## Minutes of Budget Meeting of the Killaloe Municipal District held on Monday, 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. in the offices of the Municipal District at Mountshannon Road, Scarriff.

In attendance:	Cllr. Joe Cooney
	Cllr. Pat Hayes
	Cllr. Michael Begley
	Cllr. Pat Burke
	Cllr. Tony O'Brien
	Cllr. Alan O'Callaghan
Officials:	Ms. Anne Haugh, Area Co-ordinator
	Mr. Kieran O'Donnell, Meetings Administrator
	Ms. Caroline O'Connor, Financial Accountant

Apologies: Hugh McGrath, Senior Executive Engineer

The Cathaoirleach, Cllr. Alan O'Callaghan chaired the meeting.

Kieran O'Donnell, Meetings Administrator, advised the members that the purpose of the meeting was to consider the General Municipal Allocation, which is the discretionary funding being made available to municipal district members in the draft budgetary plan. He explained that the Local Government Reform Act 2014 provides that the municipal district members shall by resolution adopt the draft budgetary plan and that the Chief Executive shall take account of any budgetary plan adopted by the municipal district members. He referred to the letter from the Chief Executive dated 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2017 which had been circulated with the Agenda advising the members that the total proposed General Municipal Allocation (G.M.A.) for 2018 was €257,800. This was similar to the 2017 allocation.

The members welcomed the availability of this discretionary expenditure as this funding would be allocated to projects that would benefit local communities. They requested that a programme of works be identified early in 2018 so that these works could commence as soon as possible.

The following resolution was proposed by Cllr. J. Cooney and seconded by Cllr. M. Begley and adopted by the members:-

"That pursuant to Section 102 (4A) of the Local Government Act 2001 as amended by Section 58 (e) of the Local Government Reform Act 2014, the Draft Budgetary Plan 2018 dated the 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2017 as presented by the Chief Executive is hereby adopted."

The meeting then concluded.

Kieran O'Donnell Meetings Administrator

23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2017.