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Monday, 16th June 2025

**To Each Member of the Climate Action, Biodiversity, Environment
Strategic Policy Committee**

Dear Member

A meeting of the **Climate Action, Biodiversity, Environment Strategic
Policy Committee** will be held **Hybrid** in the **Conference Room 3A6 -
County Hall, Swords/ MS Teams at 4.30 pm on Tuesday, 24th June,
2025** to consider the following Agenda.

Yours faithfully

**Ciara O hAodha
Meetings Administrator
Corporate Services**

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A G E N D A

- 1 **Confirmation and Re-Affirmation of Minutes of the Climate Action, Biodiversity, Environment SPC meeting held on Tuesday 25th March 2025.**
- 2 **Draft Litter Management Plan Consultation Report**
- 3 **Water Action Plan - Priorities and Governance**
- 4 **Community Climate Action Fund**

MOTIONS

- 5 **Councillor D. Healy - Building a Zero Carbon Ireland**

"That this Strategic Policy Committee invite the Irish Green Building Council to present to a meeting of this Committee or to a separate briefing organised under the aegis of the Committee in relation to their report Building A Zero Carbon Ireland <https://www.igbc.ie/building-a-zero-carbon-ireland> and enter into a discussion with them with a view to the Council developing a policy on how we can decarbonise our own construction as well as facilitating and supporting the decarbonisation of other construction in the County."

- 6 **Councillor H. Redwood - Data Centres**

"In the context of the existential climate and environmental crisis and given the massive energy and water consumption that these facilities consume, this Committee calls on the Chief Executive to halt the further proliferation of data centres across the County."

- 7 **Councillor J. Newman - Forest of Fingal Policy Update**

"That the Chief Executive provide an update on the Forest of Fingal Policy, detailing if there has been a low uptake of Nature based solutions in terms of the Climate Action Plan metrics and specifically indicate the progress with targets in the policy, relating to the increase of tree canopy cover, including a description of their medium term plans for: Reference 5.11 Annual Net Increase in Tree Canopy Cover, Forest of Fingal."

- 8 **S. Zimmermann - Digital Communications Plan for Towns**

"That the Chief Executive reports on what digital communications plan for towns noted in actions within the Fingal Biodiversity Action Plan

and Fingal County Council's Climate Action Plan are in place or being introduced, to inform the community of noted actions to increase awareness."
