

**Minutes of Special Council Meeting of Galway City Council
held on Thursday 24th November, 2022, at 10am
in the Hardiman Hotel, Galway and online via zoom platform.**

**Consideration of the Draft Development Plan 2023-2029 and the Material
Alterations and the Chief Executive's Report on the Draft Development Plan
Consultation Process - Meeting No. 2**

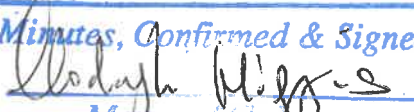
Presiding:	Cllr. C. Higgins, Mayor of the City of Galway, Cllr. M. Cubbard, Deputy Mayor of the City of Galway
Present:	Councillors: A. Cheevers, J. Connolly, M.J. Crowe, F. Fahy, E. Hoare, N. Larkin, D. McDonnell & N. Murphy
Present Virtually:	Councillors: I. Byrne, O. Hanley, D. Lyons, N. McNelis, M. O'Connor & T. O'Flaherty
In Attendance:	Mr. B. McGrath, Chief Executive Ms. P. Philbin, Director of Services Ms. C. Phelan, Senior Planner Ms. H. Coleman, Senior Executive Planner Ms. M. Harrington, Executive Planner Ms. K. Moloney, A/Executive Planner Ms. M. Kilgarriff, Assistant Staff Officer Ms. A. Rohan, Meetings Administrator Ms. A. Ní Chulain, Clerical Officer Mr. E. Purcell, Clerical Officer
In Attendance Virtually:	Ms. R. McNally, Director of Services Mr. P. Greene, Director of Services Mr. B. Barrett, A/Director of Services

Ms. A. Rohan, Meetings Administrator commenced the meeting with a statement of intention to conduct the business of the Meeting in line with Standing Orders.

A presentation was then made with regards to Member's statutory obligations concerning:

- Ethics Framework
 - o Ethical Framework for the Local Government Service
 - o Code of Conduct for Councillors advising chapters on Conflict of Personal and Public Interest and Planning
- Disclosure at Meetings
- Disclosure in Advance of Meetings
- Planning Legislation
- Code of Conduct and Regulation of Lobbying

Extract from Code of Conduct for Councillors under the Local Government Act 2001: Key decisions on planning matters such as the making of development plans are vested in the elected Council as representatives of the local community acting in the interests of the common good and the proper planning and sustainable development of the area. The planning system is a very open one allowing for input by all parties. It is all the more important therefore that consideration of planning matter by Councillors is carried out in a transparent fashion; follows due process; and is based on what is relevant

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while ignoring that which is irrelevant within the requirements of the statutory planning framework. The same applies as regards input by individual Councillors in relation to planning applications, decisions on which vest in the executive. Extra care must therefore be observed in dealing with planning matters and in this context the provisions of this Code particularly as regards conflict of personal and public interest are very relevant.

Extract from Regulation of Lobbying; Guidelines on lobbying in relation to development and zoning of land from the Standards in Public Office Commission: When communicating with public officials or representatives regarding the zoning or development of land, individuals and groups who may not ordinarily regard themselves as carrying on lobbying activities, may find that the Act also applies to them. These guidelines deal specifically with lobbying in relation to zoning and development. When drawing up development plans or local area plans, local authorities engage in a formal consultation process. This means that the public may make a submission to the local authority setting out their views on the proposed plan. Making views known to a local authority as part of a formal public consultation process is not lobbying. Communication, however with a Designated Public Official outside the formal public consultation process about a development plan or local area plan or a proposal to zone or re-zone particular lands may be lobbying. For example contacting a local TD or County Councillor about a development plan or a proposal to zone or re-zone particular lands outside the formal public consultation process or a proposal to zone or re-zone particular lands outside the formal public consultation process.

Councillors were advised that they are individually responsible for being compliant and that it is an offence if you fail to comply with some sections of the Ethical Framework.

The Meetings Administrator advised Councillors that they will be requested to indicate if they are 'In Favour', 'Against' or wish to 'Abstain' when making a resolution by raising their hand. She advised that this will be done for each resolution taken at the meeting. This was noted by Council.

OPR Recommendation 5: Flood Risk Management

In relation to A13, Ms. H. Coleman advised that the OPR have recommended rejecting this Material Alteration. It is to accommodate access at the site. The primary concern would be the location of the access point and potential traffic safety issues.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed noting submissions GLWC-C5-81, GLWC-C5-105, GLWC-C5-18 and GLWC-C5-10. This was seconded by Cllr. M. O'Connor and agreed.

Councillors raised a number of concerns in relation to traffic safety and flood risk and the Chief Executive and Senior Planners responded to queries and comments.

Cllr. M.J. Crowe proposed a Roll Call Vote. This was supported by Cllr. A. Cheevers and Cllr. D. McDonnell

Ms. A. Rohan took a Roll Call Vote as follows:

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A13: Rezone lands from RA to R (0.007 ha) Terryland.

In favour: Cllr. I. Byrne, Cllr. A. Cheevers, Cllr. M.J. Crowe, Cllr. M. Cubbard, Cllr. E. Hoare, Cllr. N. Larkin, Cllr. D. McDonnell, Cllr. N. McNelis & Cllr. T. O'Flaherty



Against: Cllr. F. Fahy, Cllr. O. Hanley, Cllr. D. Lyons, Cllr. N. Murphy & Cllr. M. O'Connor

In Favour: 9 **Against:** 5 **Abstain:** 0 **Present:** 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Reason: To allow consideration for an entrance for family

Cllr. D. McDonnell proposed noting submissions GLWC-C5-81, GLWC-C5-105, GLWC-C5-10, GLWC-C5-41 & GLWC-C5-40. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Larkin and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. M. O'Connor

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A24: Rezone lands from G to R2 (0.160 ha) Menlo Village Extension and insert specific objective

Ms. H. Coleman advised that this site is in an area of flood risk. It is in close proximity to Lough Corrib and would constitute an extension of the village envelope, eroding the natural character and historic value.

Cllr. F. Fahy proposed an Amendment to the Motion. He said that the ground in the area is substantially higher than water level, the site is serviced by a private road, and Menlo can facilitate more dwellings.

