

COMHAIRLE CHONTAE NA GAILLIMHE

GALWAY COUNTY COUNCIL

Ceantar Bardasach Bhaile Átha an Rí

Municipal District of Athenry

**Minutes of the Meeting of the Municipal District A.G.M of Athenry held in
Aras an Chontae on Tuesday 9th June 2026.**

I LATHAIR:

BAILL: Cllr. T. Graelish (Cathaoirleach)
Cllr. S. Broderick
Cllr. D. Collins
Cllr M. McNamara
Cllr P. Feeney
Cllr J. Charity,
Cllr C. Keane

OIFIGIGH: Mr. L. Hanrahan, DoS
Mr. C. Harley, S.E.
Ms. M. Jordan, A.O.

The outgoing Cathaoirleach welcomed all to the A.G.M. of the Athenry Municipal District. He proposed that the general meeting be held immediately after the AGM, and this was agreed.

**Election of Cathaoirleach of the Athenry Municipal District Council
2026-2027**

AMD 101

Cllr. Keane thanked the Members and staff and said that he enjoyed his time as Cathaoirleach. He said that the Members worked well together and had a good relationship in carrying out their duties.

Cllr Feeney PROPOSED that Cllr. Grealish be elected as Cathaoirleach, and this proposal was SECONDED by Cllr Broderick and AGREED.

Cllr Grealish ACCEPTED the nomination.

As there was no other nomination, the Cathaoirleach DECLARED Cllr Grealish ELECTED as Cathaoirleach of the Municipal District Council of Athenry for the year 2026/2027.

The newly elected Cathaoirleach thanked the Members for electing him and acknowledged the work of the outgoing Cathaoirleach.

Election of the Leas-Cathaoirleach of the Athenry Municipal District Council 2025-26 **AMD 102**

Cllr Collins PROPOSED that Cllr Broderick be elected as Leas-Cathaoirleach and this proposal was SECONDED by Cllr Charity and AGREED.

Cllr Broderick accepted the nomination.

As there was no other nomination, the Cathaoirleach DECLARED Cllr Broderick ELECTED as Leas-Cathaoirleach of the Municipal District Council of Athenry for the year 2026-2027.

To fix a Schedule of Meetings for the Municipal District Council for 2026-2027 **AMD 103**

On the Proposal of Cllr Keane SECONDED by Cllr. McNamara the Members AGREED that the Meetings of the Athenry Municipal District Council would take place bi-monthly on the second Tuesday of the month at 2.00 p.m. in the Council Chamber, as follows.

July 14th 2026
Sept 8th 2026
Nov 10th 2026
Jan 12th 2027
March 9th 2027
May 11th 2027
June 8th 2027

Standing Orders **AMD 104**

The Standing Orders of the Athenry MD were proposed by Cllr Feeney seconded by Cllr Broderick and agreed.

Criochnaigh and Cruinniu Ansin

Approved by


CATHAOIRLEACH

Date 8-8-2026