



## Press Release

### *Your Council Your Services* information booklet launch

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A new information booklet, entitled *Your Council Your Services*, will be distributed to every household in the County by Fingal County Council over the next few weeks. The aim of the booklet is to create awareness among citizens about the work being done by the County Council.

The booklet has been designed to be accessible with colourful infographics charting where funding comes from right through to where it is spent. It also highlights some of the programmes, initiatives and services provided by Fingal County Council.

Launching the booklet, the Mayor of Fingal County Council, Cllr David O'Connor said: "It's great for the public to know where money is spent as it can easily happen that people don't see the great work that goes on behind the scenes. There's a lot happening in Fingal and by distributing this handy reference document to each household we are reaching out to citizens and keeping them in the loop as to what we've done and what we're planning to do. It's all about communications and connecting with people."

This sentiment was reinforced by Fingal Chief Executive Paul Reid who said: "There's a huge amount of great work being undertaken by staff and teams within the County Council and we wanted to share this information so that people can see what we're doing and our plans to improve Fingal. It reflects our transparency in connecting with citizens as the *Your Council Your Services* booklet is essentially your Council in figures. We're constantly striving to improve Fingal and I'm personally very proud of the County as a great place to live, work and visit."

In addition to the booklet, a short animated video has been produced to showcase some of the key statistics from the booklet and can be viewed here: <http://fingal.ie/your-council/fingal-facts-and-figures/>

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