



**NOTIFICATION TO ATTEND MEETING OF THE SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
TO BE HELD IN EBLANA HOUSE, MARROWBONE LANE, DUBLIN 8
ON WEDNESDAY 19TH JULY, 2023 AT 3 P.M.**

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DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
19th July 2023

M262 Councillor Michael Pidgeon

That this area committee writes to the Minister of Education, seeking an additional secondary school for Dublin 8.

There are only enough secondary school spaces for one in three children finishing primary school in Dublin 8. In 2021, there were 17 primary schools with 3,421 pupils, but only 1,022 secondary pupils.

In Dublin 4, there is a ratio of 13 people to every 1 secondary school place. In Dublin 8, that jumps to 39.

There are currently five secondary schools in Dublin 8: all religious, all teaching through English. Just over half (53%) of people in Dublin City Council are Catholic, with nearly a quarter non-religious (23%).

This area committee requests (a) improved funding for the existing secondary schools in the area and (b) a new, mixed, non-denominational school, perhaps at a location such as the old SIPTU College on the South Circular Road.

We also ask that the Minister, or her school planning team, meet with local representatives and parents.

M263 Councillor Daithí Doolan

This committee takes the opportunity to congratulate Dublin City Council, community groups, youth services and residents associations for the great success of both the Drimnagh Summer Festival and the Ballyfermot-Cherry Orchard Arts Festival.

M264 Councillor Máire Devine

The loss of the Tivoli Theatre and other cultural spaces is keenly felt by the Dublin 8 community. The Rupert Guinness Theatre on Watling St has been lying empty over 20 years. It would be an amazing asset for Dublin to get this fabulous building refurbished and brought back to life. This Committee requests that DCC commence engagement with Diageo and reach agreement for a renewed cultural space to serve the Liberties and the city.

M265 Councillor Máire Devine

Yet again this committee demands that the Iveagh Market's essential stabilising works be commenced immediately. That the Francis Street doors be opened at agreed times to allow public visibility (behind the locked gates so there is no issue re health and safety) and that the tender package be inspected by interested parties and fast tracked with the urgency that the fragility of the building requires.

M266 Councillor Máire Devine

That this committee welcome the recent safety report on Robinsons Court compiled by AGS. The overdue installation of gates is recommended but somewhat vague. We request a more thorough technical report that demonstrates how this will be achieved and timeline for these works be provided.

M267 Councillor Máire Devine

This Committee agree to inviting senior pupils and their teacher from Inchicore National School to present to members in the late Autumn.

M268 Councillors Vincent Jackson and Máire Devine

That the South Central Area Committee Councillors are in agreement of the appeal to An Bord Pleanála against DCC decision to include this fine manufacturing facility as a RZLT and the subsequent annual cost this will impose on the Botany Weaving Mill on Emerald Square Cork Street, Dublin 8, that this imposition will make the facility unsustainable leaving 75 jobs in the balance and threatening the future of two additional mills in the Republic. It is the intention of the local Councillors to look for a variation of the Dublin City Development Plan at the earliest opportunity. The retention and sustainability of viable employment opportunities must be retained within our City.

M269 Councillor Vincent Jackson

That Dublin City Council look at the current Housing List to streamline the number in operation. The current situation leaves people languishing at the top of the list without any real understanding of why they are never offered anything and indeed go down the list. Accepting we have a serious housing crisis, people waiting for many years seeing developments we have supported not getting a look in calls into question these multiple lists.

M270 Councillor Vincent Jackson

That Dublin City Council please again look at our policy **not to spray** weeds within our communities at street verges, footpaths etc. We are letting our communities down no end and whilst not wanting to spray with dangerous chemicals, we need a balance as we are losing our communities support. All people see are weeds from road side kerbs, verges small grassed areas outside homes needing to be cut but DCC as it is ruining any chance of getting people involved in clean-up's etc. as the weeds are a never ending battle. Other Local authorities are still spraying at these important visual locations which trap litter, waste etc.

Derek Kelly

Director of Services South Central

12th July, 2023



**MINUTES OF THE SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD ON WEDNESDAY 21ST JUNE, 2023 VIA HYBRID MEETING
IN EBLANA HOUSE, MARROWBONE LANE, DUBLIN 8**

- 1 Minutes of meeting held 17th May, 2023**
Order: Agreed.
- 2 Questions to the Director of Services South Central**
Order: Replies to Questions and the Director of Services report circulated.
- 3 Environment and Transportation Matters**
 1. Minutes of the Traffic Advisory Group held on the 30/05/23 in relation to Traffic Matters in the South Central Area.
 2. Traffic Service Requests Status Reports at 15/05/23.
Order: 1. Report noted.
2. Reports noted.
- 4 South Central Area Matters**
 1. Part 8 Notification, New Library for Crumlin/Drimnagh. For information purposes only.
 2. Presentation from Teneo re Dublin City Sports Plan 2023 - 2028
 3. Naming proposal for a new development – Planning ref: SHD0011/22Sub02, located at: The grounds of the former De La Salle National School, Ballyfermot Road, Ballyfermot, Dublin 10 (ABP-313320 22)
 4. Naming proposal for a new development – Planning ref: 2725-21: Located at the Former Fodhla Printing Works site, Brookfield Road, Kilmainham, Dublin 8
 5. Naming proposal for a new development – Planning ref: 2654/20: Located at 24-25 Blackpitts, Dublin 8.
 6. Director of Services Report.
Order: 1. Noted.
2. Presentation given by Donncha Ó'Dúlaing. Presentation Noted.
3. Deferred.
4. Agreed.
5. Agreed.
6. Report Noted.
- 5 Culture, Recreation & Economic Matters**
 1. Sports and Recreation Report for June 2023 South Central Area.
Order: Report noted.

6 Emergency Motions
The order of business was suspended to deal with the following Emergency Motion:

Emergency Motion 1

This Area Committee expresses deep concern at yesterday's flooding in Drimnagh and the surrounding areas. This Area Committee agrees to investigate the causes of the flooding and what solutions will be put in place to ensure this does not happen again. This report and action plan will be presented to members at the September meeting.

Cllrs. Daithí Doolan and Daithí De Róiste

Order: Agreed.

7 June 2023 Motions

DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
21st June 2023

M252 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin

That the Local Area Office in Ballyfermot and all relevant sections will look at an environmental plan for Kylemore Road. The grass areas on both sides of the road could be linked in with the environmental plan and flower display that's on the roundabout at Kylemore. This is a key entry point into Ballyfermot and could be far more effective in its display of the area.

Order: Report Noted.

M253 Councillor Daithí Doolan

That Dublin City Council give an update on progress made with the development of Brickfield Park dressing rooms and to ask management to give further updates every three months.

Order: Agreed.

M254 Councillor Daithí Doolan

This Area Committee expresses deep concern at reports of apartments in Davitt Road apartments are subject to illegal short term letting. This is contrary to the original planning permission and only serves to further deepen the housing crisis.

This Area Committee asks that Dublin City Council investigates the matter fully and a report is made available at the next South Central Area Committee meeting outlining what action is to be taken.

Order: Report Noted.

M255 Councillor Daithí Doolan

In light of the serious traffic congestion on Galtymore Road, between the junction of Carrow Road and Galtymore Road and the junction of Galtymore Road and Benbulbin Road will DCC implement agreed traffic calming as a matter of urgency so as to remove any further threats to the 123 bus service along Galtymore Road.

Order: Report Noted.

M256 Councillor Vincent Jackson

That Dublin City Council consider the installation of an all-weather football pitch at the Tarmac surface on Drumfinn Road Ballyfermot Dublin 10. The Ballyfermot Youth Reach have approached me looking to see if DCC could do this work and they would help manage the facility during the days as there centre is adjacent to the open space. I am very confident a number of sports groups would be delighted to get involved in the operation and management if consideration could be given to enhancing this facility.

Order: Report Noted.

M257 Councillor Vincent Jackson

That Dublin City Council please look into providing a pedestrian / Zebra Crossing from Blackditch Road Ballyfermot near the junction with Le Fanu Road Ballyfermot Dublin 10. The new skate-board park / playground is used by thousands of children and youth on a weekly basis. The road is very busy here with traffic movements and many near accidents have happened. I am asking this be looked at as a priority.

Order: Report Noted.

M258 Councillor Vincent Jackson

That TAG be asked to look at the installation of yellow lines at the Junctions of Gurteen Avenue, Ballyfermot Dublin 10 and Drumfinn Avenue. Residents are having a very difficult time with some people parking directly on the bend leaving cars exiting Gurteen Avenue having to move half way out onto the road to check if there is ongoing traffic coming along. It is an accident waiting to happen.

Order: Report Noted.

