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**The Chairperson and Members,
Dublin South Central JPC**

Filling of vacancies for 3 Community Representatives

There are 3 vacancies for Community Representatives on the Dublin South Central Joint Policing Committee and this has been the position for quite some time. The former Community Reps. have received a number of correspondences requesting their formal resignation from the Committee. Ample time has elapsed without confirmation of their resignation from any of the 3 former Members.

It is now time to seek nominations for the 3 vacancies. The Public Participation Network (PPN), is the only source for representatives/nominees seeking positions/seats on decision making or advisory bodies which require input from Environmental, Social Inclusion, Community and Voluntary members.

The process for electing representatives to the JPC would be organised by the PPN, and would entail:

1. An email sent to all groups registered with the PPN letting them know of the vacancy and which pillar they need to be a member of in order to run for election
2. Invitation to interested persons to complete a nomination form by a given deadline
3. Hold of an election – any PPN member who have registered their interest can attend the election and form a linkage group

It is important to note that only groups who are members of the PPN can run for election. Groups can join the PPN online at <https://dublincityppn.ie/join/>. The formal process will now proceed through the Public Participation Network to fill these 3 vacancies.

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