

NEWRY, MOURNE AND DOWN DISTRICT COUNCIL

RTS/M

Minutes of the Regulatory and Technical Services Committee Meeting held on Wednesday 23 May 2018 at 6.00pm in the Boardroom, District Council Offices, Monaghan Row, Newry

Chairperson: Councillor J Trainor

Members:

Councillor T Andrews	Councillor C Casey
Councillor W Clarke	Councillor G Craig
Councillor D Curran	Councillor G Fitzpatrick
Councillor L Kimmins	Councillor J Macauley
Councillor J Rice	Councillor M Ruane
Councillor D Taylor	Councillor J Tinnelly

Non Committee Members: Councillor A McMurray
Councillor B Walker

Officials in Attendance: Mr L Hannaway, Chief Executive
Mr R Moore, Director of Neighbourhood Services (Acting)
Ms M Ward, Director of Enterprise, Regeneration and Tourism
Mr L Dinsmore, Assistant Director (Acting) Neighbourhood Services (Waste)
Mr C Jackson, Assistant Director of Building Control and Regulations
Mr A McKay, Chief Planning Officer
Mr K Scullion, Assistant Director Facilities Management and Maintenance
Ms C McAteer, Democratic Services Officer

RTS/072/2018: APOLOGIES AND CHAIRPERSON'S REMARKS

Apologies were received from Councillor Stokes and Councillor Harte.

Councillor Trainor said this was his last Meeting as Chair of the R&TS Committee and he would like to thank all the Committee Members for their contribution over the last 12 months. He also thanked the officers and staff for their work.

Councillor Trainor extended his best wishes to Councillor Harte, the Deputy Chair of Committee, after her stay in hospital.

AGREED: A letter of best wishes for a speedy recovery to good health be sent to Councillor Harte on behalf of the Committee.

Councillor Trainor reminded all the Members about the Neighbourhood Services Committee Transformation Project Workshop with APSE to be held on 25 June 2018 from 2.30 pm to 5.00 pm in the Council Chamber, Downshire. He said the purpose of the Workshop would be to detail the requirements for the new Neighbourhood Services Directorate, as well as to present proposals for its future operation and to agree the next steps.

Councillor Trainor also thanked Mrs Anne O'Shea, her husband and her grandchildren for undertaking a beach clean-up at Tyrella and said as a result the Council had arranged for 1 tonne of rubbish to be removed.

AGREED: A letter of thanks be sent to Mrs Anne O'Shea, her husband and grandchildren.

RTS/073/2018: DECLARATIONS OF "CONFLICTS OF INTEREST"

Councillor Casey declared an interest in item No. 19 – report re: Bunscoil an Iuir – as a Member of the Board of Governors for the school.

RTS/074/2018: ACTION SHEET OF THE REGULATORY AND TECHNICAL SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 18 APRIL 2018

Read: Action Sheet of the Regulatory and Technical Services Committee Meeting held on Wednesday 18 April 2018. *(Circulated)*.

RTS/068/2018 – Proposal to purchase Christmas Illuminations

In response to a query from Councillor Fitzpatrick, Mr Scullion said the purchase of Christmas illuminations had been taken through the Council's procurement system and they were content with the arrangements. However the Company had subsequently advised that two of the 3D images had been released but they could offer 4 other 3D images. He had looked at them and they appeared to be of good quality and would give the Council extra items.

AGREED: It was agreed that officials be granted authority to accept the amended offer of four 3D images to replace 2, subject to officials checking and verifying them before purchase.

Councillor Casey and Councillor Trainor said they had previously been opposed to the Council purchasing second hand items and this remained the case.

RTS/064/2018 – Filling of vacant posts in Refuse and Cleansing

In response to a query from Councillor Andrews, Mr Dinsmore confirmed that the process for filling vacant posts in refuse and cleansing was within target timelines.

AGREED: It was unanimously agreed to note the Action Sheet, to include the revised agreement in relation to the purchase of four 3D images.

