, T. Byrne, J. Callanan, Deputies P. Connaughton, E. O'Cuiv, Cllrs M. Fahy, P. Finnegan, M. Finnerty, S. Gavin, T. Hussey, J. McClearn, Deputy P. McCormack, Sen. J. McDonagh, Cllrs. P. McHugh, M. Mullins, C. Ni Fhatharta, S. O'Neachtain, M. O'Neill, P. O'Sullivan, P. O'Tuathail, K. Quinn, M. Regan, E. Varley and T. Walsh.

Oifigigh:

Messrs. D. O'Donoghue, County Manager, P. Flood, County Engineer, T. Kavanagh, A/Assist. County Manager, B. Doyle, A/County Secretary, E. Lusby, Finance Officer, P. Ridge, S.E.E. (S.S. Capital Schemes), R. Killeen, A/Deputy County Engineer, G. Dunne, S.E.E. (Housing), T. Murphy, A/A.O. Housing, D. Barrett, S.S.O. County Enterprise Board.

Thosnaigh an crinniu leis an paidir.

RESOLUTION OF SYMPATHY

3283

A Resolution of Sympathy was passed with the following:-

Mrs. Nora Cooney, Ballyara, Bullaun, Loughrea, Co. Galway.
Mrs. Tarpey, Keelloguesbeg, Glinsk, Co. Galway.

Cllr. Michael Ryan, Moate, Moylough, Ballinasloe.

OTHER BUSINESS

3284

On the proposal of Councillor Sullivan, seconded by Councillor Callanan, the Members unanimously expressed get well wishes to Mr. Declan Nelson, Assistant County Manager.

MINUTES

3285

On the proposal of Councillor Finnerty, seconded by Councillor Brennan, the Minutes of the Special Meeting held in Committee on the 31st July, 1995 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

On the proposal of Councillor Callanan, seconded by Councillor Hussey, the Minutes of the Special Meeting held in Committee on the 21st August, 1995 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

On the proposal of Councillor Finnerty, seconded by Councillor Callanan the Minutes of Monthly Meeting held on 28th August, 1995 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

ROAD TRAFFIC (PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES) (AMENDMENT)

3286

REGULATIONS 1995

It was agreed to take this matter on the agenda at this point. Councillor Hussey indicated that Galway Corporation had passed a resolution that no new Hackney Licences issue until March, 1996. Mr. T. Kavanagh, Acting Assistant County Manager outlined the operation of the Regulations with the Members. On the proposal of Councillor Hussey and seconded by Senator McDonagh, it was resolved that:-

No further hackney licences be issued until the matter was discussed again at the Council's October Meeting but that licences for the three valid applications on hand would issue and that the following charges be implemented:

- £200 for new Hackney Licences
- £100 for renewal of Hackney Licences

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

3287

The Members expressed their satisfaction with the progress being made on the Williamstown Sewerage Scheme and thanked the Officials involved. Councillor Callanan queried when the Council would received a report on hedge-cutting. The County

Manager indicated that this matter would be on the Agenda for the Area Meetings of the Council.

The Members asked when officials of the N.R.A. would meet with the Council. They also asked what the up-to-date position was with regard to the Aughrim/Cappataggle Road.

The County Manager indicated that a signage programme for this section of the N.6 had been agreed and funding had been approved for same by the National Roads Authority. He informed the Council that no Design money for the re-alignment of this section of the N6 had been received from the N.R.A. The Council were now seeking funding for the next best option which was to improve the surface, ease some of the bends and provide hard shoulders.

The Members stressed the need to ensure that Officials of the N.R.A. would meet the Members of the Council. The County Manager indicated arrangements would be made for Officials of the N.R.A. to attend the next meeting of the Council.

Councillor Ni Fhatharta indicated that the response received to Notice of Motion No. 43 was insufficient given that three accidents had occurred at this location. She was not satisfied with the answer and asked that the matter be looked at again.

