

Appendix A

Member Training

Provider/Course	Date & Time	Location	Costs	Attendee Requests
National Association of Councillors	27 September 2022	Glenavon House Hotel Cookstown	Travel	Cllr McFlynn
Ireland's Future Together We Can	1 October 2022	3 Arena, Dublin	Attendance Fee: Travel & Subsistence	Cllr Corry

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNCILLORS
Northern Ireland Region

****COPY OF THE INVITE EMAIL SENT TO ALL COUNCILLORS ON 22 AUGUST 2022****

Dear NAC Members

You are cordially invited to attend a National Association of Councillors (NI Region) Conference taking place on **Tuesday 27 September** in the **[Glenavon House Hotel](#)**, 52 Drum Road, Cookstown, BT80 8JQ:

NAC at 30 years, Defining Our Positive Future

The Conference is planned to run from 9.30am to 4pm approximately and will be independently facilitated by Mr Derek McCallan, former CEO of NILGA. NILGA's current CEO, Ms Alison Allen, will also support the day.

An Agenda is currently being finalised and this along with further information will be forwarded in due course.

I do hope that you can attend this participative conference in-person, however if not, a hybrid format will allow NAC Members unable to travel to Cookstown to participate virtually.

Please note that non-Council nominated delegates that wish to attend in-person will need to seek clearance from their respective Councils.

Yours sincerely

Joe

Cllr Joe Boyle

SECRETARY

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNCILLORS

Northern Ireland Region



Ireland's Future
Todcháí na hÉireann

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27 July 2022

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing as Chair of *Ireland's Future* to invite you a major conference taking place in the 3Arena Dublin on Saturday 1 October 2022. *Together We Can* will provide a public forum for leading voices from across the island to reflect on the constitutional future of our island.

We are a civil society organisation working to advance the conversation about constitutional change. In particular, our focus is on ensuring that proper planning and preparation takes place in advance of the anticipated referendums. We are guided in our work by the Good Friday Agreement, we firmly believe that people should be offered the choice, and that Brexit has altered the nature of these discussions. In our view, we must be ready to ask the constitutional question and let everyone know the consequences of answering it. We can do so much better together on this island.

We have produced several publications to inform these deliberations and have made high-profile public interventions in support of a new and united Ireland. Our successful all-island and international series of public meetings created space for enhanced engagement and allowed us to listen further to the views of the people on the way forward. Our emphasis remains on inclusive dialogue and that we why we continue to insist on the establishment of an all-island citizens' assembly as one part of the necessary preparations.

Our event will, we believe, be another historic moment in the growing campaign for change. We would like to offer you a complimentary ticket and hope that you might consider inviting others. We very much hope you will join us in Dublin on 1 October this year for what will be a day to remember. Please reply to this email, for confirmation and we will forward you a complimentary ticket.

Full details about booking places are available here: <https://www.ticketmaster.ie/irelands-future-presents-together-we-can-tickets/artist/5387345>

You will find more information, including on our events and publication, here: <https://irelandsfuture.com/publications/> and <https://irelandsfuture.com/events/>

If you require any further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Senator Frances Black
Chair, *Ireland's Future*

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Appendix B

22nd September 22 Council Meeting

Approval – Conferences -

Details of Conferences	Service/ Directorate	No. Attending	Cost	Date	Location
Transport Managers Seminar/ Conference	Environment	4	£1,120 + vat	11 th October 22	Belfast
RTPI Planning Conference	Planning	4	£885+ vat	21 st September 22 (retrospective)	Belfast
Centenary Conference 2022 – Shaping our Future Together	Corporate Services/Finance	1	£100+ vat	23 rd September 22	Belfast
NIPSA Conference	Community Devlpt	1	Free	29 TH /30 th September	Newcastle, Co Down
Local Government Strategy Forum	Chief Executive's	1	Travel & Subsistence	1 st & 2 nd November	Cheshire
CIPFA NI Conference	Finance	1	£249+ vat	18 th October	Belfast