Overview of Cork Docklands Infrastructure

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Cork Docklands are set in a beautiful location to the east of the City Centre and cover an area of 166 hectares of land on both banks of the River Lee, with 4 kilometres of waterfront. The potential of this area was recognised in the 1990s culminating in the adoption of the North and South Docklands Local Area Plans in recent times. These set out a vision for a new urban quarter characterised by high quality design; residential, employment and leisure opportunities; and a superb quality of life in a high-density urban setting. The regeneration of Docklands is a priority for Cork City Council and is actively working to achieve this over the medium-term in co-operation with the various stakeholders in Docklands.

Mr Coghlan will give an overview of the development of the framework for South Docks Local Area Plan and the role of infrastructure along with an overview of some key elements of infrastructure and strategies.

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