

Kilkenny PPN Representative Report on Committee Meeting

Reporting Representatives Name: Paul O'Rahilly

Committee: **LCDC Committee**

Date: **29th May 2026**

Time: 10.30 am

Venue: Council Chamber

Were you in attendance at the last Committee meeting?

Yes

Did you consult with your Linkage Group /Wider PPN prior to this meeting?

Yes

Please outline the Key Issues discussed at the meeting?

After approving the minutes, there were two presentations:

Presentation 1: Leighann Ryan Culleton

Update on Review and Monitoring of LECP Implementation Plan 2025-2026

* Leanne was not available and this presentation has been deferred to the July meeting.

Presentation 2: Martina Comerford

Tourism Strategic Objectives were set out

* 18 months into development with Failte Ireland

* Aligned with the Council's Development Strategy to 2028

* Connects to LECP goal 3b

The areas covered included strategic objectives, visitor statistics, partnerships, capital investment and grant schemes.

Where any decisions made at the meeting?

Yes

Items for discussion and decision:

KTCM Community Development Programme

- Recommendation from CDP Subgroup re End of Year 2025 was approved
- Reviewed and signed off Annual Plan and Budget 2026
- Signed off Procedure Manual

Are there any actions to be taken as result of this meeting? Who by?

Reschedule LECP presentation to next meeting

Did you or another PPN rep make any contributions to this meeting?

Yes. The speakers were thanked for their presentations.

Kilkenny PPN Representative Report on Committee Meeting

Do you require feedback from the wider PPN/Linkage group on any issues raised? (Specify issue)

No

Are there any issues/difficulties for you as a representative of the PPN arising from this meeting?

No

Date of Next Meeting:

July 26th

Any other comments:

None

Signed

Signature: PO'R _____ print name: Paul O'Rahilly

Please return to: PPN office, Unit 1, Hebron House, McDonagh Junction, Kilkenny or email to:
ppnkilkenny@kilkennycoco.ie