
Lord Mayor of Cork Cllr Dara MURPHY



Fine Gael Councillor Dara Murphy was elected Lord Mayor of Cork at the Annual Meeting of Cork City Council held on Monday 15th June, 2009. His election to the Office follows his successful campaign in the Local Elections held on 5th June 2009.

The Lord Mayor represents the North East Electoral Ward, having first being elected to Cork City Council in 2004. Councillor Murphy served as Deputy Lord Mayor of Cork in the year 2005/06 and has been a Member of many of the various Committees of Council; notably the Lord Mayor served as the first Chair of the Cork Joint Policing Committee.

The Lord Mayor is the 4th generation of the Murphy family born in Mayfield. He studied Economics in UCC, having attended Christian Brothers College . He is self-employed in the catering industry.

Living in Gardiner's Hill, Councillor Murphy is married to Tanya. They have three children - Isobel (12), Sophie (11) and Nicole (8).