

**MINUTES OF THE
FINGAL JOINT POLICING COMMITTEE MEETING
24th March 2023
Via Microsoft Teams**

Elected Members	Cllr Ian Carey (Chair); Cllr Pamela Conroy; Cllr Tania Doyle; Cllr Ann Graves; Cllr Adrian Henchy; Cllr James Humphreys; Cllr Anthony Lavin; Cllr Ted Leddy; Cllr Dean Mulligan; Cllr JK Onwumereh; Cllr John Walsh; Cllr Daniel Whooley;
FCC Officials	Mary T. Daly DoS Operations; Liam Burke SEO Housing;
Community Reps	John Fox
Oireachtas Reps	
An Garda Siochana	Ch. Supt Finbarr Murphy; Supt Paul Franey; Supt Darren McCarthy; Insp Noeleen McKenna; Alan Kelly AGS; Daire O'Neill AGS; Sarah Middleton EO.
Apologies	Cllr Grainne Maguire; Cllr Tony Murphy; Cllr Robert O'Donoghue; Senator Lorraine Clifford-Lee; Senator Emer Currie; Alan Farrell T.D.; Louise O'Reilly T.D.; Duncan Smith T.D.; AnnMarie Farrelly Chief Exec FCC; Angela Rogers FPPN; Ch. Supt Mark Curran; Brid Walsh NDRDATF; Supt Ronan Barry; Supt Peter Burke
In Attendance	Fingal County Council: Vanessa Carey SEO Operations; Aine Donlon-Kavanagh AO Housing; Tricia Matthews AO Community; Catherine O'Donovan SEO Environment; Gillian Lynch SO Environment; Ann Murphy SSO Operations; Elaine Tobin ASO Operations;
Observers	

1. (a) Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 2nd December 2022 were agreed.

2. Written Questions for noting:

Circulated in advance, replies not available for all questions. Agreed to email replies to Committee after the meeting. Questions were NOTED by the Members

3. Update on PPN Membership

Tricia Matthews Community Department advised difficulties in recruiting Support/Resource Workers for FPPN. A Staff Officer is assigned to work with FPPN on temporary basis until vacancies can be filled permanently. Lack of support/resource worker impacting on filling FPPN vacancies on JPC. Update NOTED by members.

4. Draft Schedule for JPC Public Meetings 2023

Proposed schedule of dates AGREED by members. Chair noted the Swords / Malahide meeting should take place in Swords this year as alternated between Swords and Malahide.

5. Draft Fingal Joint Policing Strategic Plan 2023 – 2026

Draft JPC Strategic Plan with amendments AGREED by members. John Fox queried use of abbreviations and suggested a Glossary to be included. MTD agreed to inclusion and finalizing of the strategy for publication.

6. Reports from An Garda Siochána followed by Questions

(a) DMRW – Report from Blanchardstown followed by Q&A on issues mentioned

(b) DMRN - Report from Swords/Malahide; Howth; Balbriggan followed by Q&A on issues mentioned.

7. Report from Fingal County Council - (For Noting)

Section relating to Abandoned Cars presented by Catherine O'Donovan and Gillian Lynch Environment Department and Q&A. Members NOTED report.

8. Report from Safer Blanchardstown

Request "that this JPC set up a sub-group to develop a plan for the rollout of the Think Before You Buy public information campaign across Fingal to support the Minister for Justice's call to highlight the impact of recreational drug use on individuals, family, community and wider Irish society" followed by discussion. Committee AGREED to support request.

9. No Report from NDRDATF

10. No Report from FPPN

11. Correspondence (For Noting)

- a) Slides from Presentation from Department of Justice on Local Community Safety Partnerships from December 2022 Webinar circulated to Committee.

12. Actions Agreed from Meeting

- a) JPC Strategic Plan 2023-2026 Agreed with inclusion of Glossary
- b) Chair to discuss Item 8 with Director of Services Operations.

13. Date of Next Meeting


The next meeting is scheduled for Friday 2nd June 2023

14. AOB

No items raised under AOB.

Meeting ended 10.50 am

Minutes agreed:

Signed:  (Chairperson)
Date: 3/6/23