

**Dublin City Joint Policing Committee**  
**Minutes of Meeting held on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2015**  
**at 2.30 p.m., Members' Room, City Hall, Dublin 2.**

**Attendance: Committee Members**

Councillor Daithí De Róiste (Chairperson)  
Councillor Daithí Doolan (Vice Chairperson)  
Councillor Kieran Binchy  
Councillor Áine Clancy  
Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh  
Brendan Kenny, Assistant Chief Executive  
John Twomey, Assistant Commissioner, An Garda Síochána  
David Butler, Inspector, An Garda Síochána  
David Brennan, Dublin City Business Association  
Gerry Byrne, Darndale Community Representative  
Joe Donoghue, Fatima Groups United  
Tony Duffin, Ana Liffey Drug Project  
Richard Guiney, Dublintown  
Peter O'Connor, North East Inner City Partnership  
Richard Guiney, Dublin Town

**Also in Attendance:** Councillor Brid Smith

**Apologies:** Deputy Maureen O'Sullivan, Deputy Aengus Ó Snodaigh; Deputy Michael Connaghan; Deputy Eric Byrne; Deputy Joe Costello; Deputy Zéphyrin Ngaliema; Councillor Brendan Carr; Councillor Claire Byrne; Councillor Gary Gannon; Councillor Teresa Keegan; Councillor Ray McAdam; Councillor Paul McAuliffe; Councillor Larry O'Toole

**Minutes:** Tom Malone

1. Gerry Byrne, Darndale Community Representative; Richard Guiney, C.E.O. Dublin Town; and David Butler, Inspector, An Garda Síochána, were introduced to the Committee Members.
2. Minutes of meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2015.  
  
Agreed.
3. Irish Water Contractors.  
  
Contents of letter (circulated) from The Private Security Authority dated 20<sup>th</sup> April 2015 outlined to the Committee.  
  
Noted.
4. Report of Assistant Chief Executive, Brendan Kenny (circulated), including the proposed process for the development of a six year Strategic Plan and Annual Action Plans for Dublin City.

Agreed

Action: Draft six year Strategic Plan and Annual Action Plans to be circulated as soon as possible.

5. Report of Assistant Garda Commissioner, John Twomey, Dublin Metropolitan Region.

Noted.

It was emphasised by various members that only a joint effort by all organisations concerned can hope to tackle the problem of drug activity in the city and also the growing issues of anti-social behaviour and intimidation of residents in Dublin City Council apartment complexes. There is a need especially for the Gardai and Dublin City Council Estate Management personnel to work in close co-operation.

Action: Copies of the Gardai's specific plan for the Dublin City Area (including Temple Bar) to be circulated.

Future Reports of the Assistant Garda Commissioner to include references to the activity of the Gardaí outside of the City Centre/business area, to show that efforts are not being concentrated just in that area.

Time line for the roll out of the various initiatives mentioned in the Report to be circulated.

6. A.O.B  
Community Courts to be listed for discussion at the next meeting.

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Chairperson  
Councillor Daithí De Róiste  
Date