Cllr. N. Murphy sought clarity regarding the zoning change.

Cllr. N. Larkin sought clarification regarding the presence of sufficient residential zoned land. He queried the OPW's insertion of the flood risk zone, and stated that the residences in the area are not serviced by bus, making the community car dependant.

The Senior Planners and Chief Executive responded to comments.

Cllr. F. Fahy proposed an Amendment to reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A24.

Cllr. D. McDonnell proposed a Roll Call Vote. This was supported by Cllr. A Cheevers and Cllr. F. Fahy

The Amendment is considered first. Ms. A. Rohan, Meetings Administrator took a Roll Call Vote as follows:

Proposed by: Cllr. F. Fahy

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A24: Rezone lands from G to R2 (0.160 ha) Menlo Village Extension and insert specific objective

In favour: Cllr. I. Byrne, Cllr. A. Cheevers, Cllr. M.J. Crowe, Cllr. M. Cubbard, Cllr. F. Fahy, Cllr. E. Hoare, Cllr. N. Larkin, Cllr. D. Lyons, Cllr. D. McDonnell, Cllr. N. McNelis & Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

Against: Cllr. O. Hanley, Cllr. N. Murphy & Cllr. M. O'Connor

In Favour: 11 **Against:** 3 **Abstain:** 0 **Present:** 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Reason: To provide for a family home

It was proposed by Cllr. D. Lyons to note submissions GLWC-C5-81, GLWC-C5-10, GLWC-C5-41. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Ms. H. Coleman noted that the site related to A25 is located in a flood plain and R2 zoning would not be compatible. The RA zoning is merited and the site is part of the Terryland River Valley.

Cllr. F. Fahy proposed to reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation in relation to A25, stating that the adjacent land is zoned residential, and disagrees on the designation of the site as a floodplain. He added that Terryland has never been flooded, despite being below sea level, due to the dyke.

Cllr. O. Hanley raised the point that a 2018 survey identified the site as being at 80% flood risk. By developing the site, the risk is increased. Fluvial flooding needs more concern, and the city needs future proofing in this regard.

Cllr. M. O'Connor commented that the Councillors do not have the expertise to decide what is and is not a flood plain.

Cllr. N. Murphy agreed that the Council is contradicting things agreed in policy, the Council will be attempting to undo damage of flooding in areas that have never flooded before.

Councillors sought further clarification on specific areas under discussion and current usage.

The Chief Executive responded to queries.

Proposed by: Cllr. F. Fahy	Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare
To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A25: Rezone lands from RA to R2 (1.315 ha) Headford Road	
In Favour: 10 Against: 4 Abstain: 0 Present: 14	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	
Reason: To provide housing adjacent to bus stop and to allow for 15-minute city. Land above sea level.	

Ms. H. Coleman advised that the Chief Executive's Recommendation in relation to A27 is to accept the Material Alteration. The site is serviceable and close to public transport. The OPW recommend that any planning application should take flood risk into consideration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed that submissions GLWC-C5-10 & GLWC-C5-70 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Larkin and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons	Seconded by: Cllr. N. Larkin
To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A27: Amend Section 11.2.2 Natural Heritage, Recreation and Amenity RA Land Use Zoning Objectives to consider the granting of permission for a dwelling on a minimum 0.3 hectare site to immediate members of families of persons who are landowners, where the sylvan character of the area is maintained.	
In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 1 Present: 14	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	
Reason: This re-zoning can be classed as sustainable infill development. It supports the concept of a 15 minute city and the principles of compact growth and is in line with National Policy.	

It was agreed to return to A162, Fig.11.24. The Chief Executive's Recommendation is to accept this Material Alteration. The area is remote from the flood zone. There is a minor amendment to the wording proposed to tie one house to planning permission that has already been granted, allowing for two in total on site.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A162: Section 11.2.8 Specific Development Objectives Fig. 11.24: Lands at Roscam, South of the Coast Road that development shall be restricted to one house only reserved for the use of immediate family members and corresponding with the site which is the subject of Planning Reference: 21/87.

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Reason: Land remote from flood plain. To tie planning permission for one house to objective.

All OPR Recommendations were concluded. It was agreed to discuss the remaining Material Alterations in sequence, beginning with A2. Ms. C. Phelan advised that the Chief Executive's Recommendation is to accept this Material Alteration.

Cllrs. Crowe, Larkin and O'Flaherty declared a conflict of interest and excused themselves from the meeting for the duration of the discussion of A2: Mercy Convent

Councillors discussed and sought clarification regarding A2.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-45 & GLWC-C5-75. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Murphy and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

A2. To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A2: Rezone lands from CC to CF (0.276 ha) Mercy Convent

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

Conflict of Interest declared: Cllr. M.J. Crowe, N. Larkin & T. O'Flaherty

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

The Council took a ten minute break at 11:41 a.m., and reconvened the meeting at 11:51 a.m.

Cllr. M. O'Connor proposed that submissions GLWC-C5-81, GLWC-C5-4, GLWC-C5-41 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. M. Cubbard and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. N. McNelis

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A3: Rezone lands from G to RA (5.145 ha) at Mincloon and insert specific objective for development of Football Pitches and associated Infrastructure to include floodlighting

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. N. Larkin proposed that submission GLWC-C5-105 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. N. McNelis and agreed.

Cllr. N. Larkin made comments in relation to A5, and proposed to reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation.

The Chief Executive and Senior Planners responded to queries.

Proposed by: Cllr. N. Larkin	Seconded by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty
To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A5: Rezone lands from I to CI (0.05 ha) Wellpark Road	
In Favour: 9 Against: 4 Abstain: 0 Present: 13	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Cllr. N. McNelis proposed that submissions GLWC-C5-41, GLWC-C5-60 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Larkin and agreed.

Cllr. A. Cheevers made comments relating to A7, stating that there is potential for access on to the Dublin Road., and taking pressure off the Doughiska Road. Residential sites are needed and the site in question is a good opportunity.

Cllr. O. Hanley expressed concern over additional traffic pressures being added to the Doughiska Road.

