

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF
BALLYMOTE-TOBERCURRENCY HELD ON MONDAY 31ST JULY 2017
AT 9.15AM IN THE MEMBERS ROOM, COUNTY HALL, RIVERSIDE, SLIGO.**

COUNCILLORS PRESENT:

- Councillor Martin Baker
- Councillor Margaret Gormley
- Councillor Keith Henry
- Councillor Jerry Lundy (Chair)
- Councillor Dara Mulvey
- Councillor Joe Queenan
- Councillor Paul Taylor

APOLOGIES/ABSENT:

- Councillor Michael Clarke

OFFICIALS IN ATTENDANCE:

- Ms. Dorothy Clarke, Director of Services
- Mr. Jimmy O'Brien, Administrative Officer
- Ms. Fiona Gilligan, Staff Officer
- Ms. Clodagh Quinn, Staff Officer

CATHAOIRLEACH:

The Cathaoirleach Councillor Jerry Lundy presided and welcomed those present to the meeting.

1. TO APPROVE ALLOCATION OF FUNDING UNDER THE COMMUNITIES FACILITIES CAPITAL GRANT SCHEME 2017

Ms. Dorothy Clarke thanked the Members for agreeing to hold this special meeting to approve allocation of funding under the Communities Facilities Scheme. Ms. Clarke advised that the recommendation report could not have been circulated to Members until after the meeting of the LCDC on the 27th July 2017.

Councillor Margaret Gormley thanked staff for work carried out in relation to allocation of funds under this Scheme and advised that €1,000 funding will be welcomed by local community groups.

Councillor Martin Baker acknowledged the equal split of funding between both Municipal Districts and reiterated the fact that €1,000 means a lot to local communities.

Councillor Keith Henry and Councillor Dara Mulvey also thanked the staff in administering the Communities Facilities Scheme and concurred that the funding will serve as an encouragement to Community & Voluntary groups.

Councillor Joe Queenan paid tribute to local community groups and thanked Ms. Dorothy Clarke and staff.

Councillor Paul Taylor also thanked and acknowledged the work of the staff in all aspects of work with the community & voluntary sector.

**Proposed by Councillor M. Gormley
Seconded by Councillor D. Mulvey**

AND AGREED

"To approve funding under Communities Facilities Capital Grant Scheme 2017 to the Ballymote-Tobercurry Municipal District"

The Cathaoirleach thanked all present for attending.

The meeting concluded at 9.30am

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Cathaoirleach

_____ **Date** _____
Meetings Administrator