

# Ballyshannon Community Co-Op

Date:	Saturday 30th November 2024			
Central Hotel, Ballyshannon, Donegal, Éire				
Attendees				
John-Declan F (C)	Niall M. (VC)	Gerladine. Mc (Trea)		
Angela McG. (Sec.)	John-Brian C.	Paulin F.		
Seán W.	Dean G.	Greg G.		
Ciaran B.				

Also in attendance are members of the IRB Supreme Council; Eamon P. Carthy, Eileen M. Tackney, Colin D. Hall, James P. Nestor, Aidan F. Nestor, Colm M. Granahan, Anna-Marie Stack-Rivas and Howard M. Hughes

Ballyshannon Co-Op Council formed at 16:51 hrs IRT / 17:16 hrs GMT

#### 1. Establishment of Council Co-op Chair and PRO

John D. Flanagan and John B. Caulfield put themselves forward to temporarily occupy the positions of Chair and Public Relations Officer respectively until such time as the council members have sufficient experience and knowledge. The proposal is put to the floor and is carried without objection.

#### 2. Manifesto

The Chair of the Council reads the Ballyshannon Community Co-Op Council's Manifesto aloud. All agree.



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### 3. Formation of the Ballyshannon Co-op Council

John D. Flanagan reads the list of Council volunteers and the nomination process starts.

Nominee	Position	Nominated by	Seconded
John D. Flanagan	Chair		
Niall M. Murray	Vice Chair	Seán White	John G. Barrett
Angela McGovern	Secretary	John D. Flanagan	Louise Price
Gerladine McGloin	Treasurer	Angela McGovern	John D. Flanagan
John B. Caulfield	PRO		
Seán White	Ordinary	Gerladine McGloin	Venita C. Nestor
Pauline Faherty	Ordinary	John D. Flanagan	Carlos Rivas
Dean Gallagher	Ordinary	Pauline Faherty	Caroline Burke
Greg Gorman	Ordinary	Dean Gallagher	Eamon P. Carthy
Ciaran Burke	Ordinary	Greg Gorman	Gemma FitzGerald

Manifest signed by all members. Signatures of the Manifesto are witnessed by the Secretary for the Department of Local Government and & Public Health, Anna-Marie Stack-Rivas and the Secretary for Industry & Commerce, Colm M. Granahan. All agree and the signatures and the Seal of the Department for Local Government and & Public Health are affixed

#### 4. Code of Conduct

The Chair of the council reads the Ballyshannon Community Co-Op Council's Code of Conduct aloud. All agree and the Code of Conduct is signed.

### 5. Ballyshannon Community Co-Op Vocation

A side note in the 1919 Sovereign Constitution under the heading "**Vocational Councils**" reads as follows; "There is a modern tendency to make the National Government arise out of Vocational Councils. It is a system which may be well worth considering for Ireland later on. For the present a central Government standing firmly for National Independence, and for an economic system suitable to the condition of the country, seems to be most desirable, and likely to command most confidence."



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### 6. Faoldha/CCC Tab on e-i-r-e.ie

An Faoldha - from Irish mythology, the guardian and protector of the community and children, wounded men and lost people. A new tab has been created on the website <u>e-i-r-e.ie</u> (the public domain) for the Ballyshannon Community Co-op. It will contain the Code of Conduct, the Manifesto, a map of the territory, the 1916 Proclamation, membership numbers and any notices to the corporate government principals and their agents.

Meeting closes at 16:52 IRT/17:17 GMT