Cllr. N Larkin stated that if additional homes are developed in Ardaun opposite the site, in the absence of the N6, there is going to be more traffic pressure in the area.

Cllr. F. Fahy raised the point that the site is located beside a well serviced bus route and land in the vicinity has the same zoning.

Proposed by: Cllr. A. Cheevers	Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe
To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A7: Rezone lands from LDR to R (1.285 ha) Dublin Road/Martin roundabout and insert specific objective: Any development of these lands shall have regard to the proposals adopted in the GTS	
In Favour: 10 Against: 3 Abstain: 0 Present: 13	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Cllr. F. Fahy proposed that submissions GLWC-C5-41 & GLWC-C5-40 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Murphy and agreed.

Cllr. E. Hoare stated in relation to A8 that if this area is not developed, it is concerning for housing in the city. The site is adjacent to other residential developments.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare	Seconded by: Cllr. F. Fahy
To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A8: Rezone lands from LDR to R (2.75 ha) Circular Road	
In Favour: 11 Against: 2 Abstain: 0 Present: 13	

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. M. O'Connor proposed that submissions GLWC-C5-81, GLWC-C5-2 & GLWC-C5-3 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Larkin and agreed.

Ms. H. Coleman recommended that A10 be approved. This existing road was always planned to be for access to serve the school and lands. Any development on site would have to take into account of DMURS.

Cllr. N. McNelis raised the point in relation to A10 that after similar zonings have been made in other areas, access points have caused hazards.

Cllr. N. Murphy referred to high volumes of traffic, especially trucks, along this road which pose a safety risk.

Councillors sought clarification on the proposed motion.

The Chief Executive responded to queries.

Proposed by: Cllr. N. McNelis

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A10: Rezone lands from RA to R (0.001ha) Off Western Distributor Road

In Favour: 6 Against: 7 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

Conflict of Interest declared: Cllr. D. Lyons

The Motion was defeated.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. A. Cheevers

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A10: Rezone lands from RA to R (0.001ha) Off Western Distributor Road

In Favour: 8 Against: 5 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. N. Larkin proposed that submissions GLWC-C5-81 & GLWC-C5-41 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. M. Cubbard and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. M. O'Connor

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A12: Rezone lands from RA to R (0.121 ha) Dublin Road

An Amendment was proposed by Cllr. D. McDonnell, which was considered first.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Larkin

To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A12: Rezone lands from RA to R (0.121 ha) Dublin Road

In Favour: 9 Against: 4 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. N. McNelis proposed that submissions GLWC-C5-13, GLWC-C5-14, GLWC-C5-97, GLWC-C5-51, GLWC-C5-53, GLWC-C5-65, GLWC-C5-76, GLWC-C5-82, GLWC-C5-103, GLWC-C5-104, GLWC-C5-81, GLWC-C5-96, GLWC-C5-107, GLWC-C5-40 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Cllr. N. Larkin stated that the protected view status under A22 should be removed, much of the view is already obstructed by trees, and the fact that the land is already rezoned means there will be some small development anyway.

Cllr. F. Fahy concurred with these comments.

Proposed by: Cllr. N. Larkin

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A22: Remove protected view across frontage of site at Roscam (A.21)

In Favour: 9 Against: 3 Abstain: 1 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Reason: To facilitate the provision of family homes.

Cllr. N. Murphy proposed that submission GLWC-C5-4 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Larkin

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A26: Amend the Land Use Zoning and Specific Objectives Map to identify the specific locations of existing and planned Traveller accommodation within the city boundary using a new symbol 'TA'

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. N. Murphy proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-105 & GLWC-C5-102. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Cllr. M.J. Crowe advised that he supports the HSE's submission for a helipad. This was supported by Cllrs. McDonnell, Cubbard and O'Flaherty.

Ms. C. Phelan, Senior Planner responded to queries.

Cllr. F. Fahy commented that the helipad is needed but there has been issues with commitments from the HSE in the past, as this was supposed to be a temporary helipad.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A28: Amend Section 11.2.2 Natural Heritage, Recreation and Amenity RA Land Use Zoning Objectives to consider the development of a heliport at RA lands at Shantalla Neighbourhood Park in association with the provision of an air

ambulance facility to service UHG where such proposals include for community gain in compensation for loss of park land.

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. N. McNelis proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-4 & GLWC-C5-59. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. N. McNelis

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A30: Amend Section 11.2.5 Industrial I Land Use Zoning Objective and insert the following specific development objective: Lands zoned I located north of Ballybrit Racecourse. The Council will consider the provision of essential supporting racecourse infrastructure on a portion of these lands and where it is demonstrated that it cannot reasonably be accommodated on the adjoining RA lands, without jeopardising the function of Galway Racecourse

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 2 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

The Council took a break at 13.00p.m. and the meeting resumed at 14.00p.m.

Cllr. D. McDonnell proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-81 & GLWC-C5-40 and this was agreed by Council.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A31: Insert Specific Development Objective for local centre on R lands occupied by Castlegar GAA.

In Favour: 13 Against: 1 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. E. Hoare declared a potential conflict of interest regarding A32 in relation to development of lands at Roscam Village and left the meeting while the matter was being discussed.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-13, GLWC-C5-16, GLWC-C5-98, GLWC-C5-51, GLWC-C5-53, GLWC-C5-65, GLWC-C5-76, GLWC-C5-82, GLWC-C5-103, GLWC-C5-104, GLWC-C5-66, GLWC-C5-107 & GLWC-C5-41. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Cllr. F. Fahy stated that the proposal to rezone to higher density is under the condition that the site specified in A32 is connected to the sewer, the costs of which the developers are willing to undertake. Adjacent properties would be facilitated with a sewer connection at no extra cost.

Cllr. O. Hanley expressed that he will not be supporting the motion, as it is likely this will receive ministerial direction and there are long term implications.

Cllr. D. McDonnell stated that the pumping station will be upgraded by 2024 by Irish Water, and connecting the area to a sewer will be of benefit to the whole community.

Cllr. N Murphy requested a Roll Call Vote and this was supported by Cllr. O. Hanley and Cllr. F. Fahy.

