

Representative Report

PPN Representative	Emer Conway	Date:	12/5/2021
Committee	Environment Water SPC		

Key Issues Discussed	<p>Minutes of last SPC agreed.</p> <p>Draft policy regarding casual trading selection criteria – presentation from Anthony Shanahan, Administrative Officer. See attached</p> <p>Presentation/submission from Lorraine Benson, National Peatlands Council regarding a proposal to create a National Peatlands Park in County Kildare .</p> <p>Cllr Ide Cussan queried previous motion raised by KEEN on lanterns release.</p> <p>The Climate Action Linkage Group (Water subgroup) would like to know if KCC actively monitors and actions reported sewage outfalls</p> <p>Revitalized Role of PPN reps on SPC discussed & supported</p>
Key Decisions Made	<p>Casual trading – Feedback was required before the 14/4 but Committee agreed that environmental concerns be part of the selection criteria.</p> <p>National Peatland Park -strong support from SPC</p> <p>Lantern Release - Chair proposed that it be handled by Central government dept responsible.</p> <p>Sewage Outfalls – Snr Engineer responsible Colm Flynn gave brief update on various water quality functions of his team & suggested next SPC would have a session on water governance.</p>
Action(s) required from Kildare PPN for next meeting	Call for motions on water from all PPN
Date of next meeting	8 th September 2021 at 2.30pm