



**Sub-Committee on Artists Workspaces**  
**Breviate of draft Minutes of meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2018 4.00 pm**  
**Richard O Carroll Room, City Hall**

**Attendance**

**Cllr. Rebecca Moynihan (Chairperson)**

**Cllr. Claire Byrne and**

**Ray Yeates, City Arts Officer**

1. Minutes of Previous meeting read and passed.
2. Matters Arising:

The City Arts Officer reported that he hoped to bring a Report to Council shortly on vacant spaces from each Administrative Area compiled with the help of each Area Office. These included vacant commercial units.

Details of five potential sites recommended by the Housing and Development Sections on which Artists Workspaces could be built were circulated. These had been viewed recently by the City Arts Officer and this report included Site Maps and photographs.

These sites were all thought to have potential and the Elected Members asked about the next steps. The City Arts Office will distribute the details of these sites to a committee that includes The Arts Council, Department Of Culture Heritage and the Gaeltacht and Dublin City Council Development and Arts Office. It is proposed that this committee will select some or all of these sites for feasibility studies and that Capital Financing from the Department, Revenue Funding from the Arts Council and Disposal of the sites by Dublin City Council will follow on establishing successful feasibility.

How the eventual organisations/artists or developers will be chosen for these sites was discussed and the Elected Members asked if the process of selection could be used in other Developments such as Poolbeg. The City Arts Office suggested that he ask a representative of the Development Department to attend the next meeting to discuss such a process.

**Action:** The exact locations of sites were agreed by the Committee to be kept confidential until after the feasibility process that is hoped could conclude in October.

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**Cllr. Rebecca Moynihan,**  
**Chairperson**