Ms. A. Rohan proceed to take a Roll Call Vote as follows:

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell	Seconded by: Cllr. N. Larkin
To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A32: Amend Section 11.2.8 Residential R and R2 Land Use Zoning Objectives in relation to development of lands at Roscam Village and insert specific development objective: Development shall have a density of 12 houses per hectare subject to a connection to public wastewater treatment plant being present.	
In favour: Cllr. I. Byrne, Cllr. M.J. Crowe, Cllr. F. Fahy, Cllr. C. Higgins, Cllr. N. Larkin, Cllr. D. Lyons, Cllr. D. McDonnell, Cllr. N. McNelis & Cllr. T. O'Flaherty	
Against: Cllr. O. Hanley, Cllr. N. Murphy & Cllr. M. O'Connor	
In Favour: 9 Against: 3 Abstain: 0 Present: 12	
Conflict of Interest declared: Cllr. E. Hoare	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Cllr. E. Hoare re-joined the meeting.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-48. This was seconded by Cllr. M.J. Crowe and agreed.

Cllr. F. Fahy queried the reason for the protected view status. He noted that the protected view status may hinder the development of family homes.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell	Seconded by: Cllr. F. Fahy
To reject the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A33: Remove protected view at Castlegar fronting R2 lands.	
In Favour: 12 Against: 1 Abstain: 1 Present: 14	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell	Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe
To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A34: Amend Preface – Strategic Policy Framework to include for additional text reference	
In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-13 & GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A35: Amend text in Section 1.2 Strategic Goals

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A36: Amend text in Policy 1.3(1) Metropolitan Area Strategic Plan (MASP)

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A38: Amend the Core Strategy Map Figure 1.6 to insert an icon for the District centre at Westside.

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-13 & GLWC-C5-62. This was seconded by Cllr. M. O'Connor and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A39: Amend text in Section 2.2 Climate Change International and European Context

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A40: Amend Policy 2.2(1) Climate Action

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A41: Amend Policy 2.2(5) Climate Action

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A42: Insert new Policy 2.2 (17) Climate Action

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-62. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Larkin and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Larkin

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A43: Amend text in Section 2.3 Planning & Sustainability – Achieving Sustainable Planning Outcomes, Renewable Energy (Mitigation)

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-62. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A44: Amend Policy 2.3(4) Renewable Energy

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-79. This was seconded by Cllr. M.J. Crowe and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A45: Amend Policy 3.1(5) Housing Strategy

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A46: Amend Policy 3.1(24) Housing Strategy

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. M. O'Connor

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A47: Amend text in Section 3.3 Traveller Accommodation

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-13. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

The Senior Planners responded to queries raised by Councillors.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. N. McNelis

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A48: Amend text in Section 3.4 Sustainable Neighbourhood Concept

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A49: Amend Section 3.4 Neighbourhood Concept, Table 3.1 Indicative Neighbourhood Areas in Galway, to include Bowling Green as a city centre residential area

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A50: Amend Policy 3.6 Sustainable Neighbourhoods: Inner Residential Areas to insert new policy

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A51: Amend text in Section 3.7 Sustainable Neighbourhoods: Inner Residential Areas

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A54: Insert new Specific Objective 3.9 (9)

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A55: Amend text in chapter 4 to update and replace throughout chapter

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed that submissions GLWC-C5-4, GLWC-C5-105 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. M.J. Crowe and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A56: Amend text in Section 4.1 Context under Galway Transport Strategy (GTS) heading in the 6th paragraph

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed that submission GLWC-C5-105 be noted. This was seconded by Cllr. A. Cheevers and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A57: Amend Policy 4.1(5) General

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A58: Amend Policy 4.2(6) Land Use and Transportation

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 1 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A59: Amend text in Section 4.3 Public Transport, Bus Network - Regional

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. O. Hanley

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A60: Amend text in Section 4.3 Public Transport under Rail heading in first paragraph

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A61: Amend text in Section 4.3 Public Transport in second paragraph under Rail heading

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A62: Amend Policy 4.3 (6) Public Transport Policy 4.3 (6) Public Transport

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-4 & GLWC-C5-19. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Murphy and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A63: Amend: Policy 4.4 Sustainable Mobility - Walk and Cycle to insert new policy (12)

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons queried what funding is being provided to build additional cycling parking in the outskirts of the city, or whether this is contingent on funding from elsewhere in relation to the 15 minute city concept.

Cllr. C. Higgins responded that there is ample opportunity in the period of the Development Plan to budget for cycle parking.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons **Seconded by:** Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A64: Amend text in Section 4.4 Sustainable Mobility- Walk and Cycle under Cycling heading

In Favour: 10 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 10

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons **Seconded by:** Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A65: Insert text into Section 4.5 Transport Demand Measures

In Favour: 10 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 10

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-105. This was seconded by Cllr. N. Larkin and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. O. Hanley **Seconded by:** Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A66: Amend Policy 4.5 (6) Transport Demand Management Measures

In Favour: 9 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 9

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. O. Hanley **Seconded by:** Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A67: Amend Policy 4.6 (4) Road and Street Network and Accessibility

In Favour: 9 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 9

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-105 & GLWC-C5-4. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons **Seconded by:** Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A68: Amend Policy 4.6(5) Road and Street Network and Accessibility

In Favour: 9 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 9

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-105. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A69: Insert New Policy (10) to Section 4.6 Road and Street Network & Accessibility

In Favour: 9 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 9

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A70: Amend text in first paragraph under Section 4.7 Galway Port

In Favour: 9 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 9

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A71: Amend Section 4.8 (6) Specific Objectives

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A72: Amend 4.8 Specific Objective to insert new Specific Objective (18A)

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. O. Hanley

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A73: Amend 4.8 (27) Specific Objectives

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. O. Hanley

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A74: Amend 4.8 Specific Objective to insert new Specific Objective (33)

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A75: Amend 4.8 Specific Objective to insert new Specific Objective (34)

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-105 & GLWC-C5-19. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A76: Amend 4.8 Specific Objective to insert new Specific Objective (35)

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-102. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A77: Remove mapped objective for north south UHG bus route and relocate along Newcastle road

In Favour: 10 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 10

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-5, GLWC-C5-7, GLWC-C5-8, GLWC-C5-9, GLWC-C5-12, GLWC-C5-17, GLWC-C5-22, GLWC-C5-25, GLWC-C5-26, GLWC-C5-32, GLWC-C5-47, GLWC-C5-49, GLWC-C5-50, GLWC-C5-52, GLWC-C5-61, GLWC-C5-64, GLWC-C5-80, GLWC-C5-83, GLWC-C5-84, GLWC-C5-86, GLWC-C5-87, GLWC-C5-89, GLWC-C5-99, GLWC-C5-23, GLWC-C5-85, GLWC-C5-27, GLWC-C5-102, GLWC-C5-95 & GLWC-C5-11. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Councillors sought clarity regarding the specifics of this proposed material alteration.

