



**FÓGRA FREASTAIL DO CHRUINIÚ SPEISIALTA NA COMHAIRLE
I SEOMRA NA COMHAIRLE, HALLA NA CATHRACH, CNOC CHORCAÍ,
DE LUAIN, ar 24 MEÁN FOMHAIR 2018 **AG 6.15 PM****

**NOTIFICATION TO ATTEND A SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL
TO BE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, DAME STREET, DUBLIN 2.,
ON MONDAY 24 SEPTEMBER 2018 AT **6.15 PM****

Do Gach Ball den Chomhairle.

A Chara,

Iarrtar ort a bheith I láthair ag **Cruinniú Speisialta** de Chomhairle Cathrach Bhaile Átha Cliath a thionólfar i **Seomra na Comhairle, Halla na Cathrach, Cnoc Chorcaí, ar 24 Meán Fomhair 2018 ag 6.15 pm** chun an ghnó seo leanas a phlé agus gach is gá i dtaca leis a dhéanamh, nó a chur a dhéanamh, nó a ordú a dhéanamh:-

Silent Prayer/Reflection

1 Motion for Consideration at the Special Meeting on Housing:

Dublin City Council notes that:

- Access to secure and affordable housing is increasingly out of reach for many people
- From the locked out generation of students and young workers or unemployed people to older workers facing into retirement, high cost insecure accommodation is a reality for too many people
- The failure of government to provide an adequate supply of good quality public housing in sustainable communities lies at the heart of the housing crisis
- The most graphic symptom of this crisis is the growing number of children living in emergency accommodation
- A new approach to housing is required to meet the housing needs of all those locked out of the private market including young people, those on modest incomes, those on low pensions, those on Council waiting lists, travellers, people with disabilities, older people and students
- Important proposals to address the Housing Crisis have been put forward by a wide variety of groups including the National Housing and Homeless Coalition and the Irish Congress of Trade Unions

Dublin City Council therefore calls on the current government, ahead of Budget 2019, to:

- Declare the housing and homeless crisis an emergency
- Dramatically increase the supply of public, affordable housing, including publicly-provided cost rental housing, by increasing capital spending on housing to at least €2.3bn in budget 2019
- Build public housing on public land; and aggressively target the return of vacant houses to active use
- Reduce the flow of adults and children into homelessness with emergency legislation to make it illegal to evict anybody into homelessness
- Hold a referendum to enshrine the right to public housing in the Constitution

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17 Meán Fomhair 2018