

THE FUTURE



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- ▣ STRENGTHS

- ▣ Infrastructure

Water, waste, energy

- ▣ Transport

Road/Rail (NS), Air (3), Ports

- ▣ Education

DKIT/VEC 7 Universities

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- DUNDALK/NEWRY ECONOMIC ZONE
 - Azores agreement Threat/Opportunity
 - Dublin Belfast London/Brussels
 - MOU with Newry and Mourne (Enhance)
 - 2014 regional aid Category 1 status
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- TO ALLOW DUNDALK TO CATCH UP
 - Need to work with all State Agencies, most of which based in town.

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- DUNDALK/NEWRY ECONOMIC ZONE
- Review Pat's recommendation
- Full dual currency area e.g. parking machines
- Rates remission, on NEW entrants (domestic or international)
- Fast track planning
- Tie in with Louth Economic Unit

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- DUNDALK/NEWRY ECONOMIC ZONE
- TO TARGET
- Specific industries, e.g.
 - Pharmaceuticals, Logistics, H.Q.
- Specific time
 - 5 year plan, 10 year in operation, 2025
- Not for relocation

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- DUNDALK/NEWRY ECONOMIC ZONE
- HOW
- Enhance tax allowances within zone
 - Capital allowances (green), R+D
- Not repeat NOT looking for money/timing only

- DKIT
- Link with UK incentives
- Enhance BES and other reliefs

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- DUNDALK/NEWRY ECONOMIC ZONE
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rates decrease, flexible parking, existing rates
remission, Dundalk Economic Forum,
- Caothairleach /vat and initial report
- Louth County Council Future planning
- OPEN DOOR
- MPC / OFFICIALS

- THANK YOU