The Senior Planners and Chief Executive clarified that the alteration corrected an error in the map of the previous draft.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A78: Correct the mapping of existing Specific Objective for an access and bus route at Merlin Park University Hospital (MPUH)

In Favour: 8 Against: 3 Abstain: 1 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

The Council agreed to take a break at 16:10p.m. The meeting resumed at 16.20p.m.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A79: Amend text in Section 5.2 Green Network

In Favour: 11 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 11

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A80: Amend Policy 5.1 (4) Green Network and Biodiversity

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A81: Amend Table 5.6 Network of Local Biodiversity Areas

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A82: Amend Policy 5.2(9) Protected Spaces: Sites of European, National and Local Ecological Importance

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A83: Amend Policy 5.2 (10) Protected Spaces: Sites of European, National and Local Ecological Importance

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A84: Amend Policy 5.2 (14) Protected Spaces: Sites of European, National and Local Ecological Importance

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons **Seconded by:** Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A85: Amend Policy 5.2 (15) Protected Spaces: Sites of European, National and Local Ecological Importance

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons **Seconded by:** Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A86: Amend text in Section 5.5.2 Rivers, Canals and Waterways

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-81 & GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell **Seconded by:** Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A87: Amend Policy 5.3 (9) Blue Spaces: Coast, Canals and Waterways

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. I. Byrne **Seconded by:** Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A88: Amend Policy 5.3 (21) Blue Spaces: Coast, Canals and Waterways

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-15, GLWC-C5-100, GLWC-C5-51, GLWC-C5-53, GLWC-C5-65, GLWC-C5-76, GLWC-C5-82, GLWC-C5-103, GLWC-C5-104, GLWC-C5-92, GLWC-C5-106, GLWC-C5-107 & GLWC-C5-40. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Councillors had queries regarding A89.

The Senior Planners and Chief Executive responded to queries.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. J. Connolly

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A89: Amend text in Section 5.7.1 Greenways, Boreens and Public Rights of Way

In Favour: 10 Against: 0 Abstain: 3 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. J. Connolly

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A90: Amend Policy 5.8 (3) Community Spaces: Allotments, Community Gardens and Cemeteries

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A91: Amend Specific Objective Green Spaces 5.10(12)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. A. Cheevers

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A92: Amend Specific Objective 5.10 (28A) Community Spaces – Short Term

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-4. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A93: Amend Section 5.10 (31A) Specific Objective Community Spaces – Medium/Long Term

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A94: Amend Section 5.10 (32) Specific Objective Community Spaces – Medium/Long Term

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. McDonnell proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A95: Amend Specific Objective 5.10 (38) Open Spaces- Short Term

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A96: Amend text in Section 6.1 Context seventh paragraph

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. I. Byrne

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A97: Amend text in Section 6.1 Context in 15th paragraph

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A98: Amend General Policy 6.1 to insert new policy 12 (B)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-4. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Cllr. A. Cheevers queried in relation to the master plan in conjunction with the County Council, whether elected members would have input into the consultation process.

This was confirmed by the Chief Executive.

Proposed by: Cllr. N. Murphy

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A99: Amend text in Section 6.3.2 Industrial Sector second paragraph

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. O. Hanley

Seconded by: Cllr. A. Cheevers

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A100: Amend Policy 6.5 Enterprise and Innovation to include 3 (b)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. I. Byrne

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A101: *Amend text in first paragraph of Section 6.3(8) Tourism Sector*

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A102: *Amend text in Section 6.3.8 Tourism Sector Amend fifth paragraph*

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A103: Amend Policy 6.8 Tourism Sector to include (7)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A104: Amend Policy 6.8 Tourism Sector to include (8)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A105: Amend Policy 6.8 Tourism Sector to include (9)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A106: Amend last paragraph in Section 6.3.10 Creative Economy and Gastronomy Sectors

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-71. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A107: Amend Policy 6.9 (4) Marine Sector and Renewable Energy

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-4. This was seconded by Cllr. M.J. Crowe and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A108: Amend Retail Strategy Policy 6.11(3)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A109: Amend Policy 6.12(4) Retail Hierarchy

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A110: Amend Policy 7.1 (1) General Policies

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. O. Hanley

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A111: Amend Policy 7.2 (13) Creative City

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A112: Amend Policy 7.2 (14) Creative City

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A113: Amend text in Section 7.3 Inclusive City, People with disabilities

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A114: Amend Policy 7.3 (2) Inclusive City

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. N. Murphy

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A115: Amend Policy 7.3 (3) Inclusive City

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A116: Amend Policy 7.3 (7) Inclusive City

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons queried whether this alteration would affect the existing boundaries of the Gaeltacht areas.

