PLANNING STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE
MEETING HELD 3rd December, 2015

Report by Chairperson Councillor S. O’Brien

The Chairperson, Councillor S. O’Brien presided. In attendance were Councillor S. O’Brien, Councillor M. Baker, Councillor J. Cuffe, Councillor K. Daly, Councillor K. Gill, Councillor G. Horkan, Councillor P. Stewart, Mr. M. Gallagher, Mr. K. Fitzgerald, Mr. P. O’Callaghan & Ms. V. Heywood.

Apology for non-attendance was received from Councillor M. Bailey, Councillor V. Boyhan, Councillor V. Martin, Councillor C. McKinney, Councillor B. Murphy, Councillor T. Murphy, Councillor G. Tallon, Mr. J. Colley, Mr. R. Goodbody and Mr. M. O’Donnell.

The Chairman of the Planning Strategic Policy Committee, Councillor S. O’Brien presided.

Officials in attendance were

Ms. M. Henchy, Director of Services, Mr. D. Irvine, Senior Planner, Ms. S. McHugh, Acting Senior Planner, Mr. C. Fulcher, Executive Planner, Ms. A. O’Connor, Acting Administrative Officer, Planning & Organisational Innovation Department.

Minutes of meeting dated 3rd September, 2015 – Adopted.

Business submitted by the Director of Services

Mr. C. Clarke , Assistant Planner made a presentation on the Draft National Transport Authority (NTA) Strategy 2016 – 2035. The presentation outlined the main strategy policy from 2016 – 2035 as follows:-

- Purpose of the Briefing Session
- Introduction & Context
- Achievements since 2011 Draft Strategy
- Statutory Obligations and Procedures
- Process to-date
- Overarching Objective
- Challenges – Regionally
- Challenges – DLR Specific
- Draft Transport Strategy Proposals
- Heavy Rail Infrastructure/Proposals/Network
- Light Rail Infrastructure/Proposals/Network
- Bus/Bus Rapid Transit/Core Bus Networks - Maps(Radial/Orbital/Regional/Overall)
- Cycling Infrastructure/GDA Cycle Network Plan
- Walking
- Roads
- Freight
- Demand Management
- Park and Ride Proposals
- Non Infrastructure Measures
- Summary of Direct Impacts on Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
- Expected Outcomes of the Strategy
Following discussion the presentation was **NOTED.**

Mr. D. Irvine, Senior Planner made a presentation on “Housing Task Force, the Dún Laoghaire/Rathdown Co. Co. prospective & update on Government Policy” as follows:-

- Origins (i) & (ii)
- Taskforce CIF Construction Confidence Index Survey (May 2014)
- First Report of Taskforce (July 2014)
- Second Taskforce Report (January 2015)
- Other Considerations/Externalities at Play (i) (ii)
- Snapshot of Dun Laoghaire Rathdown (November 2015)
- Stabilising Rents/Boosting Supply (12th November, 2015)
- Property Price Register 2014/2015 - Map

Following discussion the presentation was **NOTED.**

Business referred from the Council – None.

Business referred from the Corporate Policy Group – None.

The meeting concluded at 7.00p.m.