From: info@ailg.ie <info@ailg.ie> Sent: 26 March 2021 13:03 To: info@ailg.ie Subject: Official Launch of AILG Elected Members Training Programme 2021 Brochure Importance: High

Dear Meeting/Corporate services staff member,

I would like to share the below information on our Training Brochure which was published earlier today which may be of interest to you, your team and the Elected Members. I would be really grateful if you would share this information with your colleagues and hopefully you will find this useful in ensuring there is no overlap on training days in the future.

Official Launch of AILG Elected Members Training Programme 2021 Brochure

I am delighted to confirm that the 2021 AILG Training Brochure was published earlier today.

The 2021 training programme builds on the 2020 programme which gave members a strategic overview of the structure of Ireland's planning process and the role of the OPR.

For 2021, the programme will give members a more in-depth level of training in relation to topical matters relevant to their development plan preparation functions. We are conscious that many members will be reviewing their plans over the course of the year and into 2022.

For 2021, four topical themes will be explored in a new City and County Development Plan Policy Series. Presentations and Supporting Material will cover:

1.Communications, including the roll-out of the National Broadband Plan and key local authority enablers;

2.Housing, including a four-part webinar on settlement policy, rural planning, social and affordable housing delivery and quality delivery;

3.De-carbonisation, including the implications of the implementation of national climate policy and the roll-out of new energy sources; *and*

4.Active Travel, including innovative development plan practice and wider local authority led enablers to promote public transport, walking and cycling.

By attending the presentations and/or viewing the supporting material it is our intention to give elected members an excellent grounding in the role of local authorities in these pressing areas, including the preparation of development plans.

Further details and the link to the Training Brochure are contained here:

http://ailg.ie/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/AILG-Local-Authority-Elected-Members-Training-Brochure-2021-1.pdf

Conclusion

If you or your members have any queries in relation to the Training Brochure please contact info@ailg.ie or 01 610 6100.

On behalf of AILG may I extend our sincere thanks for your support of all of our work to date.

If you have any further queries please contact me at 01 - 6106100, mobile 087 -3470274 or email at <u>e.lynch@ailg.ie</u>

Kind regards,







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