



**TO THE MAYOR AND EACH MEMBER OF LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL**

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**12<sup>th</sup> November, 2021.**

**Re : Attendance at Smart City Expo World Congress 2021 in Barcelona  
16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> November, 2021**

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An invitation was received by the Mayor of the City and County of Limerick from the Smart City Expo World Congress 2021 to attend the 10<sup>th</sup> edition of the Congress in Barcelona, Spain from 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> November, 2021.

The Smart City Expo World Congress 2021 will be bringing together the highest level of urban stakeholders : governments, international organisations, the private sector, knowledge institutions and citizen initiatives including over 10,000 urban professionals and high level representatives from hundreds of cities worldwide. This congress will bring knowledge, inspiration and connections that will be actively leveraged for future Limerick plans.

The costs involved (flights, accommodation and subsistence) will be in the region of €1,500.

In accordance with Section 142 (5) of the Local Government Act 2001, as amended, the approval of the Council is hereby sought for the proposed attendance by the Deputy Mayor of the City and County of Limerick, Councillor Tom Ruddle.

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Senior Executive Officer  
Corporate Services, Governance & Customer Services