



**Report to the Protocol Committee for noting and referral to the City Council**

<b>Councillor Name</b>	DERMOT LACEY
<b>Conference/Seminar Name</b>	DUBLIN ECONOMICS WORKSHOP
<b>Conference/Seminar Topic</b>	VARIOUS - POVERTY, HOUSING, GENERAL
<b>Venue/Location</b>	WHITES HOTEL, WEXFORD
<b>Date (s) of Conference</b>	16th + 17th September 2022
<b>Brief Summary</b>	
<p>This was a very valuable event covering a range of economic issues. In many ways it was more a training / educational event than a conference. The session on Housing was particularly informative as was the one on addressing poverty and inequality in Ireland from a councillor's perspective.</p>	
<b>Recommendations</b>	
<p>The DQW had not previously been included in the automatically approved conference. I would suggest that it would be in the future.</p>	
<b>Declaration</b>	
I certify that I attended the above-mentioned Conference/Training Seminar.	
<b>Signed by</b>	<b>Date</b>
Dermot Lacey	18/9/2022