PRESENTATIONS

**RTS/075/2018 – PRESENTATION BY JENNY WILLIAMS
CHIEF EXECUTIVE, HABITAT NI**

Jenny Williams, Chief Executive, Habitat NI, gave a presentation on the work undertaken by Habitat NI, with particular focus on the Habitat for Humanity ReStore Initiative. She confirmed Habitat NI had been successful in securing the lease on a building on the Dublin Road, Newry, to set up as a ReStore shop and they hoped to take over the building on 16 July 2018 and all being well the store would open at the beginning of September. She confirmed that two jobs for the store had been advertised this week. *(Presentation attached)*.

In response to queries from Members, Ms Williams said Habitat NI was a registered charity and did not therefore pay rates but their business was based on paying commercial rent. Their mission was to help people, particularly those on low incomes, to live for less.

Ms Williams advised that all goods sold through the ReStore stores were competitively priced and they worked closely with their Partners such as B&Q; Haldane and Fisher; Murdock's and Flannigan's Flooring who supplied them with end of line products. They did not have continuity of supply which meant that they were not in competition with anyone. They also benefitted from support from the public who were clearing out houses/garages.

Ms Williams confirmed that no-one purchasing goods in their stores were means tested as that would create a stigma. She advised that the majority of their customers were on low income but there were also some bargain hunters and people looking to up cycle.

Ms Williams said Habitat NI would be targeting people across the Newry, Mourne and Down District when the store in Newry was opened and she would welcome the support of the Council in getting the message out.

Councillor Trainor thanked Ms Williams for her presentation.

Councillor Macauley left the meeting – 6.40 pm
Councillor Kimmins left the meeting – 6.45 pm)

FOR CONSIDERATION AND/OR DECISION

RTS/076/2018: NOTICE OF MOTION – SINGLE USE PLASTIC FREE COUNCIL

Councillor Clarke referred to the Motion which he had proposed, seconded by Councillor McMurray and which had been referred from the Council Meeting of 8 May 2018:-

"Newry, Mourne and Down Council will become a single use plastic free Council by phasing out the use of single use plastic products such as bottles, cups, cutlery and drinking straws in Council activities, any new catering contracts which come up for tender will also include a requirement to cut single-use plastic waste.

Council will also encourage our facilities users, local businesses and other local public agencies to do the same by promoting alternatives, such as reusable water bottles, Council will provide a free water dispenser in our main reception areas in civic leisure buildings and to investigate installing water drinking fountains throughout the Council area."

Councillor Clarke spoke on the Motion and said there was a real appetite for change in relation to the use of single use plastic products and the Council needed to get pro-active and talk to local businesses, schools and other Departments to devise a strategy to cut single-use plastic waste.

Councillor McMurray also spoke on the Motion and said he fully supported the need to cut single-use plastic waste. However he queried if installing water fountains throughout the Council area would be the way forward and referred to initiatives in other parts such as the refill schemes in the South of Ireland and the legal obligation in England and Wales to

provide people with drinking water. He also referred to the reusable coffee cup initiative and said such schemes should be looked at.

Councillor Craig and Councillor Andrews spoke in support of the Motion.

Councillor Clarke said he was content with the wording of the Motion and was happy to propose it. Councillor Craig seconded the Motion.

Read: Report from Mr Roland Moore, Director of Neighbourhood Services regarding Notice of Motion received from Councillor Clarke, advising that the Motion and the issues contained therein, would require cross-departmental working as no single Directorate or Department had responsibility for addressing the issues raised in the Motion. *(Circulated)*.

AGREED: On the proposal of Councillor Clarke, seconded by Councillor Craig, it was agreed to recommend the establishment of a cross-departmental Officer Working Group to develop an action plan for the adopted Motion. The Working Group to meet and develop an action plan for the issues detailed in the Motion and report back to the RTS Committee for approval on the action plan.

FOR CONSIDERATION AND/OR DECISION – BUILDING CONTROL AND LICENSING

RTS/077/2018: CAR PARK TARRIFF PRE-REVIEW REPORT

Read: Report from Mr Colum Jackson, Assistant Director, Enterprise, Regeneration and Tourism dated 23 May 2018 regarding the car park tariff pre-review Report. The report advised that on 19th January 2018, the Council ratified the decision to increase the car parking tariff to an equitable 40p per hour across all 11 Pay and Display Council operated facilities. Incorporated within this decision was the undertaking to conduct a 6 month review post implementation. The amended tariff came into effect on 4th April 2018, therefore the review period would commence during October 2018. *(Circulated)*.