M259 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask Traffic Department to urgently find a solution to remove road blockages in Drimnagh to avoid having buses waiting for road clearance. That DCC agreed in principle with bus drivers' Union and Dublin Bus to take all necessary measures to solve the situation at the moment has a negative impacts on working conditions and bus users. In the long term with all the new apartment complexes being built in the area, I would ask DCC to demonstrate to us and to the residents how traffic will be managed. One way streets have been proposed for years to solve some of the issues and nothing has been changed.

Order: Report Noted.

M260 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

Construction on the De La Salle site on Ballyfermot Road in Ballyfermot has commenced with some 27 breaches of pre-commencement conditions. Residents have never received any communication from the developer Dwyer Nolan. Dust is blowing everywhere out of control, entering homes, cars being covered with a thick layer of dust on a daily basis and no arrangement for car wash and house window cleaning from the developer to compensate the residents. Report of work starting before 7 am in the morning, road cleaning happening only on the side of the site creating muck almost covering yellow lines on the opposite side. I am urging Planning enforcement to solve all of the pre-commencement conditions as soon as possible. I am asking that the developer provide a

contact person to liaise with the residents and that window cleaning be done for the residents at the cost of the developer and that vouchers are given to residents with vehicles.

Order: Report Noted.

M261 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

That DCC Housing Department liaise with Tuath and Havitat management at the Davitt Road Apartments to make sure the Part V tenants living there who were on Dublin City Council housing lists have full access to the playground and all facilities within the complex as soon as possible.

Order: Report Noted.

Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

Chairperson

Wednesday 21st June 2023

Attendance

Members:

Sophie Nicoullaud (Chairperson)
Daithí Doolan
Hazel De Nortúin
Deirdre Cronin
Vincent Jackson

Members:

Michael Pidgeon (Vice Chair)
Darragh Moriarty
Daithí De Róiste
Michael Watters

Cllr. Mannix Flynn, South East Area was also in attendance

Apologies:

Councillor Máire Devine

Officers:

Derek Kelly, Director of Services South Central Area;
Bruce Phillips, Local Area Manager, SWIC;
Alan Sherry, Local Area Manager, Ballyfermot Area Office;
Brendan Teeling, Deputy City Librarian, Dublin City Libraries;
Alison Lyons, Divisional Librarian, Dublin City Libraries;
Donncha Ó'Dúlaing, Senior Executive Officer, Sports & Recreation Services;
Máire Nic Reamoinn, Assistant Engineer, Environment & Transportation;
Neil O'Donogue, Executive Engineer, Environment & Transportation;
Bríd Brosnan, A/Senior Executive Parks Superintendent, Parks & Landscape Services;
Gabrielle Malone, Senior Staff Officer, South Central Area;
David Quearney, A/Staff Officer, South Central Area;
Nicola O'Kelly, Staff Officer, South Central Area;



**Director of Services Report
South Central Area Committee Meeting
21st June, 2023**



SOUTH WEST INNER CITY ELECTORAL AREA

Public Realm & Capital Programme

Francis Street: A suite of planters with trees have been installed on Francis Street and Dean Street, completing the landscaping element of the Francis Street Environmental Improvement Scheme. In total, 33 trees and a variety of planted areas offering year-round colour have been added to the street.

Dolphin's Barn: Landscaping work is now largely completed at Dolphin's Barn, adding a Sustainable Drainage System (SUDS) planted area with trees, tree planters, seating and cycle parking. The Area Office is currently awaiting Transportation Section's assistance on the second element of this project to reduce guardrails and improve signs and markings.

Cork Street & St Luke's Avenue: Tree planters and a number of seasonal bedding planters have been installed on Cork Street, making a marked visual improvement to the street. A proposal to add greenery to the long wall at St Luke's Avenue/ Weaver Street will be implemented later in the summer.

Bridgefoot Street Park: A new café has opened in the park. The Mug Shot Café is being run by PACE social enterprise.

St James's Walk Linear Park: Phase II works continue. It's expected the refurbished east end of the park will reopen in late July/August.

Kilmainham to Thomas Street Cycle Route Suir Road to Thomas Street Interim Scheme June Update

The scheme is seeking approval for delivery as planning exempted development under Section 38 of the Roads Act.

The Active Travel Programme Office (ACTPRO) are confident of receiving this approval in the very near future which will allow publication of the completed public consultation report and the construction procurement process to begin.

The ACTPRO have been finalising the detailed design / construction pack and continue to engage internally with the appropriate teams with a view to begin delivery of the section of the Route from Rialto Bridge to Marrowbone Lane at Summer Street South during the summer months this year.

The Thomas Court, James Linear Park and Suir Road Junction elements of the Interim Scheme will be delivered in a second phase later in the year.

Design consultants have been appointed and continue to work through the project life cycle for the more permanent scheme to follow during or post 2024 which will ultimately link the scheme to Kilmainham.

Grand Canal Premium Cycle Route - Portobello to Blackhorse Bridge

The Grand Canal Greenway (Blackhorse to Portobello) is currently at the Concept Development and Options Selection Phase. The Active Travel Programme Office (ACTPRO) had identified this project as a priority project for the ACTPRO design office. The ACTPRO design office is expected to begin work in Q3 2023. The Strategic Assessment Report is being finalised and is expected to be submitted to the NTA for approval by the end of June 2023.



Economic Development

Shopfront Improvement Scheme 2023 SWIC: 20 project applications were received and are being supported by this year's scheme across SWIC.

Inchicore Library Building

A Condition Survey of the former Library Building, Emmet Road, Inchicore, Dublin 8 is now complete. The report will be examined in detail before a plan is prepared and made available to Councillors and other stakeholders. Access to the building will be considered as part of future proposals.

Kilmainham Inchicore Network - next meeting 19th June 5.30pm, 6 Tyrconnell Road (postponed from 29th May)

KIN Strategic Planning Process

Revised draft KIN Vision and Strategic Plan overview presented at April KIN meeting and circulated to members for feedback agreement, acceptance and implementation from 19th June 2023 meeting.

Bus Connects Route 7 – Liffey Valley to City Centre.

An Bord Pleanála wrote to KIN re the response from NTA to KIN's submission on this route. KIN have until 5th July 2023 to respond. A draft is currently being prepared and will be circulated to members for their consideration and comments.

Inchicore Regeneration Consultative Forum – next meeting Monday 19th June 7pm (postponed from 29th May 2023). 6 Tyrconnell Road.

The decision deadline on the Emmet Road Development planning application to An Bord Pleanála of 11th April has expired and DCC have no further update from An Bord Pleanála in relation to a revised date.

IRCF Education Subcommittee meeting Friday May 12th at Mercy Secondary School Reviewed previous meeting (Nov 2019) and discussed what has changed. Nominations for Chair of IRCF Education Subcommittee requested – Michelle O'Kelly will stay in the role. Next meeting scheduled: Thursday 24 Aug 2023 10.30am, Mercy Secondary School.

Community of Practice Shared Learning Experience Regeneration 4th Event

Thursday 29th June at 9.15am, F2 Centre.

The purpose of the session on Thursday 29th June is two-fold;

- To review progress in implementing all the agreed actions
- To collectively engage with a presentation from Professor Pdraic Kenna in which he seeks to clarify and set out the steps involved in the regeneration of Local Authority and surrounding areas in an Irish context. It summarises government guidance and highlights the stages where community input can be most effective.



Housing

Oliver Bond Regeneration

Local area Office met with Oliver Bond Celtic - We are awaiting a proposal to be made by them to host a 5-A-Side event on the pitch in the complex.

The Estate management Team are working in conjunction with our Community Section and the Residents Committee to hold three events over the course of the summer in three separate areas of the complex, to improve community development and interaction and also to deter Anti-social behavior.

The Project Estate Officer carried out an age profile report on the youths of the complex so events arranged could be geared towards all relevant ages.

We have engaged the Try Project and Solas Project to seek their assistance in dealing with the youths who are engaging in serious Anti-social behavior.

Choice Based Lettings: Four of the five units that were offered and viewed have been accepted by selected applicants.

Bonham Street Volumetric

It is envisaged that units will be ready to let Q3 2023. DCC have designated a Project Officer (Eric Brennan) to engage with residents. eric.brennan@dublincity.ie

Basin Street

The proposed variation of rezoning the Basin View Site was passed on 12th June 2023 by our Elected Representative, the variation will go out to public consultation which will run for a four week period.

We are in the process of rolling out the Building Community Resilience Project and interviews of all professional stakeholders is near completion, next step will be interviewing the community.

The SWIC public safety meeting was held 14/06/2023 in St James Primary School in Basin Street. It is the first time in many years that the meeting was held nearer to Basin Street and there was a positive and successful turn out.

Mary Aikenhead

Works are reaching completion on the new bin chambers for the complex.

The local Area Office has begun the process of setting up a residents committee in Mary Aikenhead House.

Tyrone Place

A property for the Project Estate Officers Clinic still has not been sourced after discussions with the local family resource services, who use the community rooms in the complex. However the discussions are ongoing for use as a temporary measure.



