



**Minutes of  
South Cork Local Community Development Committee (LCDC)  
Via Microsoft Teams**

**Date: 26<sup>th</sup> May 2022**

**Time: 10.00am.**

**Present:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Public / Private</b>
Clr. Cathal Rasmussen	Cork County Council	Public
Clr. Seamus McGrath	Cork County Council	Public
Clr. Marcia Dalton	Cork County Council	Public
Clr. Michael Hegarty	Cork County Council	Public
Ms. Valerie O'Sullivan	Divisional Manager South Cork	Public
Mr. John Lyne	DSP	Public
Mr. Donal O'Liathain	Údarás na Gaeltachta	Public
Ms. Arran O'Driscoll	WCDP	Private
Mr. Pat Roche	Avondhu Blackwater Partnership CLG	Private
Mr. Ryan Howard	SECAD Partnership CLG	Private
Ms. Mary O'Leary	Environmental Pillar	Private
Mr. Liam McCarthy	PPN	Private
Mr. Jimmy Hosford	Agricultural Pillar	Private

**Apologies:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Private / Public</b>
Mr. Sean O'Sullivan	Head of LEO South Cork	Public
Mr. John Fitzgibbons	Cork ETB	Public
Mr. Tom Howard	PPN	Private
Mr. Brian Williams	Youth Work Ireland	Private
Vacant	Cork Chamber	Private
Vacant	Civic Society	Private

**Staff in Attendance:**

Ms. Kay Keegan	LCDDC Chief Officer	Cork County Council
Mr. Andrew Lewis	Finance Officer	Cork County Council
Mr. Jesse Dorrington	Staff Officer	Cork County Council

<p><b>Quorum = 11 (50% of 19 rounded up + 1 = 11)</b>  <b>In attendance = 13 (6 Private: 7 Public)</b>  <b>Apologies = 6</b>  <b>Total membership = 19</b></p>
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## Welcome and Introduction.

The LCDC was conducted through Microsoft Teams.

It was noted that a quorum was in place and the meeting commenced.

Cllr. Michael Hegarty offered a vote of sympathy to the family of Frances Burke and her former colleagues at SECAD Partnership CLG. The Chair, Cllr. Cathal Rasmussen, held a minutes silence for the loss of Frances Burke.

### 1. Confirmation of Minutes of the Previous LCDC Meeting of 24<sup>th</sup> March 2021.

The Minutes were adopted on the proposal of Cllr. Michael Hegarty and seconded by Mary O'Leary.

#### Matters arising

None.

### 2. Community Enhancement Programme 2021 - Reallocations

Underclaims:

- 55<sup>th</sup> Cork Carrigaline Scout Group = €388
- Owenabue Arts Collective = €66
- Owenabue Men's Shed = €109
- Carrigtwohill Men's Shed = €43

Total underclaimed: €606.

€606 to be reallocated to the Carrigaline Community Association.

Proposed by Cllr. Marcia Dalton and seconded by Arran O'Driscoll.

### 3. Presentation by Aileen Hurley, Economic Development, Enterprise and Tourism Title: An Introduction to the Economic and Community Data Monitor

What is the Economic & Community Monitor?

- E&C Monitor is a custom designed online data resource that consists of relevant and accurate datasets and indicators from the **main authoritative sources** in Ireland – hosted on a Local Authority website
- E&C Monitor contains hundreds of individual indicators under 15 Themes across multiple geographies
- Evidence Toolkit and Information portal for the county to support data driven policy & decision making (Development Plan, LECP, Economic Strategies, RSES, Community groups, Charities)

Who is using the E&C Monitor?

- 11 Local Authorities
- Hosted Community Development, Housing/Planning, Business/Enterprise sections



- Internal/External (business/public/community) users

#### Data Sources

E&C Monitor is primarily based on robust, readily available and open datasets sourced through a variety of authoritative sources in Ireland.

- CSO
- HEA
- EPA
- Pobal
- HSE
- Daft.ie
- Department of Social Protection
- Department of Education and Skills
- Publicpolicy.ie
- IWEA
- Fáilte Ireland
- An Garda Síochána
- IFA
- RTB

#### Themes & Indicators

- Population
- Household and Families
- Education
- Social Deprivation
- Income and Living Standards
- Housing
- Property Market
- Health
- Crime and Safety
- Economy and Employment
- Love Register
- Jobs and Commuting
- Environment
- Agriculture
- Council Finances

#### Key Element – Cork Geographies

- The E&C Monitor is based on a **hierarchy of geographies** to provide a complete comparative analysis from the County to the Settlement level while providing **contextual analysis** with State and Regional trends
- Cork Co Co indicators are available at the following Geographical scales:
  - National



- Southern Regional Assembly (SRA)
- Local Authority (31)
  - Including both Old and New Cork Boundary
- Municipal Districts (8)
- County Divisions (3)
- County Spatial Planning Divisions (4)
- Settlement (28) (Key County Settlements)

#### Updates

- E&C Monitor managed/updated by People and Place remotely
- Data refreshed/updated on a **Quarterly** basis (Jan, April, July and October)
- Depending on the data source of the indicator, the Monitor will be updated on a quarterly basis with all datasets being updated where appropriate
  - Every quarter the Live Register/Labour Force will be updated
  - Property Market/Housing Supports data quarterly
  - Crime, Tourism, Incomes annually
  - Environmental indicators updated every year
  - All Census indicators were updated in 2017 – Now contains 2011 and 2016 results. 2022 results next year.
  - Local Electoral Areas/Municipal Districts updated 2019

The Chair, Cllr. Cathal Rasmussen thanked Aileen Hurley for her presentation.

#### 4. AOB

The Chief Officer reminded LCDCC members that registration is open for the new Community Centre Investment Fund and clarified that all interested applicants must register online prior to making a formal application. She added that an information session is being held on 1<sup>st</sup> June and that the formal application process will open on 7<sup>th</sup> June and closes on 14<sup>th</sup> July.

#### 5. Date of Next Meeting

The date for the next meeting is 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2022 at 10.00am.

#### Meeting Concluded

The Minutes were approved by the South Cork Local Community Development Committee (LCDCC)

Signed:

  
CHAIRPERSON

Dated:

23<sup>rd</sup> June 2022