DECLARATION OF ROADS TO BE PUBLIC ROADS

3288

On the proposal of Councilor Hussey, seconded by Councillor Brennan, it was agreed that the roads, details of which are set out here-under, be taken in charge by Galway County Council:-

Engineering Area	Description
Athenry	Road commencing at start of unfenced section of Co. Rd. 192 and extending westwards for a distance of 168m in the townland of Stradbally North.
Gort	Road commencing at junction with Co. Rd. 603 and extending north for a distance of 190m in the townland of Caherapheepa.

The details of the roads in question had been forwarded to the Members and the statutory requirements had been complied with.

DISPOSAL OF LAND

3289

On the proposal of Councillor Finnerty, seconded by Councillor Hussey, the Council approved the exchange of lands with Iarnrod Eireann at Townparks, Tuam, in accordance with Notice dated the 7th September, 1995, which had been circulated to each Member of the Council.

TO CONSIDER REPORT ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT (PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS) 1994 IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF HOUSES UNDER THE 1995 HOUSING CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMME

3290

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The Members noted the report dated the 18th September, 1995 which had been circulated. The A/Assistant County Manager indicated that the Council had complied with the requirements of the Planning and Development Regulations 1994 and that no observations or submissions had been received. The notice referred to the following works:-

Construction of scheme houses at:-

- : Carna - 6 houses
- : Rosmuc - 4 houses
- : Carraroe - 8 houses
- : Clifden - 8 houses
- : Cloonlyon, Ballygar - 2 houses
- : Parkmore, Tuam - 4 houses

The Members noted that the proposals were part of the Council's Housing Programme and construction work would commence in 1995.

AMENITY GRANTS AND ECONOMIC ACTIVITY GRANTS 1995

3291

On the proposal of Councillor Regan, seconded by Councillor Hussey, the Members approved the Amenity and Economic Activity Grants for 1995 as set out here-under:-

AMENITY GRANT RECOMMENDATIONS - 1995

- | | |
|---|---------|
| 1. Athenry Community Council Trust Ltd. | £ 700 |
| 2. Banagher Shannon Bank Park Development Group | £ 1,000 |
| 3. Beagh Integrated Rural Dev. Assoc. | £ 700 |
| 4. Belclare Sportsfield Committee | £ 900 |
| 5. Bullaun Parish Hall Committee | £ 800 |
| 6. Caltra Community Council | £ 1,000 |
| 7. Caltra Sportsfield Committee | £ 600 |
| 8. Clarenbridge Dev. Assoc. | £ 600 |
| 9. Clonberne Comm. Dev. Committee | £ 1,000 |
| 10. Cloughanover Cemetery Committee | £ 200 |
| 11. Coiste na Pairce Rosmuc | £ 1,000 |
| 12. Coiste Pairc Imeartha Leitir Moir | £ 600 |
| 13. Comhar Caomhan Teo., Inis Oirr | £ 800 |
| 14. Comhar Caomhan Teo., Inis Oirr | £ 800 |
| 15. Costa Conamara Teo. | £ 900 |
| 16. Eglisk School Parents Assoc. | £ 700 |
| 17. Eyrecourt Development Group | £ 900 |
| 18. Glinsk Community Council | £ 1,000 |
| 19. Glinsk G.A.A. Club | £ 400 |
| 20. Headford Pitch Dev. Committee | £ 300 |
| 21. Headford Pitch & Putt Committee | £ 1,500 |
| 22. Kilkerrin Clonberne G.A.A. Club | £ 200 |
| 23. Killimor G.A.A. Club | £ 600 |
| 24. Killimor Tidy Towns Assoc. | £ 700 |
| 25. Killimordaly Hurling Club | £ 700 |
| 26. Kiltartan Gregory Cultural Society | £ 1,000 |
| 27. Lackagh Museum & Heritage Centre | £ 700 |
| 28. Lawrencetown Pastoral Parish Council | £ 600 |
| 29. Letterfrack Dev. & Tidy Towns Committee | £ 700 |
| 30. Loughrea Athletic Club | £ 1,000 |
| 31. Loughrea Tidy Towns | £ 650 |
| 32. Monivea Abbeyknockmoy G.A.A. | £ 700 |
| 33. Monivea Tidy Towns Committee | £ 1,000 |
| 34. Mountbellew/Moylough G.A.A. Club | £ 1,000 |
| 35. Mountbellew Regional Dev. Co-Op | £ 300 |
| 36. Moycullen Community Council | £ 900 |
| 37. Newbridge Development Association | £ 650 |
| 38. St. Bernard's Development Assoc. | £ 700 |
| 39. Suck Valley Dev. Co-Op Society | £ 400 |
| 40. Woodford Sportsfield Dev. Council | £ 1,000 |
| 41. Woodlawn Heritage Group | £ 900 |

