

SOUTH DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL



MEETING OF SOUTH DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL

REPORT OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, ENTERPRISE AND TOURISM STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE

MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 11th February, 2026

Members	Council Officials	
Cllr. V Casserly (Chair)	Jason Frehill	Director of Service
Cllr. S O'Hara	Paul Fusco	A/Senior Executive Officer
Cllr J Sinnott	Peter Connolly	A/Head of Enterprise
Cllr. R. McMahon	Des English	Administrative Officer
Cllr. P.Kearns		
Cllr L. O'Toole		
Representatives		
Harry Simpson Business Commercial Indigenous		
Lisa Rowntree, Public Participation Network		
Betty Tyrell Collard		
Miriam O Donoghue TUD Tallaght		
Simon Van Lonkhuyzen		

Apologies
Prashant Shukla

The meeting was Chaired by Cllr. V. Casserly.

Headed Item 1: Confirmation of Minutes

Minutes of EETD SPC held on 12th November 2025.

The Minutes were Proposed Cllr V. Casserly and seconded by Cllr S. O Hara and Agreed.

Headed Item 2: Economic Strategy Update

Paul Fusco of Economic Development presented an update on the County Economic Strategy, and its launch.

Following the presentation, a discussion took place and questions raised by Cllrs.V Casserly, Cllr L O Toole, and Cllr. R Mc Mahon were addressed by Paul Fusco and Jason Frehill.

The Report on the item was Noted.

Headed Item 3: Rates Waiver Scheme

Jason Frehill presented a report on a potential Rates Waiver Scheme.

Following the presentation Cllr. V Casserly, Cllr L O Toole, Cllr. R Mc Mahon and H. Simpson raised some issues, and discussion followed, with contributions by Jason Frehill and Peter Connolly.

The report on the item was Noted.

Headed Item 4: Local Enterprise Week

Presentation by Peter Connolly on the programme of events for Local Enterprise Week which is taking place from 2nd March to 6th March, and discussion on the events followed with contributions from Cllrs. V Casserly, and Cllr. R Mc Mahon, which were addressed by Peter Connolly and Jason Frehill.

The report on the item was Noted.

Headed Item 5: A.O.B.

Cllr R Mc Mahon enquired if the Council had any plans for an event like The Taste of Fingal

Cllr. L O Toole enquired about matters previously raised under AOB, and also about the future plans for Lucan House. It was suggested that a presentation may be made to ACM.

The meeting ended at 6.50 p.m.

The Chairperson Cllr. V. Casserly concluded the meeting.