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1. The Vision

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Vision

Dear All,

Under a new, better NPF + vision the following is possible.

A country for young people that is a model for Europe on being fair, hardworking and welcoming to all.

By 2043, it can be

- a €500bn a year real (MDD) economy
- 7.3m population
 - 3m 18-44 people therefore a young population
- 3.65m homes; EU average (50 homes per 100)
- EU levels of young home ownership (65%, not currently the 33%)
- Job growth of 800k every 10 years rising to 1m jobs from 2033 to 43
 - leading in Tech, leading in climate action
- Finally achieves EU levels of infrastructure
- Vibrant towns + creative city cores and with an outward, positive outlook trading with the world with leadership in sustainable development goals.

Ireland 2040 and the NPF, as it currently stands, is a Plan to Fail. It fails young, fails regions + towns + hinterlands and fails to fulfill the potential of a country has over €330bn cash on deposits, hurtling towards €500bn wealth, but hamstrung through a lack of vision, ambition + robust "plans + policies" that NPF determines.

We've to get the NPF draft far better on ambition, indexing to EU levels in many metrics.

If we don't change the plan, we're planning to fail a whole generation that deserves to see it's communities fulfill it's potential.

Rob

Attachments:

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