TOTAL £30,000

COMMUNITY GRANT RECOMMENDATIONS 1995

- | | |
|---|---------|
| 1. Abbeyknockmoy Community Council (Heritage Committee) | £ 600 |
| 2. John Birmingham Committee | £ 2,000 |
| 3. Clifden Chamber of Commerce | £ 1,500 |
| 4. Coiste Turasoireachta Cill Chiarain | £ 2,000 |
| 5. Connemara West | £ 5,000 |
| 6. Forum | £ 4,000 |

7. Glinsk Community Council	£ 1,500
8. Monivea Comm. Development Co-Op	£ 900
9. Mountbellew Regional Dev. Co-Op	£ 2,500
10. Oranmore Community Dev. Assoc.	£ 5,000
TOTAL	<u>£25,000</u>

In response to the Councillor's queries, the County Manager indicated that Financial Assistance was available to provide work areas to facilitate start-up activity in commercial/industrial projects. An example of this would be the Tourist Infrastructure provided in Lackagh by the community. This had helped to increase economic activity in the area.

TO CONSIDER MAKING OF SUBMISSION IN RELATION TO 3292

STUDY ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCING

It was agreed to make a submission and the matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

DATES FOR PLANNING MEETINGS - REVIEW OF COUNTY 3293

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TO FIX DATES FOR ESTIMATES MEETING 3294

The Members agreed to meet in Committee on the 3rd November, 1995 to consider the Estimates of Expenses. It was further agreed that the statutory Estimates Meeting would be held on the 13th November, 1995.

CONFERENCES 3295

On the proposal of Senator McDonagh, seconded by Councillor Regan, it was agreed that the following Members be nominated for attendance at the following conferences, details of the estimated cost of attendance at the conference having been circulated to each Member at the Meeting:-

Conference - The Role of Local Authorities in Urban and Rural Development - La Touch Hotel, Greystones - 6th/10th October, 1995

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The attendance of Cllr. O'Tuathail was approved.

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MANAGER'S BUSINESS 3297

The County Manager recommended that the correspondence from the Famine Commemoration Committee looking for suggestions for a suitable location for a National Monument be referred to the Protocol Committee. This was agreed.

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The County Manager informed the Members that the Council had prepared a Supplement detailing the activities of the County Council for publication with the Connacht Tribune. This was welcomed by the Members.

In response to a query from Councillor Byrne, the County Engineer indicated that work had commenced at Moyvilla.

The County Manager indicated that the new Library in Woodford would be officially opened in the coming weeks.

The Members also noted that a sum of £100,000 had been provided for the Headford Road (N84) for urgent improvement works and commencement of a re-shaping programme.

NOTICES OF MOTION

N.O.M. NO 12 - ROAD - CLLR. M. MULLINS

3298

The following written reply was given to Councillor Mullins:-

"A separate reply will issue on this matter within the next fortnight."

N.O.M. NO 13 - ROADSIDE DRAIN - CLLR. P. O'SULLIVAN

3299

The following written reply was given to Councillor O'Sullivan:-

"The above work will be carried out within the next few weeks."

N.O.M. NO. 14 - PUBLIC LIGHT - CLLR. M. CUNNINGHAM

3300

The following written reply was given to Councillor Cunningham:-

"The above work will be considered along with others in the preparation of the 1996 Public Lighting Programme."

N.O.M. NO 15 - FOOTPATHS - CLLR. M. CUNNINGHAM

3301

The following written reply was given to Councillor Cunningham:-

"This section of road is the National Primary Route N18 and is in need of realignment in the event of the Gort to Crusheen By-Pass not going ahead.

