



**SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
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The South Central Area Committee monthly meeting scheduled for, The Member's Room, City Hall, Dublin 2, on Wednesday 17th February 2016 at 3.00pm to deal with the items on the agenda.

AGENDA FOR FEBRUARY 2016 MEETING

- 339. Minutes of Meeting held on 20th January 2016.**
- 340. Questions to Dublin Chief Executive.**
- 341. Roads & Traffic Matters.**
- (i) Minutes of Traffic Advisory Group held on the 26th January 2016 in relation to Traffic Matters in the South Central Area.
 - (ii) Traffic Service Requests, Status Report at 15th January 2016.
- 342. South Central Area.**
- (i) Report on the Proposed Part VIII for an extension to the Multi Use Hall in Cherry Orchard Centre, Cherry Orchard, Dublin 10.
 - (ii) Report on the Team Dublin Clean up.
 - (iii) Report on the Discretionary Fund Spend for the South Central Area.
 - (iv) Gully Cleaning Programme report for the South Central Area.
 - (v) Area Manager's Report.
- 343. Housing & Residential Services**
- (i) Housing Allocations Report January 2016.
- 344. Cultural, Recreation, Amenity and Community Matters.**
- (i) Public Library Events for February 2016 – South Central Area.
 - (ii) Sport and Recreation Report for February 2016 – South Central Area
 - (iii) Report on Community Grants Scheme for the South Central Area.
- 345. Planning and Economic Development Matters.**
- (i) Planning Enforcement Report.
 - (ii) Proposed Disposal of Properties at 17-18 Thomas Street and 9 Thomas Street to the Digital Hub Development Agency (DHDA).
 - (iii) Proposed exchange of land with the ESB at St. Teresa's Gardens, Dublin 8.

- (iv) Proposed disposal of a site 32 New Market, The Coombe, Dublin 8.
- (v) Proposed grant of a lease of part of the premises known as Ashgrove Community Centre, The Coombe, Dublin 8.

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346 An tArdmhéara Críona Ní Dhlálaigh, Councillor Tina MacVeigh & Councillor Rebecca Moynihan

That this Area Committee support the local campaign to have a Dublinbikes station in the vicinity of Griffith College, on South Circular Road and requests a plan from the Assistant Chief Executive of the Planning Department setting out an implementation plan to begin immediately as well as costing? There is a huge demand locally for this but in particular from the student body and staff of Griffith College – 2,000 full time and 3,000 part time students and over 664 students living on campus and all rely on public transport to get around the city. In addition to this, the wider area of this part of SCR, extending northwards to the Tenters, Warrenmount, and Blackpitts areas, westwards towards Dolphin's Barn, and southwards towards Harold's Cross/Clogher Road comprise a dense residential environment. Many parents of the school children attending Griffith Barracks Multi-Denominational National School and St Catherine's National Schools, as well as the South Circular Road Islamic Foundation of Ireland centre, would benefit from the provision of a Dublinbikes Station in this area, as they could cycle to places of work following drop-off of children at the schools, and indeed could cycle to collect children after school finishes. A Dublinbikes station here would assist DCC in meeting its strategic policies and objectives with regard to facilitating modal shift away from the private car, enhancement of cycling facilities in the city, and facilitating the provision of high density cycle parking facilities.