

SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE COISTE CHEANTAR AN LARDHEISCIRT

The South Central Area Committee monthly meeting scheduled for, The Member's Room, City Hall, Dublin 2, on Wednesday 9th December 2015 at 3.00pm to deal with the items on the agenda.

AGENDA FOR DECEMBER 2015 MEETING

- 302. Minutes of Meeting held on 18th November 2015.
- 303. Questions to Dublin Chief Executive.
- 304. Roads & Traffic Matters.
 - (i) Minutes of Traffic Advisory Group held on the 24th November 2015 in relation to Traffic Matters in the South Central Area.
 - (ii) Traffic Service Requests, Status Report at 15th November 2015.

305. Housing and Residential Services

(i) Housing Building Programme 2015-2017.

306. South Central Area.

- (i) Allocation of Units at St. Teresa's Gardens.
- (ii) Four nominations sought for the Parks Security Sub Committee.
- (iii) Report on dates and deadlines for 2016 Area Committee Meetings.
- (iv) Naming and Numbering Proposal for development at Lucan Road, Chapelizod, Dublin 20.
- (v) Naming and Numbering Proposal for development in Cherry Orchard, Dublin 10.
- (vi) Gully Cleaning Programme report for the South Central Area.
- (vii) Area Manager's Report.

307. Cultural, Recreation, Amenity and Community Matters.

- (i) Public Library Events for December 2015 South Central Area.
- (ii) Sport and Recreation Report for December 2015 South Central Area.

308. Planning and Economic Development Matters.

(i) Proposed disposal of a site at 118-128 The Coombe, Dublin 8 to Realmside Limited.

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Deferred Motions from the November Area Committee Meeting

291 <u>Councillor Tina MacVeigh's deferred Motion from the November Area</u> Committee meeting

This Area Committee supports the 'Love 30' campaign to reduce traffic speeds for cycler safety.

294 <u>Councillor Tina MacVeigh's deferred Motion from the November Area</u> Committee meeting

Acknowledging the need to develop a vision and a plan that will recreate a village atmosphere in the Dolphins Barn area, that where the opportunity arises, developments are named following local historical events or characters.

In hindsight it would be better to propose a consultative process with residents in the area to determine which local events or characters to commemorate.

298 <u>Councillor Tina MacVeigh's deferred Motion from the November Area</u> Committee meeting

This Area Committee agrees that a plan be developed for our site located at Long's Place in Dublin 8 that will make this space available for use as a community green space and that will involve the local community in its design and upkeep.

301 <u>Councillor Tina MacVeigh's deferred Motion from the November Area</u> <u>Committee meeting</u>

That this Area Committee acknowledges the contribution of the Donore Boxing Club to the local community, especially St. Teresa's Gardens and will actively support the club in their endeavour to expand and secure their existence serving the young people of the local community into the future.

309 Councillor Pat Dunne

That this Area Committee calls upon The Dublin South Central Area Office to support the Donore Boxing Club in its search for additional space and in particular changing facilities for its female members. That this support be given as a temporary measure pending the provision of a new permanent premises under the regeneration scheme.

310 Councillor Daithí Doolan & Councillor Greg Kelly

This Area Committee expresses concern at the Government's proposal to sell Local Authority housing. Monies raised from the sale of council housing must be ring fenced and used to supplement any future social housing building programme.

311 Councillor Bríd Smith

On behalf of parents and children of Educate Together School in Basin Lane, this Area Committee requests that the School Warden Service be extended to cover the opening time of this school. Presently the Warded arrives at 08:30 when school starts at Canal Way ETNS.

312 Councillor Paul Hand and Councillor Vincent Jackson

That the South Central Area Committee supports the provision of a heritage panel for Chapelizod Village, with the design approved by the Chapelizod Heritage Society. Furthermore we request the Area Manager to allocate resources for this project as soon as possible.

313 Councillor Ray McHugh

This Area Committee agrees that one or two weeks before Halloween next year, a Saturday will be allocated to residents who want to get rid of material that otherwise could be used for bonfires, and a site is identified where residents could bring this material and dispose of it for Free.

314 Councillor Catherine Ardagh

To call on the Area Manager to request more of a Garda presence in the Mourne Road/ Drimnagh area as there has been a spate of car windows being smashed.

315 Councillor Greg Kelly

This Area Committee supports nurses in their decision to take Industrial Action in protest against chronic overcrowding and lack of resources at A&E's.

316 Councillor Bríd Smith

This Area Committee calls on management to issue a protocol on the future development of modular housing to include local consultation with the area committees and the local residents, report on services and supports to be provided to the families moving into the modular housing, report on the length of time that such housing will remain in use and on the maintenance of same. We call on the housing section to keep all councillors fully informed on developments in respect of modular housing in their area.

317 Councillor Paul Hand

That this Area Committee supports proposals to establish a memorial garden in Bluebell in 2016 in memory of all who have died tragically and suddenly and to be located at a suitable site after public consultation.

It is considered the planting of a tree in the locality may be a suitable memorial. The families of the deceased should contact the Area Office in Eblana House to discuss this matter in greater detail.

318 Councillor Ray McHugh

This Area Committee agrees that Dublin City Council remove all runners from overhead cables, so as not to facilitate or identify where the sale of illegal Drugs are in an area.

319 Councillor Catherine Ardagh

To ask the Area Manager to write to the Minister for Education to address the inequality in DEIS Schools, where in Dublin South Central we have a large proportion. The cuts in education since 2010 have disproportionately and adversely affected DEIS schools. The 15% cut to capitation mean that the running costs are increasingly difficult to manage. The schools are already catering for disadvantaged children and the cuts are making it harder for education providers to complete their role.

320 Councillor Greg Kelly

This Area Committee supports the Irish Appeal, and the wider international campaign, 'Free Otegi, Free Them All'. The campaign calls for the immediate release from prison of Basque political leader Arnaldo Otegi, and an end to the Spanish government's prisoner dispersal policy, which causes unnecessary hardship to prisoners' families and friends.

The 'Free Otegi, Free Them All' campaign has been endorsed by, amongst others, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate Archbishop Desmond Tutu and former Mayor of London Ken Livingstone.

Further, this Area Committee considers dialogue to be a key element in securing a just and lasting peace in the Basque Country, and therefore calls on the Spanish government to acknowledge the changed political dynamics there, including ETA's October 2011 declaration ending its armed activity, by entering into a process of dialogue regarding the causes and potential resolutions of the conflict"

321 Councillor Bríd Smith

This Area Committee calls on management to repair the fire damage to Kylemore Park playground in recent weeks without delay.

322 Councillor Paul Hand

That this Area Committee supports proposals for an outdoor gym in Grattan Crescent Park, Inchicore. To this end we would request that an application for sports capital funding in 2016 be made to fund this project.

323 <u>Councillor Greg Kelly</u>

This Area Committee calls for an interview panel to be compiled as a matter of urgency and that the 2 vacancies that has arisen for project managers in the Bluebell/ Inchicore area and SWIC to be filled in the quickest possible time.

324 Councillor Bríd Smith

This Area Committee calls on management to seek funding to enhance the park opposite Cedar Brook so as to protect it from use by off road vehicles. A plan for same has already been drafted and now requires funding.

325 Councillor Bríd Smith

This Area Committee calls on management to investigate a buy back of the wasted land at the corner of Raheen Park that is now fenced in and is causing a danger and a nuisance to the local community. This land could be used to build a house, badly needed in the area.