



Comhairle Cathrach  
Bhaile Átha Cliath  
Dublin City Council

Report to Arts, Culture, Leisure  
and Recreation SPC  
22<sup>nd</sup> May 2023  
Item No. 20

### **Breviate of draft Minutes of the Chatham Row Working Group meeting dated 10<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

The members of the SPC Working Group looking at possible uses for the Chatham Row building are Cllr Cat O'Driscoll (Chairperson), Cllr Fiona Connelly (replacing Cllr Mary Freehill), Cllr Claire Byrne and Cllr Dermot Lacey. One meeting of the Working Group has been held since the last Strategic Policy Committee meeting.

#### **Meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2023:**

It was agreed to proceed to an Open Call for ideas for proposed use of the Chatham Row building. The Open Call to invite ideas for the proposed use of the building and to be advertised in May 2023. These proposals to be shortlisted by Working Group in June 2023 and shortlisted proposals will be asked to give more detailed proposals July – September 2023. The Working Group and an External Expert will consider and select successful proposal and final decision is expected in November 2023.

Dublin City Council will request that the proposals allow for Chatham Row building use to be:

- Sustainable
- Dynamic
- A destination venue
- A not for profit (but solvent) use
- Accessible
- A possible mix of public, semi-private and private uses to be considered.