## **COMHAIRLE CONTAE ÁTHA CLIATH THEAS** **SOUTH DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL**

Minutes of South Dublin County Council September 2025 Special Meeting of County Council Meeting held on Friday 19th September 2025

### **PRESENT**

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| Adelaide, D.  Barnes, S.  Brady, C.  Carey, W. | L. McCrave  R. McMahon  D. McManus  G. Moore |
| Casserly, V. | E. Murphy |
| Collins, Y. | E. Ó Broin |
| Cosgrave, P.  de Courcy, L.  Duff, M. | S. O’Hara  L. O’Toole  Baby Pereppadan |
| Dunne, L | D. Richardson |
| Farrell, H. | J. Sinnott |
| Gilligan, T. | A. Smyth |
| Holohan, P. | J. Spear |
| Johansson, M.  Keane, K. | F. Timmons  J. Tuffy |
| Kearns, P.  Mannion, R. | N. Whelan |
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### **OFFICIALS PRESENT**

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| Director of Community  Director of Finance | L. Maxwell  R. Fitzgerald |
| Senior Executive Officer | B. Shannon |
| Administrative Officer | M. Reilly |
| Senior Staff Officer  Staff Officer Assistant Staff Officer | K. McLoughlin  P. Mens A. Holohan |
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The Mayor, Councillor P. Kearns, presided.

Apologies were received from Councillors D. Donnelly, A. Edge, N. Fennell, A. Hayes, B. Lawlor, Britto Pereppadan.

**H1** **CONSIDERATION OF POTENTIAL CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION – FOR APPROVAL**

The Mayor welcomed the Members to the Special Meeting of the Council to consider whether South Dublin County Council would nominate a candidate for the Presidential Election.

**The following Motion in the names of Councillors M. Duff, L. O’Toole, F. Timmons, and H. Farrell, was proposed by Councillor M. Duff and seconded by Councillor E. Murphy:**

That this Council does not nominate any Candidate for the Presidential Election.

A discussion followed with contributions from Councillors M. Duff, E. Murphy, M. Johansson L. Dunne, D. McManus, L. de Courcy, W. Carey, L. O’Toole, P. Cosgrave, P. Holohan, J. Tuffy, R. McMahon, and P. Kearns.

A **ROLL CALL VOTE** was called in the names of Councillors E. Murphy, M. Johansson and F. Timmons on the Motion the result of which is as follows:

**FOR: 30 (THIRTY)**

**Councillors D. Adelaide, S. Barnes, W. Carey, V. Casserly, Y. Collins, P. Cosgrave, L. de Courcy, M. Duff, L. Dunne, H. Farrell, T. Gilligan, M Johansson, K. Keane, P. Kearns, R. Mannion, L. McCrave, R. McMahon, D. McManus, E. Murphy, E. Ó Broin, S. O’Hara, L. O’Toole, Baby Pereppadan, D. Richardson, J. Sinnott, A. Smyth, J. Spear, F. Timmons, J. Tuffy and N. Whelan.**

**AGAINST: 0 (ZERO)**

**ABSTAIN: 2 (TWO)**

**Councillors P. Holohan and G. Moore.**

As a result of the **ROLL CALL VOTE** the Motion was **AGREED.**

Meeting ended at 19:00