C. Phelan confirmed that it would not.

Proposed by: Cllr. J. Connolly

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A117: Amend Figure 7.3 to show language boundaries of language planning areas as Gaeltacht

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. F. Fahy **Seconded by:** Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A118: Amend Policy 7.4 (2) Bilingual City

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. F. Fahy **Seconded by:** Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A119: Amend Policy 7.4 (4) Bilingual City

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. F. Fahy proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-81. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell **Seconded by:** Cllr. F. Fahy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A120: Amend Policy 7.4 (4) Bilingual City

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 1 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare **Seconded by:** Cllr. J. Connolly

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A121: Amend text in Section 7.5 Community facilities, Education

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

The Chief Executive responded to queries regarding A122.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe **Seconded by:** Cllr. A. Cheevers

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A122: Amend Policy 7.8 (5) Healthcare Facilities

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-81. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Cllr. O. Hanley expressed his hope that the Council does not wait until 2027 for a discussion on community infrastructure, and wished for this to be prioritised.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. J. Connolly

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A123: Amend Specific Objectives 7.7(4)

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-81. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A124: Amend Specific Objectives 7.7 to insert new Specific Objective (15)

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 1 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85 & GLWC-C5-81. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A125: Amend Policy 8.4 (1) Archaeology

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A126: Amend Policy 8.4 (5) Archaeology

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A127 with a minor modification: Amend Policy 8.4 (7) Archaeology

Ensure that any development proposal with potential to impact on archaeological heritage, including the setting and amenity of sites and monuments, includes for an archaeological assessment. This includes within terrestrial, riverine, *lacustrine, marine* inter-tidal and sub-tidal environments.

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. I. Byrne proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. J. Connolly

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A128: Amend text in Section 8.7 Galway City Walls in 2nd paragraph

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A129: Amend text in Section 8.8 Urban Design and Placemaking under paragraph titled Urban Density and Building Height

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-81. This was seconded by Cllr. M.J. Crowe and agreed.

Cllr. D. McDonnell emphasised the importance of universal access for those with impaired mobility in relation to A130.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A130: Amend Policy 8.8 (6) Public Realm

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. E. Hoare proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-10. This was seconded by Cllr. M.J. Crowe and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. I. Byrne

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A131: Amend Policy 9.1 (3) Flood Risk

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A132: Amend Policy 9.3 (4) Water Services

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A133: Amend Policy 9.3 Water Services to insert (8) and (9)

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration

Cllr. E. Hoare proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-10. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A134: Amend text in Section 9.5 Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems (SuDS)

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-71. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A135: Amend Policy 9.10 Energy and Associated Infrastructure to include (4)

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-62 & GLWC-C5-71. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. N. Murphy

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A136: Amend text in Section 9.13 Energy and Associated Infrastructure- Renewable Energy in the first and second paragraphs

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A137: Amend Policy 10.1(13) City Centre

In Favour: 15 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 15

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A138: Amend text in Section 10.6 Inner Harbour Regeneration Site in the 4th paragraph, first bullet point

In Favour: 15 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 15

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A139: Amend text in Section 10.6 Inner Harbour Regeneration Site

In Favour: 15 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 15

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. McDonnell proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-10 & GLWC-C5-79. This was seconded by

Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A140: Amend text in Section 10.8 Sandy Road Regeneration Site

In Favour: 15 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 15

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A141: Amend text in Section 10.9 Nuns' Island Masterplan Area

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A142: Amend text in Section 10.17 Doughiska Road Opportunity Site

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A143: Amend text in Section 10.19 Connaught Laundry Opportunity Site

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. N. McNelis declared a conflict of interest in relation to A144: Knocknacarra District Centre (North) Site and left the meeting while the matter was being considered.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-90. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A144: Amend text in Section 10.21 Knocknacarra District Centre (North) Site with the minor modification to include the wording 'minimum'.

In Favour: 11 Against: 2 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

Conflict of Interest declared: Cllr. N. McNelis

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. N. McNelis was invited to re-join the meeting.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A145: Amend text in Section 10.23 Salthill

In Favour: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 12

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A146: Amend text in Section 10.26 Murrough LAP

In Favour: 13 Against: 1 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. M.J. Crowe proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-79. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A147: Amend Policy 10.2 Strategic Regeneration and Opportunity Sites to insert new policy (2).

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A148: Amend Policy 10.3(4) Salthill

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. E. Hoare proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-4. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A149: Amend Specific Objective 10.27 (3) Headford Road Area

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A150: Amend Specific Objective 10.27 to include new Specific Objective 5 A Regeneration and Opportunity Sites

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. I. Byrne and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A151: Amend Specific Objective 10.27 (7) Salthill

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. T. O’Flaherty

Seconded by: Cllr. A. Cheevers

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A152: Amend Specific Objective 10.27 (11) Murrough

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A153: Amend Figure 10.6 Nuns Island Masterplan Area to include the Bish Site and amend the land use and specific zoning objectives map

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A154: Amend Figure 10.8 Seamus Quirke Regeneration Site to extend Seamus Quirke Regeneration Site and amend the land use and specific objectives zoning map.

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A155: Omit 10.15 Arch Motors Opportunity Site Heading and Text and Figure 10.13 Arch Motors Opportunity Site

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive’s Recommendation regarding A156: Extend Westside district centre - Fig 10.22 to include Arch Motors Site. Remove Arch Motors as an opportunity site from land use and specific zoning objectives map.

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Submission by OPR in relation to A157 noted by Council.

Cllr. M.J. Crowe sought clarification regarding the text of A157.

Proposed by: Cllr. N. Murphy

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A157: Amend text in Section 11.2.1 Institutional and Community CF Land Use Zoning Objective

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. McDonnell proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-71. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A158: Amend Section 11.2.5 Industrial I Land Use Zoning Objective- specific development objectives for a number of I zoning throughout the city

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-79. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A159: Amend text in Section 11.2.6 Commercial/Industrial CI Land Use Zoning Objective

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Councillors had queries and sought clarifications regarding A160.

The Chief Executive responded to queries.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. J. Connolly

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A160: Amend specific development objectives for CI zoned lands

- CI zoned lands on Monivea Road (Radharc Na Greine Site). Residential development on the full extent of this CI zoned land will be considered. ~~The density of any residential development on this site will have regard to the surrounding context.~~ The density and height of any proposed development on this site should align with existing overall Radharc Na Greine Development.

In Favour: 14 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 14

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

It was agreed by Council to take a break at 18:00p.m. for 30 minutes.

Cllr. D. McDonnell submitted a Motion regarding lands at Rosshill. The Mayor asked Cllr. McDonnell to discuss this with her and the Chief Executive during the break.