Councillor Walker, Councillor Andrews and Councillor Trainor spoke on this issue and in their comments advised there was a lot of controversy around the revised charges, particularly in Downpatrick and Ballynahinch, with Councillors receiving complaints that some users were seeing an increase in the parking charges they were having to pay from £4.50 per week to £20 per week. They asked if consideration could be given to a further reduction in prices for regular users and said that it seemed unfair that only 11 of the Council owned car parks had charges whilst the rest did not. Consultations should also be held with Translink regarding the provision of proper park and ride facilities in towns across the District. A review needed to be carried out as soon as possible and a full report, including any drop in revenue, be brought to Committee.

Councillor Clarke, Ruane, Craig and Taylor also spoke on this issue and in their comments said that the Council needed to have the resources to maintain these car parks and that it was not the responsibility of the Council to provide all day car parking for businesses. If there were empty spaces in a car park then it would seem that the system was working as customers coming into shop in towns would know there would be available spaces. At the end of the review period there needed to be extensive consultation and any reduction in revenue should be highlighted in a report to Committee.

AGREED: It was agreed to note the contents of the car park tariff pre review report and Mr Jackson said he would take all comments on board and would report back to Committee after the review.

RTS/078/2018: ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR IN THE AREA TO THE REAR OF THE TOWN HALL, WARRENPOINT

Read: Report from Mr Colum Jackson, Assistant Director, Enterprise, Regeneration and Tourism dated 23 May 2018 regarding anti-social behaviour in the area to the rear of the Town Hall, Warrenpoint. *(Circulated)*. The report recommended the RTS Committee Members note the content of the Report and agree proposals to install LED lighting in the car parks and maintain the presence of the existing car park walls.

AGREED: On the proposal of Councillor Ruane, seconded by Councillor Fitzpatrick, it was agreed to defer taking a decision on this matter and that the DEA Co-Ordinator convene a Crotlieve Councillors Meeting with officers to discuss suitable ideas to address the issue of anti-social behaviour in the area to the rear of the Town Hall, Warrenpoint.

At the request of Councillor Ruane it was also agreed to invite representatives from Dfi (Roads) to meet with Crotlieve Councillors to discuss the possibility of designating Kings Lane, Warrenpoint, as a pedestrian zone.

FOR CONSIDERATION AND/OR DECISION - PLANNING

RTS/079/2018: MARCH 2018 – PLANNING COMMITTEE PERFORMANCE REPORT

Read: Report on Planning Committee Performance for April 2018. *(Circulated)*

AGREED: It was unanimously agreed to note the above Report.

RTS/080/2018: RECORD OF MEETINGS BETWEEN PLANNING OFFICERS AND PUBLIC REPRESENTATIVES 2017-2018

Read: Report of Meetings between Planning Officers and Public Representatives. *(Circulated)*

AGREED: It was unanimously agreed to note the above Report.

RTS/081/2018: CURRENT APPEALS – APRIL 2018

Read: Report of current appeals in April 2018. *(Circulated)*

AGREED: It was unanimously agreed to note the above Report.

**FOR CONSIDERATION AND/OR DECISION
- FACILITIES MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE**

RTS/082/2018: BUS SHELTER REQUESTS

Read: Report from Mr Kevin Scullion, Assistant Director of Facilities Management & Maintenance dated 23 May 2018 re: bus shelter requests. ***(Circulated)***. Attached at Appendix 1 was a report providing an update on requests with recommendations provided for approval/consideration:-

Appendix 1: Report on Bus Shelter Request

Section A: Bus Shelters Requests for consideration to Approve/Decline

1. New bus shelter at Ballymagreehan Road, Castlewellan

Background & Summary of Findings to date

An initial request was received on 6th March 2017 for a bus shelter to be erected at Ballymagreehan Road, Castlewellan

Table 1 below summarises consultation process which has been carried out having regard to Council Policy Requirements.

