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DRAFT METROPOLITAN CORK JOINT RETAIL STRATEGY FOR CORK CITY COUNCIL, CORK COUNTY COUNCIL AND THE TOWN COUNCILS OF COBH AND MIDDLETON

Notice is hereby given that Cork County Council and Cork City Council have prepared a '**Draft Metropolitan Cork Joint Retail Strategy**' for the Metropolitan Area of Cork, including Cork city and suburbs, and the towns of Ballincollig, Blarney, Carrigaline, Carrigtwohill, Cobh, Douglas, Glanmire, Middleton, Passage West.

The **Draft Metropolitan Cork Joint Retail Strategy** sets out the retail hierarchy which will form the basis for the broad quantum, location and function of retail development needs over the strategy period.

The **Draft Metropolitan Cork Joint Retail Strategy** is informed by the background document, namely, the **Metropolitan Cork Joint Retail Study** prepared by *John Spain Associates, Chartered Consultants*.

Copies of the Draft Retail Strategy and the supporting Retail Study are available for inspection via the Cork City and the Cork County Library Services, and online on www.corkcity.ie and www.corkcoco.ie

As part of the consultation process, and in order to take into account the views of interested parties, Cork City Council and Cork County Council invite written submissions/observations from any interested group or individual in relation to the Draft Joint Retail Strategy.

Written submissions may be made during the period from 26th April 2013 to 5.00pm on 24th May 2013 inclusive. Please note that you must supply your name and address for submissions to be taken into consideration.

Submissions should be sent to:

Patrick Ledwidge, Director of Services, Strategic Planning & Economic Development, Cork City Council, City Hall,

or email: planningpolicy@corkcity.ie

Dated: 26th April 2013