Islandbridge Court

A new residents committee has been established in the complex. We have also a unit selected to hold weekly clinics which will cater for Islandbridge/Memorial Courts and also Sarah Place. These clinics should commence in the coming weeks.

Dolphin House Regeneration

The Dolphin House Regeneration Masterplan was approved on the 4th Feb 2021 by the Dolphin House Regeneration Board. We are progressing the masterplan in conjunction with the Dolphin House Regeneration Board and the Dolphin House Community.

Regeneration Board

The Regeneration Board have been advised of revised timeline for the masterplan which will reduce the delivery of Phase 2.

Phase 1B to proceed for planning permission in July. The Housing Delivery Manager and the Area Housing Manager will meet with the residents who are opposed to this ahead of submission.

De-tenanting

Three families relocated to Block F Herberton. Thirteen families remaining. The Area Housing Manager and the Project Estate Officer met with the remaining tenants of the long block who have a de-tenanting priority.

Interim Playground Facilities

The new playground and additional surface works have been completed. Date to be agreed for official opening. Dog Wardens have been contacted informing them of the situation of dog fouling. Signage has been erected. Bins due to be installed in June. Safety Barrier to be installed outside of the bollards at the entrance – agreed with Santry steel.

Double Yellow Lines completed.

Old Football Pitch Site

Inspections carried out and quotes received to enhance and upgrade the area. Public Lighting are investigating the reinstatement of the floodlighting. – Quotes for upgrading received – consultation processes still ongoing. Housing Delivery Manager & Area Housing Manager to meet with Regeneration Board Co-ordinator Thursday June 15th June to progress.

Community Centre

Fire Safety Audit commenced – awaiting report.

A number of upgrading works & repairs have commenced to include roof repairs, gutter replacement, boiler upgrade and electrics repaired in the home work club.

Quotes for further works to include ramps, handrails and fire doors received.

Painting of Complex

The foreman has advised they are off site for the moment due to the weather. They are working on internal jobs for now. They have completed the painting of the railings along the canal. Painting crew back onsite and they will complete the painting of all the railings and also have the hoist onsite to paint the balcony walls. – No change on this – still on schedule.



St Teresa's Gardens Development Site

On-going reports of anti-social behavior on the site, teenagers accessing the units above Donore Boxing Club – Area Housing Manager met with the Project Manager Martin Donlon on-site on the 16th May and it has been agreed that all windows in the units in the front block will be secured. Housing maintenance will complete this over the coming weeks. Ongoing dumping in and around the site. Project Estate Officer has implemented a regular cleaning programme. Housing Delivery Manager Laura O Gorman has confirmed that the demolition will be carried out in two phases and is likely to commence Quarter 4.

Margaret Kennedy Road/Court

The Area Office have engaged a specialist door company to assess the front door of Margaret Kennedy Court. On-site meeting took place on Tuesday 16th May with Housing Manager and Housing Maintenance to discuss alternative options for access to Margaret Kennedy Court. Housing Maintenance have agreed to cover the cost and arrange installation.

Two 3 bed properties currently secured on Mary Kennedy Road, one threat to life, one serious ASB. Alternative accommodation has been secured for the threat to life case and the property has been recovered. These properties will in due course be advertised through CBL.

Cork Street / Chamber St Volumetric - 55 Units

Current Estimated Completion of scheme - end of Q2 2023

It is anticipated that these units will be allocated under CBL.

An on-site meeting took place between DCC and residents of Oscar Square to address concerns raised about the installation of the ESB access gates installed at the boundary of the development in Oscar Square. Residents believe these gates will become a magnet for ASB and youths entering the new development. Residents requested that a metal sheet be installed on these gates so they cannot be used as a climbing frame. DCC design team have agreed to liaise with the ESB & Sisk to find a solution, advised this could take a number of months.

DCC have designated a community liaison (Laura Kenny) to engage with residents.

Laura can be contacted at laura.kenny@dublincity.ie

Reuben/Herberton

The Project Estate Officer has started a drop in clinic in the F2 Centre. This is for locals who have any housing or maintenance queries that they wish to have dealt with. This clinic operates one day a week from 10.00am -12.00 noon.

Herberton 39 units Part V.

On-going remedial works -28 of the 39 units have been allocated – selections for all units are completed.



Ash Grove

Funding of €5,000 has been allocated for improvement works, to include cleaning and planting. Awaiting quotes.

Allocations - SWIC 2023 - 39 units allocated to date.

COMMUNITY

Blooming Lovely

A large range of pollinator friendly plants have been distributed to residents groups and organisations throughout the SWIC this last few days.

Attractive containers and fully planted barrels have also been installed in various areas including:

Clanbrassil Close, Bridgefoot Street, Sarah Place and Mount Shannon Lane.

Bloomsday in the Tenters

On Friday 16th June local residents from the Tenters area were invited to don their hats and come along to the unveiling of Boulevard Bloom, aka Cow Parlour.

Actor Michael Judd did a reading from Ulysses in addition to musical performances by Gerry Noonan (Baritone) and Pauline Cooper (pianist).

Children participated from local schools including: Scoil Treasa Naofa, St Catherines NS and Warrenmount.

Bloomsday on the Barn

The return of the annual tribute to all things Joycean will once again take place on Sunday 18th June at Dolphins Barn

This event will feature readings, music and songs by James Joyce and other Irish writers, all performed by professional actors and musicians.

This event will commence at 2pm

Summer Activities

The SWIC community development team are supporting 13 Summer Activities Programmes throughout the area. These will include both voluntary and non-voluntary Summer Projects.

Afternoon Tea dance

Our Highly Successful Afternoon Tea Dances continue into the Summer Season.

The next event will take place in St Andrews Community Centre on Monday 19th June.

A Summer Night's Musical Event

A Summer Night's Musical event will take place in the garden of St Andrews Community Centre.

Featuring: The Ritz Brothers Pop – Up Summer Songs

This event will take place on Thursday 29th June at 8pm Sharp!



Weaving in the Liberties

The Liberties Weavers have been nominated for this year's IPB all Ireland Pride of Place Awards.

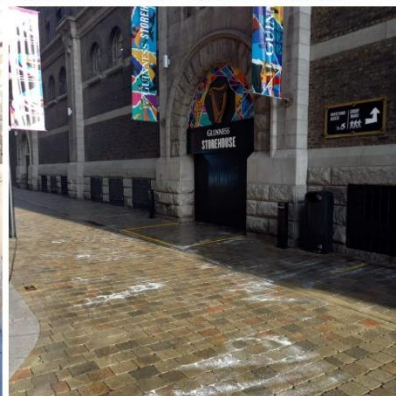
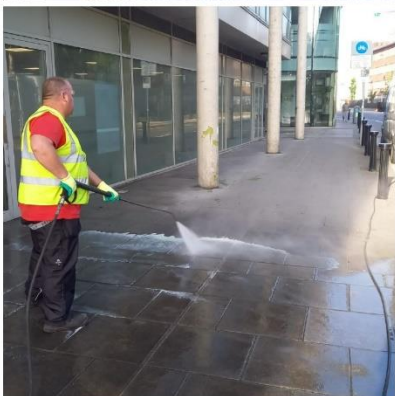
Judging for the competition will take place in August.

The Award Ceremony will take place in Armagh on Friday 10th November.

Wishing our Weavers the Very Best of Luck!!!!

PUBLIC DOMAIN REPORT FOR SWIC

WASTE MANAGEMENT STREET WASHING – MARROWBONE LANE & GUINNESS STOREHOUSE ENVIRONS.





Public Domain also provided support to Our Lady of Lourdes Primary Schools to assist with their class-room clean out.

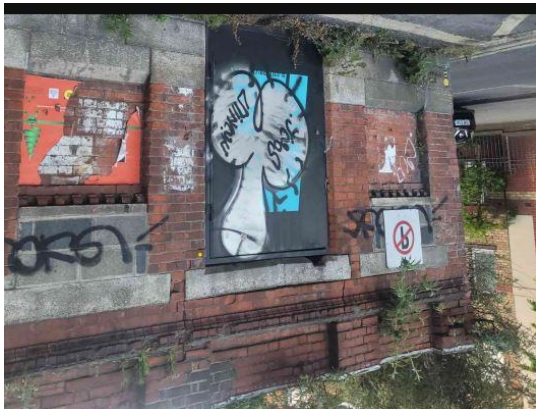
Intensive cleaning

Gum and stain removal at Spar Dolphins Barn – junction Reuben Street. The area was cleaned down and the tree planters re-painted. The new circular seating enhances this busy entrance to Dolphins Barn.



Graffiti Programme 2023

Graffiti treated at: Taylors Hall, Engine Alley, Marks Alley, Swift Alley, Hanover Lane, Hanbury Lane, Vincent St West, Inchicore Square, Newmarket.