Table 1

Consultee	Response	Comment
Transport NI	TNI objected as they have concerns that the proposed location may result in the visibility splay at the junction being obscured for drivers emerging onto the main A50 from Ballymagreehan Road	Does not comply with Policy
PSNI	No objections	Complies with Policy
Translink	Only 2 buses serve this location per day. There would be a few school children in the morning going to St. Malachy's but not enough to warrant a shelter	Does not comply with Policy
Local property owners/residents within 50 metre radius of proposed site	One property consulted within a 50m radius. No reply to survey	Complies with Policy

Recommendations

A bus shelter **should not be** erected at this location as it does not fulfil all the criteria as per council policy. Usage numbers in a rural location must be a minimum of 10 during the course of a day and Translink expressed concerns regarding road safety issues.

2. New bus shelter at Carnany/Bavan Road, Mayobridge

Background & Summary of Findings to date

An initial request was received on 14th February 2017 for a bus shelter to be erected at the junction of Carnany Road/Bavan Road, Mayobridge

Table 2 below summarises consultation process which has been carried out having regard to Council Policy Requirements.

Table 2

Consultee	Response	Comment
Transport NI	No objections in principle.	Complies with Policy
PSNI	No objections	Complies with Policy
Translink	Approximately 50 children in the morning	Complies with Policy
Local property owners/residents within 50 metre radius of proposed site	3 properties located within 50 metres of proposed location. No reply from any of the occupiers.	Complies with Policy

Recommendations

A bus shelter **should be** erected at this location as it meets all the criteria as per Council Policy.

3. New bus shelter at Drummond Road/Gosford Road, Newry

Background & Summary of Findings to date

An initial request was received on 5th September 2016 for a bus shelter to be erected at the junction of Drummond Road/Gosford Road, Newry.

Table 3 below summarises consultation process which has been carried out having regard to Council Policy Requirements.

Table 3

Consultee	Response	Comment
Transport NI	No objections in principle.	Complies with Policy
PSNI	No objections	Complies with Policy
Translink	Less than 10 passengers per day use this bus stop.	Does not comply with Policy

Local property owners/residents within 50 metre radius of proposed site	No properties within a 50 metre radius	N/A
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Recommendations

A bus shelter **should not be** erected at this location as it does not fulfil all the criteria as per Council policy. Usage numbers in a rural location must be a minimum of 10 during the course of a day which are not met in this instance.

Section B: Bus Shelter Requests under Consideration

Table 4 below lists requests under consideration with comment on progress

Table 4

Location	Comment
Ballyculter Crossroads, Strangford	Being considered under policy – no findings to report.
Upper Strangford Road, Ardglass	Being considered under policy – no findings to report.
Sheepbridge roundabout, Belfast Road, Newry (Newry Bound)	Translink usage figures do not meet criteria. SELB do not keep a usage record. As matters stand application fails to meet minimum usage criteria.
Killard Road/Killard Avenue, Ballyhornan	Translink usage figures do not meet criteria. SELB do not keep a usage record. As matters stand application fails to meet minimum usage criteria.
Ballyhornan Village	Translink usage figures do not meet criteria. SELB do not keep a usage record. As matters stand application fails to meet minimum usage criteria.
Silverbridge Road, Newry	All consultations are complete. Proposed site for bus shelter is on private land so permission of land owner is to be sought.
Longstone Road, Ballymartin	Translink usage figures do not meet criteria. SELB do

	not keep a usage record. As matters stand application fails to meet minimum usage criteria.
Extension to existing Bus shelter on Belfast Road, Saintfield	Translink consulted but no response to date.

Mr Scullion advised that the Translink process in providing bus shelters was a very slow one and any bus shelter to be provided by them would not happen any way soon.

In response to a query from Councillor Fitzpatrick, Mr Scullion said there had been no objections received in relation to the location of the proposed bus shelter at Carnany/Bavan Road, Mayobridge.

In response to Councillor Casey, Mr Scullion confirmed a request for a bus shelter at Drummond Road did not meet the criteria and a bus shelter would not be provided. He also confirmed that a request for a bus shelter at Fathom Crossroads in Killeen (route used by the 43b bus) had been initially referred to Translink and would come back to Committee in due course with an update.

In response to a query from Councillor Clarke, Mr Scullion confirmed that Translink had agreed to provide 2 No. bus shelters at Annalong but as previously explained, their process was a very slow one.

AGREED: **On the proposal of Councillor Ruane, seconded by Councillor Fitzpatrick, it was agreed to recommend approval of the recommendations in relation to bus shelter requests contained within Appendix 1.**

It was also agreed that officials consider how to effectively monitor usage at locations where an application failed to meet minimum usage criteria and report back to Committee with recommendations.

