

Minutes of the Docklands Oversight and Consultative Forum (DOCF)

Meeting (held via video link over MS TEAMS), **Monday 10th of January 2022.**

Present

Chairperson: Michael Stubbs

Members:

Name	Organisation
Owen Keegan	Dublin City Council
Bernard Sheridan	Central Bank of Ireland
ClIr Claire Byrne	DCC Councillor
Owen Reilly	Docklands SME & Start-up Partnership
Cormac Kennedy	Dublin Port company
Frank Masterson	CIE Property
Dolores Wilson	St Andrew's Centre

Name	Organisation
Alan Robinson	Docklands Business Forum
Mark Fay	North Wall Community Association
Michael Ingle	Grand Canal Dock Residents Association
ClIr Joe Costello	DCC Councillor
Gina Quin	National College of Ireland
Máirin Ó Cuireáin	Waterways Ireland
Prof Ciaran O'Neill	Trinity College Dublin

Apologies:

Name	Organisation
ClIr Kevin O'Donoghue	DCC Councillor
Charlie Sheil	Docklands Hospitality and Entertainment Association
Ms Catriona Ryan	Dept Housing, Planning and Local Government
Sueann Moore	Ringsend Community Services Forum
ClIr Ray McAdam	DCC Councillor

Non Member attendees:

Name	Organisation
Derek Kelly	Executive Officer, Docklands Office DCC
Deirdre Scully	DCC Deputy City Planner
Myles Farrell	DCC Senior Planner
Robert Gallagher	DCC Staff Officer, Docklands Office
Tadgh Daly	DCC Assistant Planner
Michael O'Riordan	North East Inner City Program
Sabrina Dekker	DCC Climate Action Co-Ordinator
Eleanor Ryan	DCC Acting Executive Architect Docklands

- 1. Minutes from 18.10.21 Agreed by the members present**
- 2. Update presentation on City Development Plan 2022-2028 by Deirdre Scully, DCC Deputy City Planner**

Members thanked Deirdre Scully for the presentation, the members agreed the Forum would make a submission of its concerns and recommendations to the Dublin City Council Development Plan and it was agreed to arrange a meeting on the proposed submission.

- 3. Presentation on North East Inner City Program (NEIC) by Michael O’Riordan of the NEIC Programme Office.**

The members thanked Michael O’Riordan for his presentation and were very appreciative for the work his organisation is doing in the area and acknowledged the positive effects it is having on the communities of the area.

Several members voiced their frustrations that many of the anti-social behaviour issues are generated from a small section of the community and that dumping in the area has increased with many forms outside the area dumping. The lack of enforcement and a low-level visible Garda presence on the ground is allowing the issues to grow.

- 4. Presentation on Docklands/Dublin Bay Renewable Energy by Sabrina Dekker DCC Climate Action Co-Ordinator.**

The members thanked Sabrina Dekker for her presentation and expressed an interest in discussing renewable energy developments in the Docklands in future meetings

- 5. The Chair Michael Stubbs advised the members due to meeting time constraints, to review items 5 (Docklands Infrastructure update by Eleanor Ryan, DCC Acting Executive Architect Docklands Office) and 6 (Docklands Planning update presentation By Myles Farrell DCC Senior Planner) on their own time and if they needed any clarifications to contact the Docklands Office Staff for assistants.**

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The Chair Michael Stubbs informed the members of Mr Tony McDonnell of the North Port Dwellers Association resignation from the Forum and thanked him for his service and time.

It was agreed by the members that an official letter of recognition and thanks for the work done by Mr McDonnell be issued to him on behalf of the Forum.

Mark Fay agreed to represent the Community group for the Agenda sub-committee of the Forum going forward.

CLlr Claire Byrne requested an update on the Graving Docks and surrounding land controlled by Waterway Irelands.

Next Meeting

Monday 11th of April 2022 @ 10am