

MEETING OF DÚN LAOGHAIRE-RATHDOWN COUNTY COUNCIL

12 SEPTEMBER 2016

ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE & ENERGY STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE

MEETING HELD 16th JUNE 2016 at 5.00pm IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER

Report of Chairperson – Cllr. Ossian Smyth

The Chairperson, Cllr. Ossian Smyth presided. In attendance were: Cllr. Marie Baker, Cllr. Cormac Devlin, Cllr. Lynsey McGovern, Cllr. Carron McKinney, Cllr. Sorcha Nic Cormaic, Cllr. Seamas O'Neill, Cllr. Carrie Smyth, Marese Hegarty, Christopher Moriarty, Denis Mulvey

Officials in attendance were: Frank Austin, Director of Services; Austin Baines, Senior Executive Officer; Sarah Cassidy, Energy Officer and Architect; Joan Deering, Clerical Officer;

Councillor Ossian Smyth advised that this was his first meeting as Chairperson of the SPC committee. Councillor Cormac Devlin resigned as Chair on the 13th June 2016.

- Sarah Cassidy gave a presentation on Energy Management. Sarah informed the committee DLR are required to reduce in-house energy by 33% by 2020. The Energy Team was established in 2010.

Following a discussion the presentation was **NOTED**.

- The Climate Change Overview – Introduction to the body of works to be done was presented by Austin Baines.

Following questions from Committee Members the presentation was **NOTED**.

- Frank Austin gave a presentation on Pay By Weight. This is a National Programme and is to be introduced countywide on the 1st July 2016. The objective is to encourage recycling and segregation of waste.

Following questions from Councillors and Committee members mainly relating to Pay By Weight charges the Report was **NOTED**.

- A Submission by Cllr. Seamus O'Neill – Council's role in flooding and water quality operations and monitoring; will be considered for Items for consideration for future work programme in the Environment, Climate Change and Energy SPC meeting in September 2016.

Meeting concluded at 18.35 pm.