



## Éire Community Council and Co-Op

Date:	Tue. 2nd April '26 (F.F)   Sat. 28th March. 2026 (Greg)	
Mariner Hotel, Mill Street, Westport, Mayo, Éire		
Attendees		
John-Declan F (Chair)	Colm-Mary G. (V.C.)	Howard-Michael H (Sec.)
John G. B. (Treas.)	John-Brian C. (PRO)	Maria-Louise P.
Orla M.	Tom W.	Caroline B.
Liam-John C.	Veronica-Mary F.	Colin-Declan H.
Anna-Marie S.R.	Barra-Séamus dR	

Proxies Ana-Marie Stack-Rivas to Louise Price, Veronica M. Flanagan to John D. Flanagan, Colin D. Hall to John G Barrett, Caroline Burke and Barra S. de Roiste to Colm M Granahan, Howard M. Hughes to John B. Caulfield.

A quorum of the Westport Community Council was present at the Meeting.

Meeting opens 14:52 Irish Rising Time/15:17 GMT

### 1. Welcome and Agenda Approval

- The meeting opened with a welcome to attendees, noting it has been over a year since the establishment of the Westport Community Council on St Bridget's Day '25.
- The agenda was read and accepted, covering executive confirmation, manifesto updates, oaths of office, membership records, and the Éire Meitheal Monthly Mint.
- A quorum was confirmed present, including proxies.

### 2. Governance and Mapping Resolution

- A proposal was presented in front of the Executive of the IRB Connacht Council to recognise the Westport Council as the governing body for both Westport and Westport Rural mapped areas for the foreseeable future until such a time as the board is fully established for Westport Rural and thereby all of the members from the wider region are deemed to be Co-Op members of the combined Westport and Westport rural community Co-Ops. This was ratified by the Executive.
- It was noted that there are 228 Community Council areas mapped across Éire, with at least the Council nucleus of same established. This was crystallized by the Executive from the IRB Munster, Ulster, Leinster and Connacht Provincial Councils holding those seats so that the Council is in fact established first in time, first in line, first in law. This means that whatever the corporate government try and come along with after that, can't usurp it.



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### 3. Manifesto and Code of Conduct

- Westport Council Members were invited to sign the updated manifesto and code of conduct in Irish and English.
- A protocol for signing was noted: Red ink represents a living man or woman, blue represents a carefully captured corporation, and black represents a 'dead entity'.
- The manifesto was updated to remove membership fees, transitioning instead to a donation-based model.
- The Code of Conduct emphasises core values of impartiality, integrity, respect, and the paramount importance of Council Unity. Council Members must be held Accountable given their Seats of Responsibility for their Community.

### 4. Oaths of Office

- **Treasurer Oath:** John-Charles Mitten was confirmed as Treasurer for the Organisation and signed the Treasurer Oath in Irish and English.
- **Secretary Oath:** Julia McMaster was confirmed as Secretary for the Organisation and signed the Secretary Oath in Irish and English.

### 5. Membership Records (The 100 Founding Member Sheet)

- The Council confirmed they have reached the Critical Mass threshold of 100 Co-Op Members, adhering to the "ancient unwritten law" of 100 to a council.
- To protect member privacy, a thumbprint page was used for verification.
- Members present affixed their thumbprints; the Secretary was authorised to complete the record using proxies for those not present.
- This page is very potent as it confirms that this is an Authentic Organisation for that Mapped Community area

### 6. Éire Meitheal Monthly Mint

- The meeting moved to the monthly minting process for the Éire Meitheal Punt (EMP).
- **Financial Context:** The ÉMP Punt and IRB Bank were launched on 3rd November '25 (Greg). The currency is described as asset-backed by real value and in-ground national assets. It is unique compared to any other currency as it's aligned to the individual's Life-Force Energy and operates on the Old Irish Meitheal Model.
- **Target:** A goal was set to have a mint in every one of the 228 community council areas by 21<sup>st</sup> January '27 (Greg).
- **Process:** 12 members participated in the minting session. For each bond issued (valued at 177,000 EMP), nine-tenths go to the community and one-tenth (17,700 EMP) goes to the individual.



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### 7. Q&A with attendees summary and Closing Proceedings:

#### Protective Role of the Council

- **Jurisdictional Strategy:** The council serves as a “protective council” designed to stop the “onslaught from the corporations” regarding the mapped area.
- **Notice to Authorities:** A formal notice was issued to the CEO of the local county corporate council this week, informing them that a Sovereign Community Council now exists for the Westport mapped area.
- **Interaction with Legislation:** The council adopts a policy of “declining offers” rather than protesting or objecting. All Acts, Regulations, Legislation & Regulation are Statutes. Statutes are a law imposed by a government which only takes power and effect if accepted by the governed.
- **Indigenous Rights:** The United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples is highlighted as a “useful bridge” for corporate entities to recognise the sovereign representatives of the community.

#### Financial and Minting Clarifications

- **Asset Backing:** It was clarified that the Éire Meitheal Punt (EMP) is a digital currency backed by the “life force of the people” and the in-ground assets of the nation-state.
- **Tax Status:** Because the system is based on the “Meitheal” concept of traditional community exchange, it is in essence a non-taxable commodity.
- **Digital Security:** While the currency is accessed via phone apps for practicality, it is supported by “paperback” bonds to ensure that ownership and value remains even if digital systems were to fail.
- **Community Support:** The minting process is designed so that nine-tenths of the value supports the community treasury for Community causes.

#### Political Wing (IRB Home Affairs)

- **Purpose:** The political wing of the IRB, IRB Home Affairs, Originally est. 1905, aims to contest local elections, specifically targeting 2029.
- **Accountability:** Candidates will be “oath-bound; if a candidate breaks their oath or goes “rogue” after being elected, they can be “black sealed” by IRB and removed.
- **Mandate:** Representatives will not have the authority to grant automatic “yes” or “no” votes on Statutes coming down the line, as they will be obligated to refer any proposals to the respective Community Council and Co-Op.

#### Cultural Corrections

- **13-Month Calendar:** A 13-month calendar (28 days per month with one reset day) was introduced to align the Sovereign Nation with “nature” rather than the corporate “script”.

Meeting ends 16:45 IRT/17:10 GMT