Summer Flowering Planters

20 Planters were placed over the June Bank Holiday Weekend: Cornmarket, Cork Street, Rialto Village, Inchicore Village & Kilmainham Plaza.





CLEAN-UPS

Groups can register on Citizen Hub or contact southcentralpublicdomain@dublincity.ie
56 Clean-Ups across South Central Area.

2023 WEED PROGRAMME

Greentown Environmental have started the weed programme in the South central Area. The first spray has been completed.



DOLPHINS BARN PARK- LANDSCAPING

**BORRIS COURT REAR ST AUDEON'S TERRACE
GRAFFITI AND WEED TREATMENT**



Bruce Phillips,
Senior Executive Officer
South West Inner City Local Electoral Area.



BALLYFERMOT / DRIMNAGH ELECTORAL AREA

Housing

Cornamona

The issuing of keys to the new tenants is underway, approximately 30 sets of keys will be issued by week ending 16th June.

Springvale

The anticipated completion date remains quarter 3, 2023.

Lissadel Maisonettes

Preparation of a stage 1 application for the Department of Housing, Local Government & Heritage is ongoing. The retrofit works should be completed by the end of August.

Bernard Curtis House

The repainting of the units is continuing.

Hillside Manor

Cluid approved housing body expect that the development should be completed shortly. The tenants have already been selected.

Labre Park

The Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage officials are meeting with the Council on 29th June in relation to the stage 2 application

Bluebell

This LDA led project has procurement of the design team underway with the aim of having it appointed in June 2023.

Cherry Orchard Point

Engagement with stakeholders in relation to the design for this development (Cherry Orchard Point) is commencing on Wednesday, 14th June for a period of 4 weeks.

Sons of Divine Providence

Dublin City Council and the Sons of Divine Providence are currently clarifying outstanding issues before heads of terms can be drafted. Work is also continuing on the Stage 2 Funding Application

Slievebloom Court, Drimnagh.

Some additional works are being carried out on the development. It is anticipated that the units should be available for occupation by the end of July.

Rafters Road

The integrated design team has been progressing with design proposals and are currently preparing a revised stage 2 application with the aim of submitting it to the DHLGH early next month. Upon receipt of Stage 2 approval from the DHLGH, it is intended to proceed with the planning process



Voids

There are currently 43 void units in the area, 2 properties have been surrendered to the Council recently while 5 properties from the previous monthly list were allocated. Of the 43 properties 1 has had an offer accepted and keys have just been received, a further 3 properties have tenants selected with keys awaited and vetting with AGS is underway in relation to 7 properties. Offers have been issued on a further 3 properties.

Community

Community Participation

Cruinniú Na nÓg

Congratulations to Familibase who organised the Cruinniú Unsung Youth Concert in the Peoples Park on Saturday 10th of June. The City Council supported the event with funding allocated from Creative Ireland. Workshops were held for young people in the weeks leading to the concert in set design, art and voice coaching. This excellent event provided a great opportunity for local young people to perform on a big stage and shine in front of their family and friends.



Age Friendly Programme

Since October 2022 the community team has been running age friendly events on Tuesday afternoons ranging from community bingo, line dancing, small plays, chair aerobics, afternoon trips and the ever popular afternoon tea dance with live music.

At present there are 184 older people on the mailing list for these monthly events and this is increasing by the week. The older people are attending these events to meet each other and treating them as a social event, (a reason to get the hair done) and a reason to leave the house. The team are getting queries every week about what is happening next and also ideas of what they would like to do.

Ensuring these events continue is imperative for the mental health and wellbeing of these seniors and promoting an age friendly city.

This month there is community bingo, line dancing, a one act play and an Independence Day tea dance on the 4th July



Community Festivals 2023



Drimnagh Summer Festival

The final touches have been completed and the Drimnagh Summer Festival takes place from Friday 19th to Sunday 25th of June in various parks and public greens. Events include outdoor cinema, music, games, nature, sports and lots more. Details of the schedule on: [Drimnagh Summer Festival / Facebook](#),

The Council has organised an evening of Opera in Brickfield Park to take place on Thursday the 29th of June at 7:00PM.

Ballyfermot / Cherry Orchard festival.

This year the Festival starts on July 1st and runs until July 9th and the programme is jam packed with events that will cater for all ages and tastes. The theme of this year's festival is a celebration of community, creativity and co-operation and is open to all.

It starts with a new event, Ballyfermot **ROAR**, a rock against racism concert that will take place in Le Fanu Park on July 1st and promises to be a great gig.

There will be a celebration of Traveller culture with a Traveller Pride Festival taking place in the People's Park on Saturday July 8th

Family fun days take place in Markievicz Park on Sunday July 2nd and Cherry Orchard Park on Sunday July 9th with Opera in the Peoples Park on Thursday July 6th

The City Council is providing financial support to the festival from the area office and the 2023 discretionary funds. Area staff are involved in all elements of the project.

Local man Matt Dodd has been nominated as the 2023 Grand Marshall in recognition of his outstanding contribution to our community.

The festival launch will take place on Wednesday 28th of June at 7:30PM in the Ballyfermot Community Civic Centre





Bluebell Summer Festival

The Council is working with the Bluebell festival committee who are planning their first summer festival which will take place on Saturday the 12th of August in Bluebell Park.

The Committee is finalising its programme and event management plan. There is great buy in from the community towards organising the event with the residents and community groups actively involved.

Summer Projects

The Council is providing financial assistance to the following 3 voluntary summer projects taking place in the area: Ring Street, Inchicore, Diamond Twirlers, Bluebell and Dragon Twirlers, Ballyfermot. Crosscare support the Voluntary projects and the Council and Crosscare will monitor the projects with a full review planned once they are completed.

The Council is providing financial assistance to Ballyfermot Youth Service, Bluebell Youth Project, Ballyfermot Star and Equine Youth Project towards bus hire costs to organise outings as part of their summer programmes for children.

Summer Play Days

The Summer Play Days will take place in various green spaces across the South Central area in July. The Council supports local Resident Groups to organise an afternoon of fun and games on local greens. The Council is providing an “Imagination Playground” by Bricispraoui and a magician and street games to compliment the groups existing plans for the day.

Cherry Orchard - Venue TBC	3 rd July – TBC	14:00 to 16:30
Benmadigan Green, Drimnagh, Dublin 12	4 th July – TBC	14:00 to 16:30
Drumfinn Green, Drumfinn Road.	5 th July	14:00 to 16:30
Stanford Green, Walkinstown.	6 ^h July	14:00 to 16:30
Belgrove Park, (green area beside river) Chapelizod,	11 th July	14:00 to 16:30



Carrow Road, Drimnagh Dublin 12	12 th July	14:00 to 16:30
Jim Mitchell Park, Ring Street, Inchicore	13 th July	14:00 to 16:30

Environment

Father Kitt Court window box project

The Council is working with the reformed committee in Fr. Kitt Court on environmental improvements in the complex. Window boxes will be installed on all of the Balconies and bedding plants have been provided for the communal areas.

Fr. Lemass Sheltered Housing Complex

There is no residents committee in the Fr. Lemass Complex. To engage with the residents and encourage them to work together the Council has offered window boxes for the balconies facing the main road. We are hoping more residents will get involved as the project develops.

Planter Boxes on the Ballyfermot Road

The Planter boxes along the main road have been replanted with geraniums and will be repainted in the next few weeks.

Community Plant Deliveries

The City Council supplied bedding plants to all of the local community groups and senior citizen complexes. The plants were sourced from the Cherry Orchard Community Garden which also grew the plants for the annual plant sales. The team delivered plants to over 30 groups.

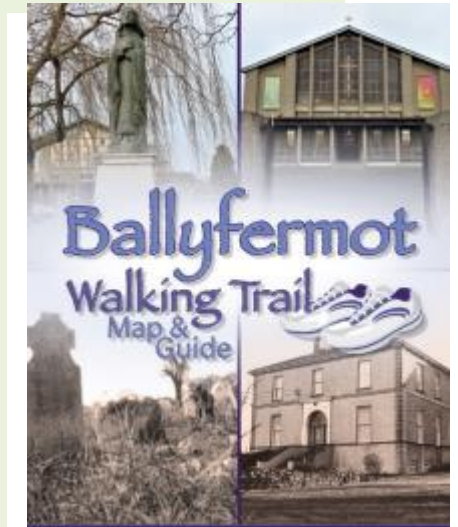


Ballyfermot Heritage Trail Map

The Community Development team and Ballyfermot Heritage Group have completed the design of the heritage walking trail map. The map has been printed and is ready for circulation. The team is working on the second part of the project which is the installation of a sign notice board displaying the heritage trail map along the main thoroughfare in Ballyfermot. The heritage group hope to launch the project during Heritage Week in August.

Wildlife Information Sign

The City Council is working on a bird information sign with the Benmadigan green residents group. The sign will display the types of birds which are regularly seen on the green. The team are working on the design with the local residents and will have the sign installed by August.



