

**Chairman's Report of SPC 5 Meeting – Community, Culture & Fire Services,
Meeting held on Thursday 22nd of September, 2021 at 3.00p.m. via Microsoft
Teams.**

1. Minutes of Last Meeting

Proposed by Cllr. Peter Cleere, Seconded by Cllr. John Brennan.

2. Library Service -Reopening and Services.

County Librarian Josephine Coyne gave a presentation which highlighted the work of the library over the last year and plans for the rest of the year.

3. Heritage Forum Review

Dearbhala Ledwidge gave a presentation on the Kilkenny Heritage Forum and outlined the following: -

- A review of Kilkenny Heritage Forum which is chaired by an Elected Representative and co-ordinated by the Heritage Officer.
- The role of SPC 5
- What the forum has achieved
- The membership- current membership is at 24

Dearbhala will welcome all feedback for consideration before the 29th of October

4. Presentation on guidance specification for Fire Hydrants and firefighting

Killian Hennessy gave a presentation on Fire Hydrants and Firefighting which covered the following topics: -

- The legislation
- What, Where, Anomaly and Why
- Fire Hydrants – Testing, checklist for Fire Hydrants
- Standards
- Questions

Date for Next Meeting is Wednesday 17th of November at 3.00p.m.

This concluded the business of the meeting.