



**NOTIFICATION TO ATTEND MEETING OF THE SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE  
TO BE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, DAME STREET, DUBLIN 2.  
ON WEDNESDAY 20 JUNE 2018 AT 2.30 PM**

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**DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL**  
**SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE**  
**20th June 2018**

**602 Cllr. Críona Ní Dhálaigh**

That the Area Manager carry out an audit of vacant units belonging to DCC in the Dublin South Central Area. There is a huge demand for premises particularly in the South West Inner City area for community/voluntary/charitable organisations who cannot afford the increasing rents in the area. Some organisations such as SOLAS will cease to function in the area at a huge loss to the youth of our area. Shannon's Hopeline which delivers much needed suicide prevention training and counselling have for years been trying (unsuccessfully) to source affordable units in order for them to continue and expand their valuable services. The loss of Carman's Hall was a huge blow as it provided very reasonable rooms for rent for dancers, majorettes, musicians, after schools clubs. Could the Manager please report on the following units in particular:-

- The Old School in School Street
- The large ground floor space at Eblana House
- Bridgefoot Street (Usher's Island)
- The Coombe (80)

**603 Cllr. Vincent Jackson**

Can Dublin City Council facilitate the closure of Chapelizod on the Sunday of the Chapelizod Festival, 1<sup>st</sup> July, to allow a safe non traffic environment for 4 to 6 hours. This can be done for road-races, concerts etc. Now it's our chance to support the local residents who will supply stewards, barriers, music etc.

**604 Cllr. Michael Mullooly**

This Area Committee asks the Area Manager to carry out an audit of street/road signs in the Crumlin Kimmage area with a view to a work programme to repair, reinstate and replace damaged and missing signs.

**605 Cllr. Greg Kelly**

This Area Committee calls on Senator Ronan Mullen to resign his seat in the Seanad with immediate effect for the disgraceful remarks he made in relation to Mental Health during the referendum. On the 24<sup>th</sup> May on a live debate, Senator Mullen stated "Mental Health has no evidence base" this has caused a lot of hurt to individuals and families who have seen the pain that mental health can cause. For a member of the Seanad to make this remark is a disgrace and they should not hold a seat in Leinster House.

**606 Cllr. Daithí Doolan**

This Area Committee notes the great work being done by the Cherry Orchard Running Club and this committee commits to providing funding, if available, to support the work of the club from the South Central Area Committee's Discretionary Fund for 2019.

**607 Cllr. Hazel de Nortúin**

This Area Committee fully supports the campaign for a Gaelscoil in

Ballyfermot. If lands are to become available, particularly zoned for educational purpose, that this Council allocate a portion of this land for the purpose of a Gaelscoil.

**608 Cllr. Ray McHugh**

This Area Committee agrees in light of the Industrial dispute between workers at Xylem Water Solutions for Union recognition, this Committee agrees to call on Dublin City Council and all Councils, to put the necessary measures in place to deal with non compliant contractors. Currently there is public sector agreements in existence but are not enforced in any way by Dublin City Council.

**609 Cllr. Criona Ní Dhálaigh**

That this Area Committee support the calls for the VAT to be removed from sun protection products. These products are not luxury items and given the increase in skin cancer cases in Ireland it is vital that sun protection products are affordable. We also call on the relevant Ministers to act immediately to address this.

**610 Cllr. Vincent Jackson**

In relation to the recent series of Forbidden Fruits concerts in the grounds of the Royal Hospital Kilmainham, Dublin 8, I wish to point out if these concerts are to be facilitated at this location the following must be looked at:- security and traffic noise levels. Residents have told me they were prisoners in their own homes for a week when the concerts were taking place. Alternative entrances are available into the Royal Hospital and these need to be looked at, in line with meeting representatives, for the local residents who have to live with the consequences of DCC events division giving the go-ahead. One of those affected would love to explain at firsthand what was happening and have filmed people crossing the Camac River to pass security etc.

**611 Cllr. Michael Mullooly**

This Area Committee condemns the decision by the Department of Education to exclude Dublin 8 and Dublin 12 from the catchment area of the proposed co-educational, multi-denominational Post Primary School in Harold's Cross.

**612 Cllr. Greg Kelly**

This Area Committee commends the Argentina Football team who refused to play a friendly game against Israel. This we hope will be followed by other countries and asks the FAI not to arrange any games against Israel in the future. This Area Committee asks that a letter be sent to the Argentina Ambassador to Ireland thanking them on behalf of the Area and to wish them good luck in the World Cup.

**613 Cllr. Vincent Jackson**

That Dublin City Council give consideration to the Cherry Orchard Running Club to come in and make a presentation in September 2018, with a view to supporting this project with a part-time coach in order to allow the group to grow. Cllrs. Norton, Doolan and myself recently met a large group from the club and heard at first hand the wonderful experience running was having on their body and soul.

**614 Cllr. Vincent Jackson**

That Dublin City Council take full responsibility for the daily cleansing of the front of the Ballyfermot Leisure Centre at the Lawns Park / Blackditch

Road, Ballyfermot, Dublin 10. I cannot understand why this area is not in charge of the Leisure Centre. We have spent 10's of millions of euro on the development of Sport and Youth facilities and almost on a daily basis the area is in disgraceful state. A staff member needs to have this task incorporated into his / her tasks and twice a day it needs cleansing. If any other business left the area in the state I regularly see the area left they would be prosecuted by Waste Management Services. I am well aware there are ongoing difficulties at this location, however someone needs to take responsibility for same.