Walkinstown Residents Association

The Council has provided financial assistance to the Walkinstown Residents Association to repair damage to the roof of the Bunting Road Depot with funding from the 2023 Discretionary funds. The Bunting Park Depot is used by the committee for their meetings and storage of equipment used for the weekly clean-ups and for use by the local residents.

Orchard Centre Dance for Ukraine Fundraising Event.

On Wednesday 31st May the Active Age Ballroom Dancers held an event to raise funds for Ukraine. The event was part of a nationwide fundraiser to raise €50,000 to bring children from Ukraine to Ireland this Summer. Events were held around the country during the month of May to raise money. Once the goal is reached the plan is to bring over young Ballroom Dancers from Ukraine to take part in Ballroom Dance competitions this summer in Ireland. The event was a great success with almost 100 people attending and just over €1,000 raised for the charity.





Wednesday night Yoga Classes.

Yoga classes started in the centre just over 2 months ago and the numbers attending continues to grow. All are welcome to the come along every Wednesday from 8.30 to 9.30 PM.

Cherry Orchard Boxing Club.

The Boxing Club has settled into its new home in the purpose built extension to the centre which has enhanced the training the club can offer to its members. In a wonderful coup for the club Jim Curley presented a programme from the bout in which Steve Collins defeated Chris Eubank in Mill Street, Cork. The ring used in that fight was donated to the club recently, prompting Jim to, very generously, donate his souvenir from the occasion.



Cherry Orchard Running Club.



The Orchard Centre supported the 10th anniversary celebrations of the running club by providing goodie bags and other items to assist with the milestone event on Saturday, 10th June in Cherry Orchard Park.

With over 100 children and well in excess of 200 Adults taking part in their respective races a great day, despite the late downpour, was had by all.

VDP Food Bank

Our Friday Food Bank continues to support the local community who are struggling with the cost of food. All referrals for support must be made through the VDP directly.



Barnville Entrance

In Early June the residents of Barnville were asked what improvements they would like to see to the entrance of their estate. There was a huge amount of feedback and we are currently working on the suggestions. We are also engaging Cherry Orchard Running Club as they use this part of the estate to meet in preparation for training.



The Holistic Hub Therapy Room.

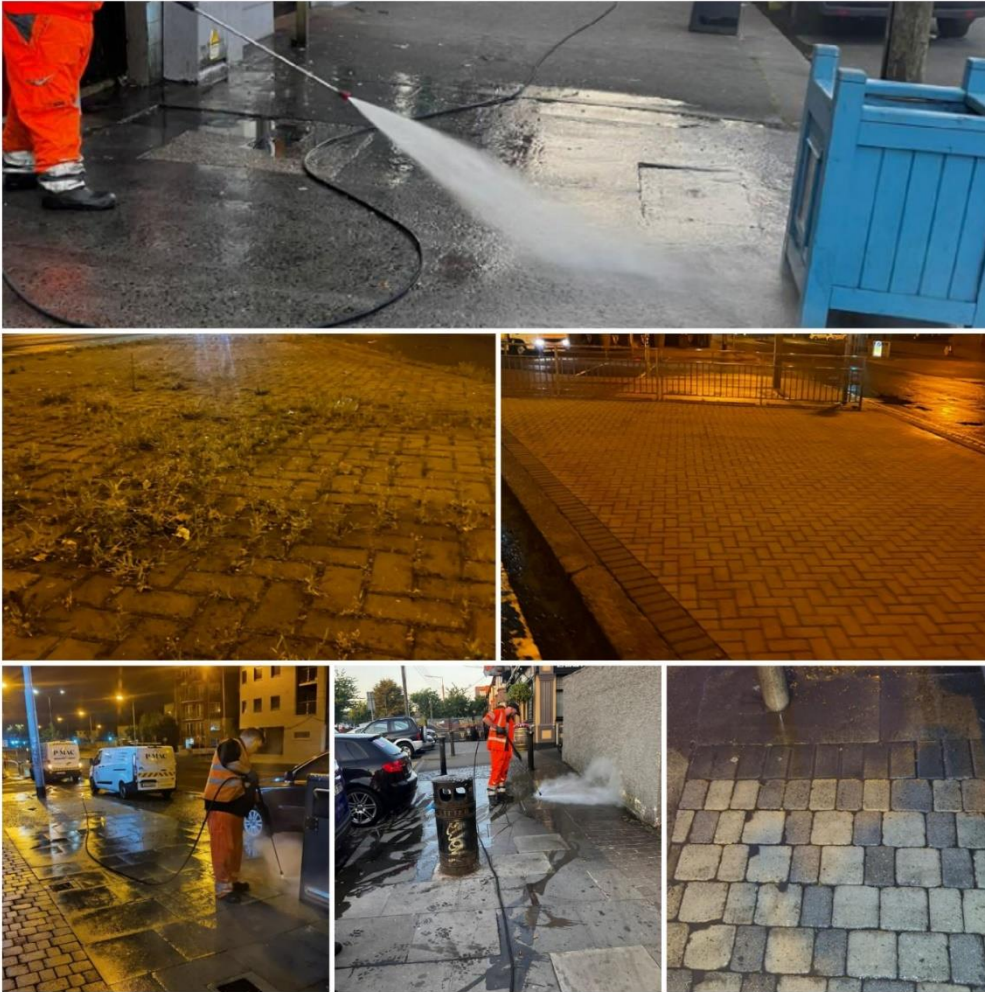
This space offers various massage treatments along with Reiki and meditation to groups and individuals in the community. Bookings by appointment only.

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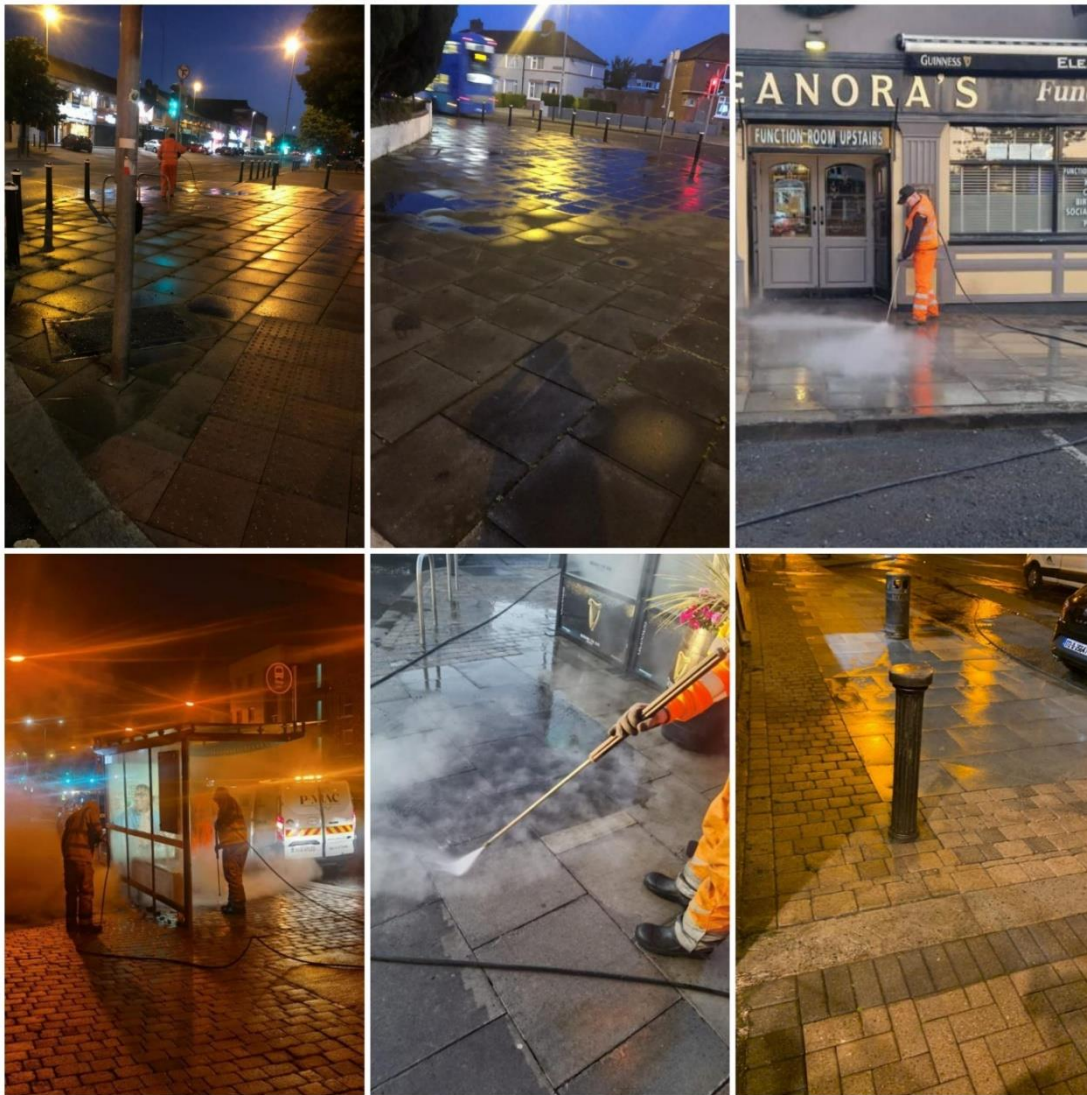
INTENSIVE CLEANING URBAN VILLAGES & TRAFFIC MEDIANS. BLUBELL SHOPS, BANK OF IRELAND TRAFFIC ISLAND DRIMNAGH ROAD, DRIMNAGH ROAD SHOPS & BALLYFERMOT ROAD GRANGE CROSS.

