

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

Councillor Name	Mary Callaghan
Conference/Seminar Name	Leading the Housing Sector Towards a Sustainable Financial Future – ICSH Finance and Development Conference
Conference/Seminar Topic	Financing and Developing Social and Affordable Housing
Venue/Location	Radisson Blu Hotel, Sligo
Date (s) of Conference	19 th – 20 th October 2022

Brief Summary

This conference looked at housing finance and development for the future covering:
Sustainable and affordable housing solutions;
Regeneration, retrofitting and innovative building technologies;
Social value creation and Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) investing;
The role of international investment funds;
Innovation and social inclusion; and
Securing the future of the AHB sector through collaboration.


Speakers included representatives from the public, private and non-profit sectors including our AHB member organisations, local authorities, the Department of Housing Local Government and Heritage, The Housing Agency and AIB.
There was networking and relationship building opportunities throughout the conference.

Recommendations

This conference increased my understanding in this area which is, in turn, very beneficial to my work on the Housing SPC in Dublin City Council.

Declaration

I certify that I attended the above-mentioned Conference/Training Seminar.

Signed by	Date
	31/12/2022