RTS/083/2018: ABANDONED BOAT IN DUNDRUM BAY

Read: Report from Mr Kevin Scullion, Assistant Director of Facilities Management & Maintenance dated 23 May 2018 regarding abandoned boat in Dundrum Bay. *(Circulated)*

AGREED: **On the proposal of Councillor Clarke, seconded by Councillor Craig, it was recommended to proceed to apply for a Marine Licence for the removal of the abandoned boat at Dundrum Bay and upon receipt of Marine Licence or exemption from licence, arrange for removal of the boat from one of the two selected contractors appointed on the Restrictive List.**

(Councillor Curran left the meeting – 7.30 pm).

RTS/084/2018: PARTICIPATION IN BEST KEPT/TIDY TOWNS AND ULSTER IN BLOOM COMPETITIONS

Read: Report from Mr Kevin Scullion, Assistant Director of Facilities Management & Maintenance dated 23 May 2018 regarding

participation in Best Kept/Tidy Towns and Ulster in Bloom Competitions. Appendix 1 provided a list of the towns and villages which had been entered into each of the competitions. Letters would be issued to all relevant groups identified to make them aware of the Best Kept Awards and Ulster in Bloom, what the Council is doing in their specific areas which would be of interest to the Judges and the types of activities that communities could do as a means to showing their areas in the best way possible. *(Circulated)*.

AGREED: **It was unanimously agreed to note the above report.**

AGREED: **In response to a request from Councillor Fitzpatrick for additional cleansing and refuse collection services to be made available during the weekend of the Feile in County Down (29 June – 1 July 2018), Mr Dinsmore confirmed the Directorate would provide as much additional support as possible.**

RTS/085/2018: **REVISED CHARGES AND INCOMES - CEMETERIES**

Read: Report from Mr Kevin Scullion, Assistant Director Facilities Management and Maintenance dated 23 May 2018 re: Revised Charges and Incomes – Cemeteries for the cost of opening a grave only for those under 18 years. Attached at Appendix 1 were the revised charges to reflect this agreed change to Council charges for Cemeteries. This variation to the charging scheme became operational on 15 May 2018 and was applied to all requests from this date. The revised charges were not retrospective. *(Circulated)*.

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AGREED: **It was unanimously agreed to note the above report.**

RTS/086/2018: **REQUEST FROM LIBRARIES NI TO ERECT A SIGN AT THE UPPER SQUARE, CASTLEWELLAN**

Read: Report from Mr Kevin Scullion, Assistant Director Facilities Management and Maintenance dated 23 May 2018 re: request from Libraries NI to erect a sign at the Upper Square, Castlewellan. Due to the Grade B Listing of the Market House, Libraries NI were unable to attach a sign to the building itself. *(Circulated)*.

AGREED: **On the proposal of Councillor Craig, seconded by Councillor Clarke, it was agreed to recommend approval in principle to the request from Libraries NI to erect a sign on Council land at the Upper Square, Castlewellan and to delegate authority to the NS Directorate to agree on size of sign, its location, information contained on the sign and whether this agreement between Council and Libraries NI would be completed by exchange of letter or through a formal Licence Agreement.**

It was also agreed Officials check to see if planning permission was required for the erection of this sign and also that Libraries NI be responsible for all costs incurred.

FOR CONSIDERATION AND/OR DECISION - WASTE MANAGEMENT

RTS/087/2018: BULKY COLLECTION SERVICE

Read: Report from Liam Dinsmore, Assistant Director Waste (Acting) dated 23 May 2018 re: Bulky Collection Service. Details regarding items to be collected as part of this Service, were attached in Appendix 1. An issue had been raised that the definition for Bulky Collection was too strict, with respect to definition for 'bagged waste' to be reviewed. An issue had also been raised that Policy with respect to collection of Building Wastes should be reviewed for exceptional cases. ***(Circulated)***.

Councillor Walker gave details of two incidents which occurred in Killyleagh in relation to customers availing of the bulky collection service and said staff needed to apply discretion and common sense in some circumstances.

