

Tuairisc/Reporting Template for Galway City Community Network Representatives

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| 1. Cruinniú / Name of Meeting | JPC |
| 2. Ionadaí LPCG (glacadóir - nótaí) / Name of GCCN Rep (note-taker) | Nichola Tierney |
| 3. Dáta & Suite / Date & Location of Meeting: | 16/10/23 city hall ,council Chambers |
| 4. I láthair / Attendance | <p>Chairperson Cllr Niall Mc Nelis</p> <p>Present Chief Superintendents Gerard Roche, Superintendent Damien Flanagan, Sergeant Mick Walsh Mr Brian Barrett, Olivia Maher, senior intelligence Analyst.</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Council: Cllr Donal Lyons ,Cllr frank Fahy' Cllr Terry o Flaherty</p> <p>Community: Tommy Flaherty ,Nichola Tierney</p> <p>In Attendance: there was new face I haven't met, tommy may know the rest</p> |
| 5. Príomhphointí pléite / Key Issues Discussed: | |
| <p>Garda Report</p> <p>Drug increase in Galway but there were more arrests 1.6 million drugs were seized between city and county</p> <p>Drunk driver up by 15% going on 2022 figures , chief super reported that there are calibrated with other agencies i.e. coastal watch and harbour intel on drugs coming by sea this is working quite well .</p> <p>Chief super advised the public to wear high vis jacket while walking or cycling as the number of road deaths are rising country wise.</p> <p>25 people were arrested due to circular k insentient and 16 of those were before the courts.</p> <p>There will be an increase in Garda in the city at the end of November 6 in total bring the total of Garda on the ground to 638 and 5 sergeants plus there will be 3 more sergeants .</p> <p>Question raised where is the salthill stations closing this was asked by a few councillors, Chief super solved this issues by the salthill station will remain open from 7am to 10 pm every day and will have a numbers of</p> | |

Garda working from there, it is not possible to keep the office part open after 10pm as there is no flow of phone calls.

6. Socruithe déanta / Key Decisions Made:

7. Gníomhaíochtaí / Action(s) required from GCCN:

8. Dáta don chéad chruinniú eile / Date of next meeting :

**9. Moltáí breise /
Any Other Comments:**