



COUNCILLORS REPORT ON CONFERENCE WHICH THEY ATTENDED  
REQUIRED TO BE COMPLETED UNDER SECTION 142(5) (f) and (fa) OF THE  
LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2001

Organiser of Conference EUROCITIES CREATIVE COMPETITIVE CITIES

Name of Conference EUROCITIES CREATIVE CITIES 2018

Location of Conference EDINBURGH

Date of Conference 28/29 NOV 2018

Summary of Conference Content

OPENING DISCUSSION WAS ADDRESSED BY  
ALLAN LITTLE, INTERNATIONAL BROADCASTER & JOURNALIST  
& ALSO FERGUS LINEHAN DIRECTOR OF EDINBURGH INTERNATIONAL  
FESTIVAL

DISCUSSIONS ON CREATIVE CITIES FOR CITIZENS  
LED BY DANIEL TERMONT, MAYOR OF GHEENT &  
STEPHEN CLARK, DIRECTOR FOR LIAISON OFFICES OF  
THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT.

MUCH DISCUSSIONS TOOK PLACE ON DATA-DRIVEN  
INNOVATION & THIS INITIATIVE IS PART OF THE  
EDINBURGH & SOUTH EAST REGIONAL DEAL & AIMS  
TO BENEFIT & HELP ORGANISATIONS BENEFIT FROM  
THE DATA REVOLUTION.

Signature: Kieran O'Hanlon

Print Name: KIERAN O'HANLON

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Organiser of Conference Beltic- Conferences  
Name of Conference Approaches in Controlling Water Management  
Location of Conference Blunkilly  
Date of Conference 7<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018

Summary of Conference Content

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Signature: Brigid Tuffy  
Print Name: BRIGID TUFFY

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Contemporary River Management  
Alternative Conference on Contemporary  
River Management in Dunally Co Cork  
on 7<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> Dec.

Conference consisted of details  
on Flood & River Management,  
Causes of Floods, Physical &  
Human

Case Studies on River Management,

Engineering Solutions & other  
methods of flood relief.

Details on major floods around  
the world

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Organiser of Conference Nuclear Free Local Authorities  
Name of Conference ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓  
Location of Conference Kilbenny  
Date of Conference March 22nd, 2019.

Summary of Conference Content

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Print Name: BERNIE SCANNAN

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Report on M.T.H.H  
Spring Forum

25/3/19

attended at the above forum on Friday  
March 2<sup>nd</sup> 2019.

It discussed Ireland's role as a legally  
nuclear free state, the need to maintain our  
stance on civil nuclear power states, as  
well as continuing to play a positive role in  
the nuclear weapons debate.

The risks associated with the UK's  
current nuclear power programme, particularly  
discharges from Belfield, the potential for  
associated accidents, the likely health  
hazards and the consequential economic  
damage were covered.

The forum also focused on the need  
for more public to encourage our Councils to  
adopt greater proactivity in terms of  
energy policy as is presently the case in  
England, Scotland & Wales.

Emphasis was placed on building on  
the forums existing relationship with Environmental  
N.G.O's and with Community Energy  
Groupings.

The options and value of having  
nominated elected members appointed to  
the forum was discussed. It was agreed that  
Councils be communicated with and that  
the appointment of nominees be considered after  
the local elections.

The reference then concluded.  
Alan Rankin



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& Contae **Luimnigh**

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& County Council

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**29<sup>th</sup> March, 2019.**

**To: The Mayor and Each Member of Limerick City and County Council**

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### **Visit to New York, USA for St. Patrick's Day Celebrations**

A Chomhairleoir, a Chara,

As Members will be aware, a delegation from the Council travelled to New York for the Annual St. Patrick's Day celebrations.

The delegation was comprised of Cllr. Daniel Butler, Mayor of the Metropolitan District of Limerick, Councillors Liam Galvin, Vivienne Crowley and John Gilligan, Mr. Joe Delaney, A/Director of Services and Mr. Pat Fitzgerald, Senior Executive Officer. The Group travelled on 14<sup>th</sup> March and departed New York on 18<sup>th</sup> March.

The Members of the delegation took part in a number of events during the visit with the objectives of promoting Limerick, gaining understanding and developing Business and Diaspora linkages. These included:

#### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2019

- Housing Construction site visit Clenn Construction Limited
- Ireland US Council Business Lunch at the Metropole Club, New York
- Consul General /American Chamber of Commerce Reception in the Irish Consulate on Park Avenue, New York.

#### Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2019

- Breakfast reception hosted by the New York City Mayor in Gracie Mansion
- Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral, 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, New York

- The Ireland Chamber of Commerce (USA) Breakfast on Madison Ave., New York
- St. Patrick's Day Parade with the Limerickmen's Association
- Choral Recital of the Broadford Youth Choir (West Limerick) in St Peters Church, Barclay Street, New York

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2019

- Broadford Youth Choir mass in The Basilica of St Patrick Old Cathedral, Mulberry Street, New York

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March, 2019

- Irish / USA Client Company Meeting

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**COUNCILLOR DANIEL BUTLER**  
**MAYOR OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF LIMERICK**