AGREED: **On the proposal of Councillor Andrews, seconded by Councillor Clarke, it was agreed to recommend that direction be given to Customer Services staff receiving requests for Bulky Collection Service, to exercise a 'discretion' with the definition of bagged waste. Discretion will not be applied to wastes normally presented in wheeled bins or in lieu of a wheeled bin collection. With respect to collection of building and renovation wastes, no change was recommended to the Council Policy. It was however considered that Customer Services Staff be directed to refer specific and occasional requests as would occur, to the Line Manager for further advice and direction.**

In response to a query from Councillor Clarke, Mr Dinsmore confirmed that a Civic Amenity Sites operative meeting would be held on 24 May 2018 and the issue of a permit for private Bulky refuse collectors would be discussed at the meeting.

In response to a query from Councillor Andrews, Mr Dinsmore confirmed that the issue of old furniture at Council recycling sites would also be discussed at this meeting.

RTS/088/2018: HISTORIC ACTION SHEET

Read: Historic Action Sheet. ***(Circulated)***

AGREED: **It was unanimously agreed to note the historic Action Sheet.**

The Chairperson advised that item Nos. 18 and 19 were exempt items under paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 6 of the Local Government Act (NI) 2014 – information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the Council holding that information) and the public may, by resolution, be excluded during this item of business.

On the proposal of Councillor Craig, seconded by Councillor Ruane, it was agreed to exclude the public and press from the meeting during discussion on these items.

When the Committee came out of closed session on the proposal of Councillor Craig, seconded by Councillor Andrews, the Chairman reported the following had

been agreed in relation to the two items which had been discussed in closed session:-

RTS/089/2018: CHARGES FOR COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF WASTES AT CARAVAN SITES

Read: Report from Liam Dinsmore, Assistant Director Waste (Acting) dated 21 May 2018 re: charges for collection and disposal of wastes at Caravan Sites. The report sought approval to implement a proposed Scale of Charges for collection and disposal of wastes from Caravan sites. *(Circulated)*.

AGREED: **On the proposal of Councillor Tinnelly, seconded by Councillor Taylor, it was unanimously agreed to defer taking a decision on the implementation of charges for the collection and disposal of wastes at Caravan Sites until the end of the current season, and that a full report, with costings, be brought back to the RTS Committee Meeting in September 2018.**

It was also noted that proposed increases should be communicated by Officers through further discussions with Operators , with agreement to be achieved in advance of new season charging.

RTS/090/2018: BUNSCOIL AN IUIR – PROPOSED REPLACEMENT OF HEATING SYSTEM

(Councillor Casey left the meeting – 8.15 pm
Councillor Taylor left the meeting – 8.15 pm)

Read: Report dated 23 May 2018 from Mr K Scullion Assistant Director Facilities Management and Maintenance, advising of proposals to replace the existing electric heating system in the Council owned building occupied by Bunscoil an Iuir. *(Circulated)*.

AGREED: **On the proposal of Councillor Ruane, seconded by Councillor Fitzpatrick, it was agreed to recommend approval to proceed with replacement of heating system at Bunscoil an Iuir with revised uplifted capital costs as detailed in Section 3.0 of the report dated 23 May 2018.**

Members extended their thanks to the outgoing Chairperson, Councillor Trainor, for the way he had conducted office over the past 12 months. They said he had been an excellent and impartial Chair who gave everyone a chance to speak.

There being no further business the meeting ended at 8.30 pm.

For adoption at the Council Meeting to be held on Tuesday 5 June 2018.

**Signed: Councillor John Trainor
Chairperson of Regulatory & Technical Services Committee**

**Signed: Mr R Moore
Acting Director of Neighbourhood Services**



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Context

92.5% Social Housing is
single identity

7% of young people educated
in integrated schools



Building Strong Communities

Tackling empty homes

Addressing social exclusion

Support for vulnerable people



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200 young people
3 day programme
2 partner schools

1 NO POVERTY



2 NO HUNGER



3 GOOD HEALTH



4 QUALITY EDUCATION



5 GENDER EQUALITY



6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION



7 CLEAN ENERGY



8 GOOD JOBS AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



9 INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE



10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES



12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION



13 PROTECT THE PLANET



14 LIFE BELOW WATER



15 LIFE ON LAND



16 PEACE AND JUSTICE



17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS



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Questions?