Accordingly, the provision for footpaths cannot be considered until a decision is made on the Gort to Crusheen By-Pass."

N.O.M. NO 16 - LIGHTING - CLLR M CUNNINGHAM

3302

The following written reply was given to Councillor Cunningham:-

"Extension of traffic route lighting system at above location is dependent on funds being made available by the N.R.A. No such funds were made available in the current year.

However, an application for funding in 1996 will be submitted to the N.R.A."

N.O.M. NO 17 - ROADS - CLLR. M FAHY

3303

The following written reply was given to Councillor Fahy:-

"The above works will be considered when preparing the 1996 Roadworks Programme."

N.O.M. NO 18 - F.A.S. SCHEMES - CLLR. M. FAHY

3304

The following written reply was given to Councillor Fahy:-

"Community Employment Schemes last for one year with projects commencing at different stages throughout the year with the result that the number of schemes on hand at any give time varies.

The Council has applied for a scheme to cover the Gort, Ardahan, Kinvara, Kilcolgan, Athenry area and the Kilchreest/Loughrea, Toolooban area. There is a private scheme due to commence in Craughwell next month. The Council already carried out a scheme in Peterswell which finished in March, 1995.

It is not possible at this stage to indicate how many participants will be allowed by FAS as we have not yet been notified of start dates. The Council have applied for the maximum number for each scheme i.e 24

participants."

N.O.M. NO 19 - BUS-BAYS - CLLR. M. FAHY 3305

The following written reply was given to Councillor Fahy:-

"The Council will remove clay banks where possible in order to improve parking as soon as possible."

N.O.M. NO 20 - SPEED LIMITS - CLLR. P. FINNEGAN 3306

The following written reply was given to Councillor Finnegan:-

"Speed limit signs are in place at the above location. The question of enforcement is a matter for the Garda Siochana."

N.O.M. NO 21 - FLASHING LIGHTS - CLLR P FINNEGAN 3307

The following written reply was given to Councillor Finnegan:-

"This location will be considered along with others when the 1996 School Flashing Lights Programme is being prepared."

N.O.M. NO 22 - N 59 ROAD - CLLR. S. GAVIN 3308

The following written reply was given to Councillor Gavin:-

"The above works will be carried out within the next few weeks."

N.O.M. NO 23 - BOTHAR - AN COMH O'GABHAIN 3309

Seo leanas an freagra a tugadh do'n Comhairleoir O'Gabhain:-

"Deanfar obair deisiuchan ag an lathair seo le gairid."

N.O.M. NO 24 - ROAD WORKS - CLLR. S GAVIN 3310

The following written reply was given to Councillor Gavin:-

"Routine maintenance will be carried out on the section of Pribbaun Road already in charge of the

Council. Routine maintenance will also be carried out to the Tumnascragh-Clooniffe Road, Moycullen."

N.O.M. NO 25 - DERRYOOBER N.S. - CLLR. M LOUGHNANE 3311

The following written reply was given to Councillor Loughnane:-

"The statutory signs are in place at this location. White lining will be provided as soon as possible. There are no plans to provide school flashing lights at this location as other locations have a higher priority having regard to the funds available."

N.O.M. NO 26 - ROAD WORKS - CLLR. M LOUGHNANE 3312

The following written reply was given to Councillor Loughnane:-

"No provision has been made in the 1995 Roadworks Programme for the carrying out of the above works."

N.O.M. NO 27 - FOOTPATH - CLLR. M LOUGHNANE 3313

The following written reply was given to Councillor Loughnane:-

"No provision has been made for the carrying out of the above works in the 1995 Roadworks Programme. However, the County Council considers that the footpaths are in a reasonable state of repair."

N.O.M. NO 28 - SIGNS - DEPUTY P MC CORMACK 3314

The following written reply was given to Deputy McCormack:-

"Statutory road signs will be provided at the above locations in due course."

N.O.M. NO 29 - ROAD WORKS - DEPUTY P MC CORMACK 3315

The following written reply was given to Deputy McCormack:-

"The road in question is a Class 3 stop end County road serving approximately 12 houses. A section of the road in question inclines at a steep gradient and at the same time turns to a 90 degree bend. The road pavement is on a rampard. It would appear that gravel material was excavated in the past by adjoining landowners up to the road structure."

