

**Chairman's Report of SPC 5 Meeting – Community, Culture & Fire Services,  
Meeting held on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 at 3.00p.m. via Microsoft Teams.**

**1. Minutes of Last Meeting**

Proposed by Cllr. M. Brett, Seconded by Cllr. J. Coonan.

**(a) Matters Arising**

None

**2. CCFCS Grant Scheme**

Review and suggestions for CCFCS Grant Scheme were discussed. Further discussion required at the next SPC in April.

**3. Decade of Centenaries & Creative Ireland Programmes 2022**

Dearbhala gave a presentation and updated the committee on the Creative Ireland and Decade of Centenaries programmes in 2022.

Creative Ireland announced another 5-year programme 2023-2027 and a new 5-year County Strategy to be developed.

**4. Update on Library Opening Services**

Josephine gave an update on Library services in particular branches reopening, Mayfair library, autism friendly spaces in libraries and library maintenance.

**5. Fire and Emergency Operations Plan 2022 - 2026**

John Collins gave a presentation and update on the Fire Safety Plan. The Plan was proposed by Cllr. Pat Dunphy and seconded by Cllr. John Coonan. The Fire Safety Plan is to be presented at March Council meeting for adoption.

**6. AOB**

Cllr. Pat Dunphy requested that a Community representative attend KLP meeting in Ferrybank area relating to suicide and mental health and to reconvene meetings that used to take place.

Cllr. John Brennan thanked Dearbhala and Francis Coady for assistance in progressing 3 roof restorations. Cllr. Tomás Breathnach advised a review of thatching is taking place – he will update the committee once he has more information.

**7. Date for Meeting in 2022**

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April at 3:00pm

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 3:00pm

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> September at 3:00pm

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November at 3:00pm

**This concluded the business of the meeting.**