The urban shopping areas will be cleaned over the coming weeks.





The intensive cleaning was completed to remove gum, stains and weeds in preparation for Summer Season Three Tiered Flowering Planter Placement.



DEEP CLEANING WASTE MANAGEMENT-WALKINSTOWN LIBRARY BOTTLE BANK



BALFE ROAD LANE & WALKINSTOWN GREEN BOTTLE BANK, WALKINSTOWN DRIVE, CRESCENT, AND GREEN - ILLEGAL DUMPING



SPIDDAL COMMUNITY CLEAN UP, BIGGER ROAD SCRAPING.



Public Domain Support was also provided to clean up St Mary's Youth Centre and Claddagh Green. The area will be cleaned and weed treated shortly.



26 FLOWERING PLANTERS WERE PLACED IN BALLYFERMOT, BLUBELL, CHAPELIZOD, CRUMLIN DRIMNAGH & WALKINSTOWN.



Community Clean-Ups

56 Clean-ups requested on Citizen Hub across the South Central Area.

Weed Programme 2023

Work has begun in the South Central Area. A number of roads have been identified in Drimnagh, Bluebell, Ballyfermot and Walkinstown. The first spray has been completed.

THE LIGHTING COLUMNS IN JIM MITCHELL PARK HAVE BEEN TREATED AND PAINTED AND THE RAILINGS WILL BE COMPLETED OVER THE COMING WEEKS.





Report from: -

Alan Sherry,
Senior Executive Officer
Ballyfermot/Drimnagh Local Electoral Area.

DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
21st June 2023

Q1 Councillor Michael Watters

To ask the Director of Services to arrange for Liffey Street South, Dublin 10 to be swept as part of the street sweeping schedule for the area.

Reply

Waste Management Services will ensure that Liffey Street South is always swept when the street sweeping schedule for this area is being carried out.

Contact: Mick Boyle, Senior Staff Officer, Waste Management Services,
Email: mick.boyle@dublincity.ie

Q2 Councillor Michael Pidgeon

To ask the Director of Services for an update on the Liffey Vale project, including its current status and updated timelines.

Reply

Detailed design is continuing for the Cois Abhann Biodiversity Education Centre at Liffey Vale. It is intended to complete this in the coming months and issue tender documents for a construction contract in the Autumn. A separate invite for expressions of interest to develop and manage the biodiversity education programme for Cois Abhann will be issued in June.

Contact: Donncha Ó Dúlaing, Senior Executive Officer, CRES
Email: donncha.odulaing@dublincity.ie

Q3 Councillor Michael Pidgeon

To ask the Director of Services about the bin outside Tesco Express on Tyrconnell Road, which was damaged by a driver, and then removed by the council. When will it be replaced?

Reply

Waste Management Services will replace the above mentioned litter bin when the new batch of bins are delivered in June/July 2023.

Contact: Mick Boyle, Senior Staff Officer, Waste Management Services
Email: waste.management@dublincity.ie

Q4 Councillor Michael Pidgeon

To ask the Director of Services about the streetlights along Tyrconnell Park, which are old and need to be repainted. Are such works scheduled to take place?

Reply

The public lights on Tyrconnell Park are mounted on ESB Networks poles, and the painting of such poles is a matter for ESB Networks.

Public Lighting Services will ask ESB Networks if they will consider painting their poles on Tyrconnell Park.

Contact: *Karen Leeson, Executive Engineer, Public Lighting Services*
Email: karen.leeson@dublincity.ie

Q5 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin

To ask the Director of Services can the overgrown grass verges on Kylemore Road be cut back? This isn't in disagreement with the wilding initiative but in the pictures below you can see that there's overgrown areas surrounding the tree base where people are throwing poo bags into the grass section.

Reply

The grass has been cut along this section of road.

Contact: *Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer.*
Email: parks@dublincity.ie

Q6 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin

To ask the Director of Services can the car with registration (details supplied) be removed on Kylemore Road, facing (details supplied). Residents have said that the car is abandoned.

Reply

Following investigation the vehicle is deemed not to be abandoned, is owned and registered on the road. The car has mechanical issues and the owner is in the process of selling it.

Contact: *Ian Boggans, Asst. Staff Officer, Environment & Transportation*
Email: ian.boggans@dublincity.ie

Q7 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin

To ask the Director of Services can plant boxes be placed on Kylemore Road particularly on the section where the abandoned car is to be removed. Some residents have been in touch and they'd like to be able to plant and maintain the planters.

Reply

The Kylemore road already has an abundance of street trees and a green margin planted with flowering bulbs. Unfortunately the location specified is not suitable and therefore not included in the Public Domain programme for 2023.

Contact: *Anna McDermott, Public Domain Officer, South Central Area*
Email: southcentralpublicdomain@dublincity.ie

Q8 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin

To ask the Director of Services can the path/boundary around the entry/exit on Kylemore road be restored? You'll see from the images below that it's completely eroded and is now a hazard.

Reply

The concrete carriageway off the Kylemore Road opposite Nos 288 & 290 has been inspected and is in need of repair. Taking account of current workload demands it is anticipated this work will take place in late June or early July.

Contact: Pat O'Halloran, Senior Executive Engineer, Road Maintenance Services Division

Email: pat.ohalloran@dublincity.ie

Q9 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin

To ask the Director of Services are there any plans to improve the facilities in the park Beside Father Browns Church in Cherry Orchard? I know it's to be developed in the LAP and is there any update on the facilities identified for the park in the plan? Is there any plans to provide any services in the interim like flower boxes/beds, wild flowers. Is there a planned cleaning schedule outside of the grass cutting to clean up broken glass on the paths?

Reply

The park is scheduled to receive a weekly litter pick, as part of this paths should be cleared of broken glass etc. If there are incidents outside of this schedule parks staff will attend as necessary.

Contact: Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer.

Email: parks@dublincity.ie

Q10 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin

To ask the Director of Services are there any plans to revamp the tarmac space area on Ballyfermot Parade? It's been used to park cars at the moment.

Reply

There is a significant off road area of bituminous surfacing located between nos 158 – 192 Ballyfermot Drive. It has not been included in this year's annual resurfacing works programme, but it will be inspected by Road Maintenance Services Division and depending on an assessment of its overall condition, it may be considered for inclusion in a future works programme. In the meantime, any identified localised defects will added to our Asset Management Database and will be scheduled for repair depending on other competing defects.

Contact: Pat O'Halloran, Senior Executive Engineer, Road Maintenance Services Division

Email: pat.ohalloran@dublincity.ie

Q11 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services that the Liberties Greening Strategy include the planting, seating & landscaping at this public space on St Luke's Avenue. Dublin 8, similar to the recent successful and beautifully developed space at Donore Avenue/Cork St.

Reply

It would be desirable to add some sort of greening measure to this area. The Area Office is awaiting the completion of the adjacent Newmarket Yards development,

which proposes some landscaping along this section of St Luke's Avenue, before making any further plans.

There is provision to redesign and widen the steps leading to Newmarket Street under the approved Newmarket & Environs Public Realm Improvement Scheme.

Finally the Public Domain Officer will arrange for 2 no. seasonal planters to be installed at this location in the coming week.

Contact: *Stephen Coyne, Public Realm Projects SWIC*
Email: stephen.coyne@dublincity.ie

Q12 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask if the Director of Services has had a response to its revised application to the Housing Department for a higher – per unit- AHF subsidy that will support the delivery of affordable/cost rental units at Emmet Rd development and if a statement can be provided on this?

Reply

A revised application for increased AHF subvention has been submitted to the Department. This is currently under their review.

Contact: *Sandra McAleer, Senior Executive Engineer*
Email: sandra.mcaleer@dublincity.ie

Q13 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services that a dog poo bag dispenser and bin be installed at St Catherine's Park, D8?

Reply

The above mentioned park is cleaned on a regular basis (daily) and does not merit the installation of a bin at this time.

