

**COMHAIRLE CATHRACH AGUS CONTAE PHORT LÁIRGE
WATERFORD CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL**

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT HELD
25th JUNE, 2020

Present:

Donal Barry (Ind)
Breda Brennan (SF)
Joe Conway (Ind)
Davy Daniels (Ind)
Pat Fitzgerald (SF)
Susan Gallagher (GP)
Jim Griffin (SF)
John Hearne (SF)
Joe Kelly (Ind)
Eddie Mulligan (FF)
Jason Murphy (FF)
Lola O’Sullivan (FG)
Jody Power (GP)
Frank Quinlan (FG)
Eamon Quinlan (FF)
Mary Roche (Ind)
Seamus Ryan (Lab)
Adam Gary Wyse (FF)

Officials in attendance:

Mr. M. Walsh, Chief Executive
Mr. R. Moloney, Senior Executive Officer
Ms. H. Dunphy, Meetings Administrator
Ms. Angela O’Shea, Corporate Department

ELECTION OF METROPOLITAN MAYOR

In her opening speech the outgoing Mayor, Cllr. Breda Brennan outlined the highlights of her year as the presentation of the school certificates and hosting Mayoral Receptions for wonderful community based organisations giving a special mention to The Sacred Heart Family Resource Centre, Laochas The Warrior Soul Project and BRILL. She expressed her disappointment at not being able to host the Mayor’s Ball due to COVID and thanked all the frontline workers for their tremendous effort during this pandemic. The Mayor concluded by thanking her family for their support and assistance and also the council staff and her Sinn Féin colleagues.

The Mayor invited nominations for the position of Metropolitan Mayor for the coming year.

It was proposed by Cllr. Roche and seconded by Cllr. Barry
“That Cllr. Davy Daniels be elected Mayor of the Metropolitan District.”

It was proposed by Cllr. Wyse and seconded by Cllr. O’Sullivan
“That Cllr. Murphy be elected Mayor of the Metropolitan District.”

There being no further nominations the Mayor then declared nominations closed and roll call vote was taken which resulted as follows:-

Cllr. Davy Daniels	Cllr. Jason Murphy
Cllr. D. Barry	Cllr. J. Conway
Cllr. B. Brennan	Cllr. J. Kelly
Cllr. D. Daniels	Cllr. E. Mulligan
Cllr. P. Fitzgerald	Cllr. J. Murphy
Cllr. Susan Gallagher	Cllr. L. O'Sullivan
Cllr. J. Griffin	Cllr. F. Quinlan
Cllr. J. Hearne	Cllr. E. Quinlan
Cllr. J. Power	Cllr. A. Wyse
Cllr. M. Roche	
Cllr. S. Ryan	
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Having received a majority of the votes of the Members, Cllr. D. Daniels was duly elected Mayor of Waterford Metropolitan District and assumed the chair.

The Mayor thanked his proposer and seconder and stated he was honoured to be elected Mayor for the 3rd time, he also acknowledged the support of his wife and family. During his term as Metropolitan Mayor he will promote Waterford and its tourism offering. He will continue to work on the need for a University, the development of the Airport, 24/7 Cardiac Care and the expansion of the North Quays. He paid tribute to all the frontline workers and concluded by thanking everyone for their support.

ELECTION OF DEPUTY MAYOR

The Mayor then invited nominations for the office of Deputy Mayor for the ensuing year.

It was proposed by Cllr. Ryan and seconded by Cllr. Griffin
“that Cllr. Roche be elected Deputy Mayor”

There being no further nominations the Mayor then declared nominations closed and Cllr. Roche was duly elected Deputy Mayor.

Cllr. Roche thanked her proposer and seconder and looks forward to supporting the Mayor in the year ahead.

This concluded the business of the meeting.

Signed: _____

Dated: _____

Mayor of the Metropolitan District