The lowering of the road to adjacent land level would require the excavation of the road metaled surface, bulk earth works, preparation of new road foundation, construction of new road surface and ancillary works at private entrances, the work would also require the approval of the landowners.

The cost would require a detailed survey and would depend in turn on availability of suitable tip. It is likely however, to be significant and even exorbitant for the road in question.

The work is not considered a priority while funds remain scarce."

N.O.M. NO 30 - SIGNS - SEN. J. MCDONAGH 3316

The following written reply was given to Senator McDonagh:-

"This matter is being investigated and it is hoped to have a reply available for the next meeting."

N.O.M. NO 31 - LACKAGHMORE G.W.S. - SEN. J. MCDONAGH 3317

The following written reply was given to Senator McDonagh:-

"The short term solution to the problem experienced by Lackaghmore Group Scheme is scouring of the mains. The long term solution is a filter at Dangan Beg Spring Source, for which the Council has applied for funding to the Department of the Environment.

Our group schemes Engineer, Mr. Neil Howard has recommended that 4 No. scour valves should be enough to cater for the needs of the group. The estimated cost of installation is in the region of £1,200.00. However, it is not the Council's policy to provide assistance of this nature. It is a matter for the group to raise the finance from their own resources. The group should seek tenders from 2 - 3 competent contractors. The Council should have an involvement in the selection of the Contractor. The Council should also be notified when the work is to commence."

N.O.M. NO 32 - ROAD REPAIRS - SEN. J. MCDONAGH 3318

The following written reply was given to Senator McDonagh:-

"This matter is being investigated at present and a further reply will issue as soon as possible."

N.O.M. NO 33 - SOLAS POIBLI - AN COMH C NI FHATHARTA 3319

Seo leanas an freagra a tugadh do'n Comhairleoir Ni Fhatharta:-

"Beidh muid ag scrudu an cas seo chomh maith le aiteacha eile, nuair a bheidh muid ag cuir an clar Soilse Poibli 1996 le cheile."

N.O.M. NO 34 - BOTHAR - AN COMH C NI FHATHARTA 3320

Seo leanas an freagra a tugadh do'n Comhairleoir Ni Fhatharta:-

"Measann an Comhairle Condae go bhfuil ga leis an obair thuasluaite a dheanamh, ach ni bheidh muid indhan e a dheanamh i mbliana toisc easpa airgead."

N.O.M. NO 35 - AIT PARCAIL - AN COMH C NI FHATHARTA 3321

Seo leanas an freagra a tugadh do'n Comhairleoir Ni Fhatharta:-

"Cosnoidh se thart air £10,000 ait parcail a chuir ar fail ag an lathair seo. Beidh talamh le ceannacht freisin agus cosnoidh se seo airgead breise."

Ni bheidh muid indhan an obair seo a dheanamh i mbliana mar nil aon airgead curtha ar fail sna meastachain."

N.O.M. NO 36 - BOTHAR - AN TEACHTA E O CUIBH 3322

Seo leanas an freagra a tugadh do'n Teachta O Cuibh:-

"Ta comhartha chevron curtha ar fail ag an lathair seo. Bheadh an Comhairle Condae sasta "crash barrier" a chuir ar fail ag an lathair seo ach nil aon airgead curtha ar fail insna meastachain i mbliana."

N.O.M. NO 37 - SIGNS - DEPUTY E O'CUIV 3323

The following written reply was given to Deputy O'Cuiv:-

"There are three beaches at above location with no direct access from the public road."

The Council therefore has no authority to direct people through private property."

The Council had a sign at this location some years ago which had to be removed at the request of the landowner."

N.O.M. NO 38 - BOTHAR - AN TEACHTA E O CUIBH 3324

Seo leanas an freagra a tugadh do'n Teachta O Cuibh:-

"Deanfar obair deisiuchan ag an lathair seo chomh luath agus is feidir".