Contact: *Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec. Parks and Landscape Officer*
Email: parks@dublincity.ie

Q14 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services if increased power washing and litter picking could be scheduled for weekends along Thomas /James Street?

Reply

Thomas Street and James Street are classed as Category B streets and receive a 7-day street cleaning service. This includes mechanical sweeping of pavements and road side channel, litter bins emptied 2-3 times daily, illegal dumping removed for inspection, engagement with stall holders and business owners to ensure compliance with bye-laws and regular inspections by on-duty local management teams. In addition to this comprehensive street cleaning service, where customers are not satisfied with how clean the streets are, they can register a street cleaning request on our Citizen Hub platform. All request are responded to within 24Hrs.

Waste Management are in the process of introducing a new city-wide wash programme that will help us to deliver an improved street washing programme to all

locations. We are in the process of purchasing new wash equipment and will have a dedicated wash team in operation when this equipment arrives. We have taken on board your concerns for these streets and will include them on our regular wash schedule.

Contact: Seamus Brady, Waste Management Services Co-ordinator,
Email: seamus.brady@dublincity.ie

Q15 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services that a survey of household's waste disposal at (details supplied) be conducted?

Reply

Public Domain will write to all householders at (details supplied) requesting them to demonstrate their compliance with Waste Management (Storage Presentation and Segregation of Household and Commercial Waste) Bye Laws 2018.

Contact: Anna McDermott, Public Domain Officer, South Central Area.
Email: southcentralpublicdomain@dublincity.ie

Q16 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services for an update on the provision of secure replacement fobs at (details supplied)

Reply

Lansdowne Management Company who are responsible for the fobs/access in the scheme have started introducing the new secure fobs. They have been distributed throughout Block F and all other blocks will follow.

Contact: Laura Kenny Project Estate Officer, SWIC
Email: laura.kenny@dublincity.ie

Q17 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services update on the removal of hoarding at 75-78 Cork Street that continues to hinder pedestrians?

Reply

Dublin City Council received an application on the 11th June 2021 from Blacklough Construction Limited to erect a hoarding at 75-78 Cork Street to facilitate the demolition of the existing building. The application was approved and a licence initially granted for the period 16th August 2021 to 15th August 2022 but later extended to bring it up to the 15th June 2023.

Blacklough Construction Limited subsequently went into liquidation and the client Torca Homes opted to keep the hoarding in place until such time as a new contractor is hired to carry out the construction phase of the contract, which according to Torca Homes is now imminent.

Contact: Conrad Rennicks, Administrative Officer, Roadworks Control Unit
Email: conrad.rennicks@dublincity.ie

Q18 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services again that the yellow box outside McGoverns Apartments at Marrowbone Lane be urgently reinstated as a matter of Road Safety.

Reply

The Transport Advisory Group will consider providing a yellow box on the road outside the access/egress to the car-park at the apartments at McGoverns Corner, on Marrowbone Lane, D8.

Contact: Neil O'Donoghue, Senior Executive Office, Transport Advisory Group, Environment & Transportation Department, Dublin City Council.

Email: neil.odonoghue@dublincity.ie

Q19 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services that the agreed DYs be installed at the right hand side of Basin Street Flats. This is necessary to allow residents visibility to exit their complex and mitigates against putting school children at risk of collision.

Reply

The Transport Advisory Group will liaise with Dublin City Council Line Marking team to install Double Yellow Lines at this location.

Contact: Máire Nic Réamoinn, South Central Area Engineer, Transport Advisory Group, Dublin City Council.

Email: maire.nicreamoinn@dublincity.ie

Q20 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services that given the widely accepted deteriorating fabric of the Iveagh Market to ask that the works be commenced asap?

Reply

The Council is developing a tender package for the appointment of a conservation architect led integrated design team and it is anticipated that an appointment will be made circa August 2023. This design team will carry out a detailed condition survey of the building and develop tender documentation for a programme of essential repairs. These repairs will include –

- Repairs to the roofs, valleys, internal gutters, parapet and large roof lights of the Wet Market and Dry Market, including repairs to the access ladders and gantries
- Repairs/reinstatement of the rainwater disposal system
- Manage vegetation growth to the site and its structures
- Protect and secure the windows and door
- Provide safe access to structures to facilitate a regular inspection and maintenance.

Contact: Bronagh Corry, Senior Executive Officer, Planning & Property Management

Email: Bronagh.corry@dublincity.ie

Q21 Councillor Máire Devine

To ask the Director of Services when the additional disabled parking bay will be installed at Francis Street?

Reply

A service request for an additional Disabled Parking Bay on Francis Street, D8 does not currently exist on the Dublin City Council TAMS system.

In order for a service request to be generated on the TAMS system, the customer will need to request a Disabled Parking Bay using the [Transport Service Request Form](#) on the Dublin City Council website – see link:

[Transport Service Request Form - Dublin City Council - Citizen Space](#)

See also the link on the Dublin City Council website on how to apply for a Disabled Parking Bay:

<https://www.dublincity.ie/residential/parking-dublin-city-centre/disabled-parking>

and the criteria required for the provision of a Disabled Parking Bay:

<https://www.dublincity.ie/residential/parking-dublin-city-centre/disabled-parking/disabled-parking-bay-criteria>

The Transport Advisory Group can assess the provision of a Disabled Parking Bay once it has gone through the correct processes.

*Contact: Maire Nic Reamoinn, South Central Area Engineer,
Transport Advisory Group, Environment & Transportation Department,
Dublin City Council*

Email: maire.nicreamoinn@dublincity.ie

Q22 Councillor Darragh Moriarty

To ask the Director of Services for the Parks Department to trim back trees at the following locations (details supplied with photographs) which are growing into people's homes, causing a loss of sunlight and damage to people's gutters:

Reply

Parks will arrange for pruning of these trees in the coming tree care programme.

Contact: Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer

Email: parks@dublincity.ie

Q23 Councillor Darragh Moriarty

To ask the Director of Services to review the traffic light filtering at the following locations:

- Clanbrassil Street/Harold's Cross Bridge – there is no right filter light to go from canal towards Harold's Cross. Right turners here get out one or two cars at a time maximum and it causes back up problems along the canal that could be alleviated by a short filter light. Can this be reviewed and improved?

- Donore Avenue/Sally's Bridge – cars coming from Clogher Road turning right onto the canal have a filter light, but from other directions, there are no filters causing backups. As this junction is being redone to incorporate wraparound pedestrianisation, can the traffic signals and filters be reviewed to optimise traffic flow?

Reply

The junction of Harold's Cross Bridge is a heavily used junction for pedestrians, cyclist public transport and private vehicles in all directions, it has been optimised as much as possible to help keep traffic moving including allowing some time for the right turning movements from Parnell Road towards Harrold's Cross.

At this time there are no plans to install a filter light at this junction as to do would greatly reduce traffic optimisation and cause delays to public transport. We will continue to review the junction and make changes where appropriate.

The junction of Donore Avenue/Sally's bridge is currently being upgraded as part of Active Travel scheme. This involves the installation of a wraparound pedestrian crossing as well as facilities for cyclist. As this is part of this active travel project, there are currently no plans to install an additional filter light at the junction as this would result in delays to all uses and in particular delays to public transport. Once the new operation is installed it will be monitored and reviewed in order to ensure any delays are kept to a minimum

Contact: *Susanne Hickey, Executive ITS Officer, Roads & Traffic Department*
Email: Susanne.hickey@dublincity.ie

Q24 Councillor Darragh Moriarty

To ask the Director of Services for Dublin City Council to re-examine the public lighting provision on Hamilton Street, off Donore Avenue, where public lighting at the moment is limited to one side of the street. Due to tree canopy, on darker winter evenings and at night, it is unevenly dark on one side of the street. Can this be examined and addressed by Public Lighting?

Reply

The public lighting on Hamilton Street is mounted on the ESB Network poles and is installed in a single sided arrangement. This is a standard arrangement for the installation of lighting on a road of this type, which provides sufficient lighting for both pedestrians and road users.

However, as pointed out by the councillor, there are trees along both sides of the whole road here, and some of the trees may be causing a blocking effect on some of the lights.

We will ask the Parks Department to prune the trees along the side of the street opposite to the ESB Network poles. For the trees on the same side of the road as the ESB Network poles, we will request the Parks Department to liaise with ESB Networks around pruning the trees beside the ESB overhead cables.

Please note also that the existing public lighting on Hamilton Street are planned to be upgraded to LED this year under the Lighting Infrastructure Upgrade project. These works are expected to be completed by the end of 2023. Until the upgrade works are

completed, routine maintenance work on the existing street lighting will continue to be carried out

Contact: *Karen Leeson, Executive Engineer, Public Lighting Services*
Email: karen.leeson@dublincity.ie

Q25 Councillor Darragh Moriarty

To ask the Director of Services to arrange for weeding to take place at (details supplied)

Reply

(Details supplied) will be added to list for consideration however resources are limited and not every estate can be included on an annual basis. The allocation for the SCA is 45km with a small discretionary budget for additional treatments.

