Comhairle Contae Fine Gall
Fingal County Council

Minutes of Planning Strategic Transport & Infrastructure Development Strategic Policy Committee

Tuesday, 20th June, 2023

PRESENT

Councillors	**Members**
Brian McDonagh	Paul Arnold
Brian Dennehy	
Tania Doyle	
Punam Rane	
Dean Mulligan	
Tom Kit	

The SPC Chairperson, Councillor B. McDonagh presided.

OFFICIALS PRESENT

Matthew Mc Aleese, Director of Services, Roisin Burke, Senior Planner, Colin Gallagher, Senior Engineer, Paul Carroll, Senior Engineer, Kevin Halpenny, Senior Parks Superintendent, Linda Lally, Senior Executive Engineer, Hans Visser, Senior Parks and Landscape Officer, Fearghal Mc Sweeney, Administrative Officer, Elaine Gannon, Staff Officer.

PSPC/7/23 (Agenda Item No 1)
Confirmation and Re-Affirmation of Minutes of the Planning Strategic Transport and Infrastructure Development SPC Committee meeting held on the 14th March 2023.

The minutes of the meeting held on 14th March 2023 were considered.

It was proposed by Councillor B. Mc Donagh and seconded by Councillor D. Mulligan and **AGREED**: "That Minutes of the meeting of 14th March 2023 be **ADOPTED** and **APPROVED**"

PSPC/8/23 (Agenda Item No 2)

Playground Audit

Ms Gemma Carr, Senior Parks and Landscape Officer of the Planning and Strategic Infrastructure Department gave a presentation to the Members on the Audit of Play Facilities in Fingal. Following a discussion, the presentation was **NOTED** and agreed that further information would be brought to each of the ACM's specific to each LEA**.**

PSPC/9/23 (Agenda Item No 3)

Prioritising Plans and Projects arising out of the Development Plan 2023-2029

Ms Roisin Burke, Senior Planner of the Planning and Strategic Infrastructure Department gave a presentation to the Members on the list of Prioritising Plans and Projects arising from the Development Plan 2023-2029. Following a discussion, the Members were advised that this item would be listed on the Agenda for the CPG Meeting to be held on 26th June 2023 and then for consideration at the Full Council Meeting o be held on 3rd July 2023.

The presentation was **NOTED**.

PSPC/10/23 (Agenda Item No 4)

Residential Zoned Land Tax

Ms Brenda O Neill, Executive Planner, of the Planning and Strategic Infrastructure Department gave an update on RZLT to the Committee.

Following a discussion, the presentation was **NOTED**

PSPC/11/23 (Agenda Item No 5)

Biodiversity Implementation Plan 2023-2026

Mr Hans Visser, Senior Parks and Landscape Officer gave a presentation to the Members on the Biodiversity Implementation Plan 2023 -2026. Following a discussion and agreement on two action points from the plan (action points 31 and 36).

The presentation was **NOTED.**

PSPC/12/23 (Agenda Item No 6)
Transportation Planning in the Development Management Process

This item was deferred to the September Planning Strategic Transport and Infrastructure Development SPC Meeting.

PSPC/13/23 (Agenda Item No 7)
Councillor B. Dennehy - Update of the Draft Sustainable Swords Strategy - AI088638

The motion in the name of Councillor B. Dennehy was proposed by Councillor B. Dennehy and seconded by Councillor B. Mc Donagh.

The motion states:
"That the Chief Executive provide this Committee with an update of the Draft Sustainable Swords Strategy subsequent to the Public consultations process."

The report by the Chief Executive which had been circulated was **CONSIDERED** and the report was **NOTED** without discussion.

The Meeting concluded at 6.00pm

SPC CHAIRPERSON **DATED**