

DÚN LAOGHAIRE RATHDOWN COUNTY COUNCIL

Minutes of Economic Development and Enterprise Strategic Policy Committee Meeting held remotely on Thursday December 9th 2021 at 5.00 pm

PRESENT

Councillors:

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Cllr Shay Brennan	Cllr John Kennedy
Cllr Michael Clark (Chair)	Cllr Patricia Kinsella
Cllr Eva Elizabeth Dowling	Cllr Séafra Ó Faoláin
Cllr Mary Fayne	Cllr Denis O'Callaghan
Cllr Jim Gildea	Cllr Juliet O'Connell
Cllr Lorraine Hall	Cllr Barry Saul

Sectoral Representatives:

Dr. Josephine Browne
Ger Corbett
John O'Toole
Fardus Sultan

OFFICIALS PRESENT

Helena Cunningham (Director of Finance & Economic Development), Dave Lawless (Tourism Development Officer), Ursula O'Connor (Administrative Officer, Economic Development Unit), Siobhan Broughan, Lisa Brown and Mariea Mullally (Senior Economic Development Officers), Caroline Custy (Business Advisor) and Patrick Sheridan (Local Enterprise Office)

Confirmation of Minutes

Minutes of Economic Development and Enterprise Strategic Policy Committee Meeting of September 23rd 2021 were proposed by Councillor O'Connell, seconded by Councillor O'Callaghan and adopted.

Matters arising (if any)

None.

Information items submitted by Members for written reply (if any)

There was no business under this heading.

Business submitted by the Director of Services

- (i) DLR Local Enterprise Office Client Showcase – Mariea Mullally introduced four clients who have availed of the services of the Local Enterprise Office in DLR over the last year. David Kelly (CrossFit Green), Sean O'Haire (Vivagreen Group), Raymond Valentine (Flexidrive) and Criona Turley (Capella) gave an overview of their respective businesses and outlined their engagement with the LEO. Following the presentation, members' questions were answered and all presenters were thanked for their contributions.
- (ii) Presentation on Sandyford Business Improvement District – Ger Corbett gave an update on the Sandyford Business Improvement District, whose term was recently renewed. A number of questions were asked which Mr Corbett responded to.

Business referred from the Council (if any)

None.

Business referred from the Corporate Policy Group (if any)

None.

Future Work Programme

There was no business.

Any other business

Date of next meeting – Thursday March 24th 2022. The Chairperson reminded members that they can submit items for reply and consideration and they will be notified of the relevant deadlines in the new year.

The Chairperson closed the meeting by thanking the officials for their work, and thanked all the presenters for their contributions which had made for a very interesting meeting.