



Minutes of LCDC Meeting 30th October 2025, 4pm

Microsoft TEAMS Online Meeting

In attendance: Denis Leamy (Chair), Rebecca Loughry (CO), Martin Davoren, Bernadette Connolly, Katherine Harford, Gabrielle O’Keeffe Michael Delargey, Cliona Barnes, Cllr. John Maher, Cllr. Tony Fitzgerald, Denis Fitzpatrick, Konrad Im, Cllr. Gary O’Brien, Eoin Gunn. (Quorum Achieved).

Apologies: Thomas Myers, Cllr. Kenneth Collins, Dermot Crosby, Niall O’Keeffe, Kieran O’Connell.

Also in attendance: PJ Murphy (CCC), Denise Murphy (CCC).

1. Welcome and Apologies

Denis Leamy (Chair) welcomed the committee members.

Apologies were noted.

2. Declaration/conflict of interest:

The Chairperson reminded the Committee of the need to declare any conflict of interests.

3. Draft Minutes of LCDC Meeting 25th September 2025

Minutes of this meeting were approved.

Proposed by: Denis J. Fitzpatrick

Seconded by: Cllr. Tony Fitzgerald

4. Matters Arising

No matters arising

5. Membership and Nominations for Vice -Chairperson

Melissa Cotter submitted her resignation to the LCDC. Kieran O’Connell has issued letter to the PPN to commence elections for a new PPN rep to the LCDC. Denis Leamy thanked Melissa Cotter for her service to the LCDC and wished her well for the future. This was unanimously supported.

Discussion held regarding the election of the LCDC Vice Chairperson. Decision made to issue ballot papers to elect new Vice Chairperson.

6. PPN Report

DJF presented the PPN Report to the LCDC Members & outlined the work of the PPN to date. Denis Leamy thanks DJF for his comprehensive report and thanked him for all his representations of the PPN at the events he outlined.



7. Strategic Items:

a. SICAP + ECP Programmes – CCP Report

Martin Davoren gave SICAP update to committee members. Noted to the members the meeting held with Susan Randalls of Pobal and its productivity.

b. Sláintecare Healthy Communities

Martin Davoren updated the committee on the work of Tany O’Sullivan, Sláintecare Healthy Communities Co Ordinator. A report was given on the Genio Fund, Greening Cities Initiatives and Health & Wellbeing initiatives across the city.

c. Healthy Ireland Fund

Martin Davoren updated the committee on the work of Janet O’Connor, Healthy Ireland Co-Ordinator. There are currently 6 projects being rolled out across the city. Psyched, Green Spaces for Health, Let’s Play Cork, Transport Mobility Forum, Cultural Companions and Sexual Health Network.

d. LECP 2024-2029 Up-date

PJ Murphy, Social Inclusion Development Worker joined the meeting to update committee members on the LECP 2024-2029 action tracker. PJ gave a demonstration of the tracker and invited members to reach out to him with any further questions. PJ noted to the committee, a High-Level Goal leads partner workshop will take place on 26th November 2025.

Denis Leamy thanked PJ for his presentation and offer to members for further support with the tracker.

8. AOB

None.

9. ECP Update/SICAP Annual Plan 2026

The meeting was informed of the SICAP Sub-Group meeting with Pobal and Cork City Partnership.



Decisions arising from Meeting

Decision	
Convene SICAP Sub-Group to discuss item 9 above.	LCDC Consensus

Action items arising from meeting.

Action Item from Meeting	
Official Letter from LCDC to Melissa Cotter thanking her for her service and contributions to the LCDC	Kieran O’Connell
Issue Ballot for Vice Chair Nominations	Kieran O’Connell
Convene SICAP Sub-Group ASAP to make decision on behalf of LCDC on the following: 1) Increase KPI’s of Individuals by 5% and 2) Discuss strengthening engagement process between LCDC and Cork City Partnership.	Kieran O’Connell
Issue full address of Newbury House to LCDC Members for next meeting to take place on Thursday 27 th November @4pm. Newbury House Family Centre CLG Old Youghal Road Mayfield Cork T23C3FW	Kieran O’Connell
Check LCDC guidelines regarding the following: Does the LCDC committee member representing the private sector have to be a board or senior staff member.	Kieran O’Connell

Next Meeting

The next LCDC meeting will take place on Thursday 27th November 4pm at **Newbury House Family Centre CLG Old Youghal Road Mayfield Cork T23C3FW**. <https://www.newburyhouse.ie/>.



Denis Leamy

Chairperson

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