

# **Monthly Local Fund Statement**

## Background

Attached for consideration by the elected members in this March 2019 Council Agenda is the Local Fund Statement for the period 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019 to 25th January 2019. This report is presented in a format agreed at the Finance SPC and noted by the City Council at its meeting in September 2011. The agreed format provides information on:

- Monthly receipts and payments for current period and same period last year.
- Cumulative receipts and payments for current year and last year.
- Details of main receipting areas and receipts over €1m for the current month and same period last year.
- Details of payroll payments and non-pay payments over €1m in the current month and same period last year.

## Overview

Over the period 01/01/19 to 25/01/19 Dublin City Council made payments to the value of €117m. Dublin City Council receipted €63.7m of funds with an excess of payments over receipts of €53.4m moving to a net debit balance at period end of €60m. This value of €60m is the maximum value applicable, as it includes the full value of payments made whether cashed or not. As at 25/01/19, Dublin City Council had placed €85m on investment. The net transfer from investment over the period was €39m. There were 4 weeks in both of the January periods of 2018 and 2019.

## Receipts

During the period Dublin City Council receipted €63.6m. €1.4m was received from Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government (€1.3m for RAS November 2018 Rents).

€2.7m was received from other local authority with €1.6m from South Dublin for Fire Services December 2018 Contribution and €1m from Fingal for balance due following preparation of the Final Account 2017. €2.9m was received under HFA Borrowings for Fixed Interest Rebuilding Ireland Home Loans. €3.3m was received from Irish Water in respect of the SLA. €1.4m was received from Dept. of Rural & Community Development for SICAP Quarter 1. €2.5m was received in respect of Rates, as against €8m in 2018. The direct debit file payment was recorded after this period end and will be reflected in the February 2019 figures. The value of Housing Rents receipts in 2019 at €6.5m includes 6 weeks direct debit payments as against 3 weeks for the 2018 period. Housing Loan payments in 2019 amounted to €612K, less than in 2018, owing to a reduced value of lump sum payments in 2019.

# **Payments**

During the period Dublin City Council made payments to the value of €117m. A total of €6.8m was paid in contractor payments, of which €5.7m was paid to the Local Authority Housing Agency for purchases and €1.1m to Peter McVerry Trust for accommodation refurbishment at Kerdiffstown House. €18.5m was paid for HFA Loan Redemptions and Payments.

# **EU/IMF** Reporting

The next report under the EU/IMF reporting framework is for the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter 2018 (i.e. October – December). The deadline for submission of the EU/IMF reports is 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019. These reports will be included with the Financial Report for the April 2019 City Council meeting.

Kathy Quinn Head of Finance 15th February 2019

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**Current Year** Previous Year Monthly Receipts and Payments 1st January to 25th January 2019 1st January to 26th January 2018 Balance Debit (6,645,593) Credit 1,161,923 (117,025,520) (98,555,747) **Payments** 63,653,999 65,770,400 Receipts Difference Debit (53,371,521) Debit (32,785,347)(60,017,114) (31,623,424) Balance Debit Debit Note: Overdraft facility 2019: €50m Overdraft facility 2018: €50m At 25th Jan there were investments of €85m At 26th Jan there were investments of €95m **Cumulative Receipts and Payments** 1st January to 25th January 2019 1st January to 26th January 2018 Opening Balance Debit (6,645,593) 1,161,923 Payments (117,025,520) (98,555,747) Receipts 63,653,999 65,770,400 Difference Debit (53,371,521) Debit (32,785,347) Debit (60,017,114) Debit (31,623,424) RECEIPTS January 2019 January 2018 Main Receipting Areas 2,482,520 8,028,621 Rates Housing Rents 6,505,542 5,793,122 Housing Loans 612,029 1,241,379 Department of Housing, Planning & Local Government 1,418,444 Local Authority 2,699,915 Individual Receipts Over €1m HFA Borrowings 2,883,605 Net Transfer from Investments 39,000,000 34,000,000 Irish Water 3,263,060 4,320,705 Dept. of Rural & Community 1,351,622 1,509,385 Other Receipts under €1m Other Receipts 3,437,262 10,877,188 **Total Receipts** 63,653,999 65,770,400 **PAYMENTS** January 2019 January 2018 Payroll Payments Salaries & Wages (23,013,464) (22,144,557) Revenue PAYE/RSI (7,369,019) (6,845,970) Non-Pay Payments Over €1m HFA Loan Redemptions & Payments (18,449,906) (15,682,010) Revenue Commissioners (8.949.097) (6.292.285)Contractor Payments (6,847,130) (1,000,000) Other Payments under €1m Other Payments (55,053,716) (43,934,113) Total Payments (Pay and Non-Pay) (117,025,520) (98,555,747)