The meeting resumed at 18:30p.m. and Cllr. D. McDonnell withdrew the Motion he submitted as it was more than a minor change and would be considered a material change which is not permitted under legislation.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A163: Amend Section 11.3.1 Outer Suburbs (a) General

In Favour: 10 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 10

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. T. O'Flaherty expressed her opposition to the implementation of skateboarding facilities in relation to A164. She pointed out that problems arise when the residents of an area are not consulted in advance of decisions on developments.

Cllr. M. Cubbard expressed his support for the proposal. It is poor policymaking to make a decision based on one bad incident.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A164: Amend Table 11.2: Indicative Examples of Recreational Facilities for Different Sizes of Residential Developments

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-40. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A165: Amend Section 11.3.1 Outer Suburbs (d) Overlooking

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. E. Hoare proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-40. This was seconded by Cllr. M.J. Crowe and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A166: Amend 11.3.1 Outer Suburbs (f) Distance between Dwellings for New Residential Development

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. E. Hoare proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-79. This was seconded by Cllr. M.J. Crowe and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. J. Connolly

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A167: Amend text in Section 11.3.1(g) Car Parking Standards

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A168: Amend Section 11.3.2 Established Suburbs section 11.3.2 (b) Amenity Standards

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. J. Connolly

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A169: Amend Section 11.7.1 Plot Ratio

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-79. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

The Chief Executive responded to queries.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons	Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell
To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A170: Amend Section 11.9 Commercial and Industry 11.9.1 General	
In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Proposed by: Cllr. D. McDonnell	Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare
To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A171: Amend Chapter 11 Part B Development Standards - General Development Standards and Guidelines to include new heading and standard for Urban Development and Building Height (11.9)	
In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Proposed by: Cllr. J. Connolly	Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell
To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A172: Amend Section 11.10.2 Electrical Vehicle (EV) Parking	
In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons	Seconded by: Cllr. M. Cubbard
To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A173: Amend Section 11.10.3 Travel Plans	
In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13	
The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.	

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-4 & GLWC-C5-105. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A174: Amend Section 11.10.3 - Travel Plans after 3rd paragraph

Comments are noted and text has been edited to reflect these clarifications as follows:

Complementary measures such as Area Based Transport Assessments (ABTA) and Traffic and Transport Assessments (TTA) are required for **private development applications**, Local Area Plans (LAP's) and can also be considered on Masterplans and Framework Plans, where the scale of development determines the need for integrated land use and transport planning policies. A Traffic and Transport Assessment is a comprehensive review of all the potential transport impacts of a proposed development or re-development, with an agreed plan to mitigate any adverse consequences and should be carried out in accordance with Traffic & Transport Assessment Guidelines PE-PDV-02045 May 2014. The preparation of **Local Transport Plans (LTPs) using Area Based Transport Assessments (ABTAs) as the methodology to prepare LTPs**, includes for an assessment process focused on understanding transport needs and land use integration, used in the preparation of Local Area Plans, planning schemes and masterplans and shall be carried out in accordance with Area Based Transport Assessment (ABTA) Guidance Notes PE-PDV-02046 April 2018 and supplementary ABTA How to Guide, Guidance Document, Pilot Methodology (2021). There shall also be a requirement for the principles of DMURS to be applied to Local Area Plans, Masterplans and Framework Plans taking into account street design based on the street classification and measures for cyclist and pedestrians to promote placemaking as set out in Section 11.3.1 (b) of the plan.

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. McDonnell proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-105, GLWC-C5-19. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A175: Amend Section 11.10.4 Cycle Parking
It is recommended that the proposed Material Alteration be accepted with the omission of the last paragraph to endure the delivery of cycle parking.

~~All on-street stands or racks should be capable of performing the basic functions of supporting the bicycle and protecting it against theft or vandalism. Off-street storage/parking facilities should provide adequate shelter, lighting, safety and security, ease of access and egress, and an appropriate level of supervision. As such, publicly accessible cycle parking should be of Sheffield stand type; wheel gripper racks or similar are not acceptable for publicly accessible cycle parking. Where high density cycle parking is provided in a secure location, stacked cycle parking may be acceptable provided it is easily used and secure."~~

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-10. This was seconded by Cllr. E. Hoare and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. J. Connolly

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A176: Amend Section 11.19 Green Design & Surface Water/SuDS

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A177: Amend text in Section 11.30 Climate - Scheme Sustainability Statements in paragraph 2

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A178: Amend Section 11.33 Invasive Alien Species

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. M. Cubbard

Seconded by: Cllr. I. Byrne

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A179: Amend text in Section 11.34 Ecological Impact Assessment (EclA)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-79. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. J. Connolly

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A180: Insert new Section 11.35 Residential Care Homes, Retirement Homes, Nursing Homes, Retirement Villages and Assisted Living Accommodation in Chapter 11 part B Development Standards and Guidelines

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. E. Hoare proposed to note submission GLWC-C5-79. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. E. Hoare

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A181: Insert new Section 11.36 Age Friendly Housing in Chapter 11 Part B Development Standards and Guidelines as follows:

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. D. Lyons

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A182: Amend Appendix 1 by committing to the following range of implementation and monitoring regime to be included for in Appendix 1 following completion of the plan making process

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Cllr. D. Lyons proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-10 & GLWC-C5-85. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding A183: Amend Appendix 2 Statement of Compliance with Ministerial Guidelines, Table – Section 28 Guidelines to include Planning Circular PL02/2014 Flood Guidelines.

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Proposed by: Cllr. M.J. Crowe

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To accept the Chief Executive's Recommendation regarding Northern and Western Regional Assembly (GLWC-C5-69)

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Summary of the Environmental Assessments

Cllr. M. Cubbard proposed to note submissions GLWC-C5-1 & GLWC-C5-10. This was seconded by Cllr. D. McDonnell and agreed.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. D. McDonnell

To note the Chief Executive's Response regarding the Summary of the Environmental Assessments to the proposed Material Alterations.