N.O.M. NO 39 - FLOODING - CLLR. S. O'NEACHTAIN 3325

The following written reply was given to Councillor O'Neachtain:-

"The gully at the filling station will be cleared as soon as possible.

Substantial works are required to the gully at the school. However, no funds are available for this work in the current year."

N.O.M. NO 40 - FOOTPATHS - CLLR S. O'NEACHTAIN 3326

The following written reply was given to Councillor O'Neachtain:-

"The provision of footpaths at this location is dependent on land acquisition.

However, no provision for same has been made in the 1995 Roadworks Programme."

N.O.M. NO 41 - ROAD - CLLR. S O'NEACHTAIN 3327

The following written reply was given to Councillor O'Neachtain:-

"This section of road is on the national secondary route N59. The carrying out of works on such routes including land acquisition is dependent on funds being made available by the N.R.A. No funds were made available for this section of road in the current year."

N.O.M. NO 42 - TULLY/TULLYCROSS G.W.S. - CLLR. M. O'NEILL 3328

The following written reply was given to Councillor O'Neill:-

"I am to inform you that this matter is under investigation and a full reply will issue shortly."

N.O.M. NO 43 - ROADS - CLLR. M. O'NEILL 3329

The following written reply was given to Councillor O'Neill:-

"The above roads were recently repaired under Local Improvement Schemes. The County Council has no plans to take the above roads in charge at present as we are unable to maintain our existing road network."

N.O.M. NO 44 - CAR PARKING - CLLR M O'NEILL 3330

The following written reply was given to Councillor O'Neill:-

"It is hoped to commence works on the sea wall of car-park to the rear of the premises in Cleggan within the next few weeks.

Land will have to be acquired to provide additional car parking to cater for visitors to Inishboffin and the Council will examine any proposals made in this regard by the local community group."

N.O.M. NO 45 - ROADSIDE DRAIN - CLLR P O'SULLIVAN 3331

The following written reply was given to Councillor O'Sullivan:-

"Routine maintenance will be carried out at the drain as soon as possible."

N.O.M. NO 46 - TARRING OF ROAD - CLLR K. QUINN 3332

The following written reply was given to Councillor Quinn:-

"The above road will be considered along with others in the preparation of the 1996 Roadworks Programme."

N.O.M. NO 47 - TARRING OF ROAD - CLLR K. QUINN 3333

The following written reply was given to Councillor Quinn:-

"The above road will be considered along with others in the preparation of the 1996 Roadworks Programme."

N.O.M. NO 48 - PUBLIC LIGHT - CLLR. K. QUINN

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The following written reply was given to Councillor Quinn:-

"The above works will be considered along with others in the preparation of the 1996 Public Lighting Programme."

N.O.M. NO 49 - FAIR GREEN - CLLR. M. REGAN

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The following written reply was given to Councillor Regan:-

"It is proposed to improve the junction of the road through the Fair Green with the Gort Road by squaring off the junction approximately 30 metres east of the present junction. This will leave a triangular section on which car parking for about 12 - 15 cars can be provided, west of the new junction and beside the children's playground.

It is also proposed to remove the unsightly concrete fencing and provide, as far as finance will allow, a small decorative stone wall around the park, approximately 600mm high with a smooth flat top. Subject to funding, it is also proposed to carry out tree planting and provide some seating."

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To the Chairman and Each Member of the Council.

**RE: LOCAL GOVERNMENT (PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT
REGULATIONS) 1994.**

Article 134 Report on Proposed Development

SCHEDULE OF DEVELOPMENT

The provision of scheme houses with services at the following locations. Layouts and site maps are attached.

- * Carna - 6 houses (4 x 2 bedroomed single storey houses,
2 x 3 bedroomed single storey houses).
Effluent treatment will be by means of a puraflo system to comply with the requirements of S.R.6 (1991).
- * Rosmuc - 4 houses (2 x 2 bedroomed single storey houses,
2 x 3 bedroomed two storey houses)
Effluent treatment will be by means of a puraflo system to comply with the requirements of S.R.6 (1991).
- * Carraroe - 8 houses (8 x 3 bedroomed two storey houses)
The houses will be connected to existing services.