



## DLR PPN Activity Report January 2024

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### **DLR PPN Strategic Plan 2024-2029**

Consultation with external Stakeholders is ongoing.  
114 survey responses received from member groups.

### **2024 Local Elections**

- DLR PPN Secretariat has discussed the requirements for PPNs to remain independent in the upcoming Local Election which were communicated to the PPN representatives.
- Ongoing preparations for the final PPN Reps Networking meeting for the SPC reps (scheduled for February 2024)

### **Community Connection Radio Programme Featured**

*Dublin South FM is the licensed community radio station for South Dublin. With a dedicated team of over 100 volunteers, their diverse programming emphasises community issues, health and well-being, current affairs, foreign language and culture together with a wide array of specialist music programmes encompassing all genres. Recently appointed Chairperson, Aileen Eglington joins us to tell us more.*

*Founded in the early 1990s, Purple House Cancer Support provides support and professionally helps people affected by cancer. Their flagship fundraiser Purple Heart Day is happening in February. Conor O'Leary, the Director of Operations, joins us to tell us about the charity and the programmes that they offer.*

*Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown Outreach Project celebrated 25 years in action in December. It provides vital substance use rehabilitation supports to the community. Dean Ward is here to tell us about the work they do.*

Link to January Podcast [here](#)



### Communications

January 2024	Tweets	Facebook	Web Posts	Mass Email
<a href="#">Click here for the Ezine</a>	31	14	17	5

### Reports

- Drafting of the DLR PPN 2023 Report for LCDC Annual Report
- Drafting of the LECP update for Quarter 3 and 4 of 2023.

### Governance

1 Secretariat Meeting

### Participation, Consultations and Surveys were circulated to all members.

- Coimisiún na Meán public consultation on Ireland's first Online Safety Code
- National Air Pollution Control Programme (NAPCP)
- Dun Laoghaire Rathdown Draft Road Traffic Special Speed Limit Bye-Laws 2024
- Living Streets Dun Laoghaire
- DLR Two new playgrounds, Kilcross in Sandyford and Finsbury in Dundrum
- Ireland's National Dialogue on the Future of the European Union's Cohesion Policy Consultation.
- Offshore Renewable Energy (ORE) Future Framework Policy Statement.
- National Social Enterprise Strategy.
- Forward Planning Infrastructure: Cherrywood Town Centre & Environs Review
- New Bus Connects Layout at Harbour Road
- DLR PPN Five-Year Plan 2024-2029
- 4th National Biodiversity Plan
- Design Guide for Long-Term Residential Care Settings for Older People
- Community Woodland Planting Scheme
- Arts Participation Awards and Schemes,
- Dublin Mountains Community Archaeology Project Free Training Workshop
- Ready Steady Vote
- Sandyford Business District Darkness into Light Walk 2024
- Bealtaine Hero Award 2024
- 'Promoting Cultural Integration & Inclusion in the Workplace' seminar,



**Líonraí Rannpháirtíochta Pobail DLR**  
**Public Participation Network DLR**

- Justice + Peace exhibition of Youth Arts
- DLR People's Archive Day
- DLR Arts Plan Survey

**Community & Wellbeing information**

- Community Youth Work - MU
- ILMI Disabled People and Employment Opportunities
- SEAI Home Energy Clinic
- Access Toolkit for Artworkers
- Dun Laoghaire Town St. Patrick's Day Parade
- Saving Energy information

**Funding**

- The Heritage Council: Heritage Organisations Support Fund
- Community Climate Action Programme Funding
- The Local Enhancement Programme for 2024 - Open for Applications
- DLR Musician in Residence
- National Lottery Grants HSE
- PwC Ireland Resilient Communities Fund
- The Seniors Alert Scheme
- EU Just Transition Community & Enterprise Grants Scheme
- Age & Opportunity Active National Grant Scheme
- The Live Music Performances in Residential Healthcare Settings Scheme 2024 is now open.