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Ms. A. Rohan, Meetings Administrator read the Appropriate Assessment Conclusion Statement, as follows:

An Appropriate Assessment Determination is being made in relation to the potential for the Galway City Development Plan 2023-2029 that is being adopted to have effects on the integrity of European sites.

Section 177V of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 as amended, and Article 6(3) of the EC Habitats Directive requires a determination as to whether or not a plan or project would adversely affect the integrity of any European site.

In carrying out this Appropriate Assessment (AA) the matters specified under Part XAB of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 as amended, including the following are being taking into account:

- The consolidated Natura Impact Report
- The Natura Impact Report updated for Proposed Material Alterations
- The Natura Impact Report prepared for the Draft Plan
- Written submissions/observations made during the plan preparation process
- Ongoing advice on AA from the Councils agents

As part of the AA, it was identified that the Plan may, if unmitigated, have significant effects on 11 (no.) European sites. Factors that could potentially affect the integrity of the European sites include:

- Provisions (such as those relating to climate action, housing and sustainable neighbourhoods, mobility and transportation, heritage, recreation and amenity, economy, enterprise, retail, community, culture, placemaking and urban design, environment and infrastructure, urban regeneration) that introduce sources for effects through the construction phase of

developments such as habitat loss, habitat degradation and fragmentation, pollution, hydrological interactions and disturbance effects, and

- Pressures from the operational phase of developments- these sources could result in habitat disturbance effects and interactions with water quality.

The undersigned, having carefully considered the information referred to above agrees with and adopts the reasoning and conclusions presented and determines that:

- Implementation of the plan could have the potential to result in effects to the integrity of a European site, if unmitigated.
- The risks to the safeguarding and integrity of the qualifying interests, special conservation interests and conservation objectives of the European sites have been addressed by the inclusion of mitigation measures that will prioritise the avoidance of effects in the first place and reliably mitigate effects where these cannot be avoided. In addition, all lower level plans and projects arising through the implementation of the Plan will themselves be subject to the AA process, when further details of design and location are known.
- In-combination effects from interactions with other plans and projects have been considered in this assessment and the mitigation measures have been incorporated into the plan. These measures are robust and will ensure that there will be no effects on the integrity of European sites as a result of implementation of the Plan either alone or in-combination with other plans/projects.
- Having incorporated mitigation measures, the Plan is not foreseen to give rise to any effect on the integrity of European sites, alone or in-combination with other plans or projects (except as provided for in Article 6(4) of the Habitats Directive, viz. there must be: (a) no alternative solution available, (b) imperative reasons of overriding public interest for the plan to proceed; and (c) Adequate compensatory measures in place. This evaluation is made in view of the conservation objectives of the habitats or species, for which these sites have been designated.

Ms. Patricia Philbin
Director of Services
Galway City Council

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To note and accept the AA Conclusion Statement Determination.

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was approved by Council. The Plan is made with this Material Alteration.

Mayor, Cllr. C. Higgins read the Resolution to make the Galway City Development Plan 2023-2029, as follows:

This Council, being the Planning Authority for the City, having considered the Draft Galway City Development Plan 2023-2029 published on 28th January 2022, the Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft Plan published on the 8th September 2022, the Chief Executive's Reports on the public consultations, and:

- The Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) Environmental Report for the Draft Plan,
- The Appropriate Assessment (AA) Natura Impact Report for the Draft Plan,
- The Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (SFRA) for the Draft Plan,
- The updated SEA Environmental Report for the Proposed Material Alterations,
- The updated AA Natura Impact Report for the Proposed Material Alterations,

- The updated Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (SFRA) and addendum for Proposed Material Alterations,
- Written submissions and observations relating to SEA, AA and SFRA made during the Plan preparation process,
- Ongoing advice on SEA, AA and SFRA from the Council's agents,
- The final, consolidated AA Natura Impact Report, and
- The AA Conclusion Statement and final AA Determination,

RESOLVES, in accordance with Section 12 of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), to adopt amendments to the Draft Plan as agreed by motions passed at Council meetings on 21st November 2022 and 24th November 2022 and with associated minor modifications and to make the Galway City Development Plan 2023-2029.

Proposed by: Cllr. D. Lyons

Seconded by: Cllr. E. Hoare

To adopt the Resolution to make the Galway City Development Plan 2023-2029 with Minor Modifications on 24th November 2022.

Present: Cllr. I. Byrne, Cllr. A. Cheevers, Cllr. J. Connolly, Cllr. M.J. Crowe, Cllr. M. Cubbard, Cllr. F. Fahy, Cllr. O. Hanley, Cllr. C. Higgins, Cllr. E. Hoare, Cllr. D. Lyons, Cllr. D. McDonnell, Cllr. N. McNelis & Cllr. T. O'Flaherty

In Favour: 13 Against: 0 Abstain: 0 Present: 13

The Motion was carried unanimously.

Contributions were given by Cllr. D. Lyons, Cllr. O. Hanley, Cllr. D. McDonnell, Cllr. E. Hoare, Cllr. A. Cheevers, Cllr. T. O'Flaherty, Cllr. F. Fahy, Cllr. M.J. Crowe on behalf of the Fianna Fáil group, Cllr. M. Cubbard and Cllr. N. McNelis thanking Mr. B. McGrath, Chief Executive; Ms. P. Philbin, Director of Services; Ms. C. Phelan, Senior Planner; Ms. H. Coleman, Senior Executive Planner; the Planning team; Ms. A. Rohan, Meetings Administrator; Ms. S. King; Mr. E. Purcell and Council officials for their support and assistance, Tadhg Keady audio visual providers and the venues for the meetings.

Compliments were paid to Mayor C. Higgins on chairing the City Development Plan meetings and Deputy Mayor M. Cubbard on their performance.

Ms. C. Phelan, Senior Planner outlined next steps. The Minister may give ministerial direction following which the Plan would go on display again. Any submissions made during this time would go back to the OPR for review and on to the Minister. The Plan will not come before Elected Members again. This process will be completed by March 2023, approximately.

Mayor C. Higgins thanked all for their hard work and contributions.

The Chief Executive thanked the Elected Members, Planners, staff from Corporate Services and Planning Departments and AV Operators.

The meeting concluded at 19:30p.m.