Contact: *Anna McDermott, Public Domain Officer, South Central Area*
Email: southcentralpublicdomain@dublincity.ie

Q26 Councillor Darragh Moriarty

To ask the Director of Services to explain DCC's current policy on estate maintenance offices, which used to be a permanent presence in many of our larger housing complexes serving as a vital local point of contact between residents, and DCC staff. It is my understanding that due to resources and health and safety issues requiring a minimum of two staff members to operate such offices that many are closing or have already closed. Can the Director confirm whether or not DCC staff can continue this estate maintenance office presence in other community hubs and buildings in, or close to, our large housing complexes?

Reply

At present we have the following DCC housing clinics in operation in the South West Inner City.

F2 Herberton – Weekly on Thursday's 10.00am - 12.00 noon, drop in or email laura.kenny@dublincity.ie

Dolphin House Community Centre – Once monthly for appointment email: [Debbie @ dolphinhousecda.ie](mailto:Debbie@dolphinsouthcentral@dublincity.ie)

Clinics are currently on-going for the Basin Street complex regarding the proposed re-development, they are currently being held in Eblana House but we are looking for alternative premises within the community for these to be held.

A unit in Islandbridge is currently being refurbished and this space will be utilised to include a weekly clinic by the Project Estate Officer and also as a new community space for residents and DCC's community section. Residents of Memorial Court & Sarah Place can also avail of this clinic as the two complexes are next to each other. We are also in the process of locating a premises in Tyrone Place and hope to have this secured within the next 8 weeks.

Housing Maintenance can be logged through our customer services section on 01-222 2222 / 01- **6796186 (out of hours)**
Email: housingmaintenancesection@dublincity.ie

Contact: Veronica Hand, Area Housing Officer, SWIC
Email: veronica.hand@dublincity.ie

Q27 Councillor Deirdre Cronin

To ask the Director of Services to provide a written record of all visits by the TAG Area Engineer to Rehoboth Place and Rehoboth Avenue with dates, times and observations.

Reply

The Transport Advisory Group monitored Rehoboth Place and Rehoboth Avenue between the 20th September 2022 and 2nd May 2023 at different times during the day from morning peak to the evening peak. The exits of Rehoboth with the Dolphins Barn / R110 and South Circular were also monitored for rat running traffic and any issue with vehicles exiting the road. Lines markings are in good condition.

20th Sept 2022 15:30- 16:00

Monitored traffic flow and traffic volume is very low and no speeding in 30 Kph Slow Zone with Rehoboth Place. No traffic in Rehoboth Avenue cul de sac, no issues observed. Lines markings are in good condition

Observed pedestrian had to share road space at Rehoboth Place / Dolphins Barn / R110 exit with vehicle.

Some parking spaces available in Pay & Display and Permit Parking (5 spaces) on Rehoboth Place.

Some parking spaces available in Pay & Display and Permit Parking (2 spaces) on Rehoboth Avenue.

Double yellow lines in good condition. No blocking of footpaths.

14th Oct 2022 16:00

Monitored traffic flow and traffic volume is very low and no speeding in 30 Kph Slow Zone. No traffic volumes, no queueing at exits.

20th Oct 2022 14:30 – 15:00

Monitored traffic flow and traffic volume is very low and no speeding in 30 Kph Slow Zone. No traffic volumes, no queueing at exits.

17th Jan 2023 15:00 – 15:30

Monitored traffic flow and traffic volume is very low and no speeding in 30 Kph Slow Zone. Observed delivery vehicle blocking pavement and roadway. This obstructed the roadway. Contacted Delivery Company that residents had complaints about vehicle blocking entrance. Delivery Company acknowledged our query.

18th Jan 2023 08:45 – 09:15

Monitored traffic flow and traffic volume is very low and no speeding in 30 Kph Slow Zone. No issues on the road with some available parking spaces. No traffic volumes, no queueing at exits.

19th Jan 2023 16:15

Monitored traffic flow and traffic volume is very low and no speeding in 30 Kph Slow Zone. No vehicles observed rat running from the Dolphins Barn / R110 through Rehoboth Avenue to South Circular Rd. Observed vehicle parked on corner of Rehoboth Avenue and Rehoboth Place, which could block access / exit of Rehoboth Avenue.

6th Mar 2023 18:40 – 19:00

Monitored traffic flow and traffic volume No vehicles observed rat running is very low and no speeding in 30 Kph Slow Zone. No issue of illegal parking observed.

2nd May 2023 9:00 – 9:30

Monitored traffic flow and traffic volume is very low and no speeding in 30 Kph Slow Zone. No vehicles observed rat running.

Contact: *Neil O Donoghue, South City Executive, Transport Advisory Group*
Email: neil.odonoghue@dublincity.ie

Q28 Councillor Deirdre Cronin

To ask the Director of Services for the status of the housing application of (details supplied) including what priority is attached.

Reply

The above applicant is on the Housing List with an application date of 2/8/2012, and the applicant holds the following positions on this list:

Area	Bedsizes	Position
Area L	3	37
Area L	4	12
Area N	3	53
Area N	4	19

Dublin City Council allocates properties based on time on the list and currently there are applicants of longer standing who have to be considered as suitable vacancies arise. It is not possible to indicate accurately the prospect of an offer for any applicant. The number of vacancies arising will be a determining factor in the length of time applicants could expect to be on the waiting list.

The applicants should keep checking the Dublin City Council website for any Choice Based Lettings that may become available in their area of choice.

The applicants may be eligible for HAP which will provide them with financial assistance towards the cost of renting another property. Should the applicant wish to apply for the HAP scheme, they should make contact with the Allocations Section with income details for the previous 12 months where a Housing Advisor can provide information and advice on the scheme.

Contact: *Sandra Barry, A/Allocations Officer, Housing & Community Services*
Email: Sandra.barry@dublincity.ie

Q29 Councillor Daithí Doolan

To ask the Director of Services to outline when the grass along Kylemore Road will be cut?

Reply

The grass has been cut along this section of road.

Contact: *Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer.*
Email: parcs@dublincity.ie

Q30 Councillor Daithí Doolan

To ask the Director of Services when will the weeds at Spiddal Park be removed, and to also outline when weeds in other public areas in Ballyfermot, Bluebell, Inchicore and Walkinstown will be removed?.

Reply

The weed treatment programme is progressing in the South Central Area. The first spray (New Way Spray-Acetic Acid) has been completed. It is not possible to treat every road however a number of roads in each location, including Spiddal Park have been treated and the effects should be visible within the next week or two. Successive treatments will follow in due course.

Contact: *Anna McDermott, Public Domain Officer, South Central*
Email: southcentralpublicdomain@dublincity.ie

Q31 Councillor Daithí Doolan

To ask the Director of Services, in light of the ongoing, serious illegal dumping on Cherry Orchard Crescent green will DCC take action to curtail the dumping, action including installing a playground or play equipment, a concrete step around the green and encourage residents to report those involved in this illegal dumping.

Reply

Parks are aware of the issue of ongoing dumping at this location. The area office have identified a number of possible initiatives which may alleviate the issues. These initiatives will be subject to available funding.

Contact: *Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer*
Email: parcs@dublincity.ie

Q32 Councillor Daithí Doolan

To ask the Director of Service to outline what traffic calming measures have been agreed between Dublin Bus, DCC and unions to reduce serious traffic congestion on Galtymore Road, between the junction of Carrow Road and Galtymore Road and the junction of Galtymore Road and Benbulbin Road?

Reply

The Transport Advisory Group have assessed the problem of traffic calming and will implement measures to ensure traffic flow on Galtymore Road, between the junction of Carrow Road and Galtymore Road and the junction of Galtymore Road and Benbulbin Road. Dublin Street Parking Services are patrolling the location and carrying out enforcement.

Contact: *Neil O'Donoghue, Senior Executive Office, Transport Advisory Group, Environment & Transport Department, Dublin City Council*
Email: neil.odonoghue@dublincity.ie

Q33 Councillor Daithí Doolan

To ask the Director of Service to address the chaotic parking situation in Galtymore Drive Drimnagh, cars are parking everywhere and residents are unable to access their own homes, recently an ambulance was unable to get in until people moved?

Reply

The Transport Advisory Group have assessed the problem of traffic calming and will implement measures to ensure traffic flow on Galtymore Road, between the junction of Carrow Road and Galtymore Road and the junction of Galtymore Road and Benbulbin Road. Dublin Street Parking Services are patrolling the location and carrying out enforcement.

Contact: Neil O'Donoghue, Senior Executive Office, Transport Advisory Group, Environment & Transport Department, Dublin City Council

Email: neil.odonoghue@dublincity.ie

Q34 Councillor Daithí Doolan

To ask the Director of Service to clarify why residents in the Part V properties in The Davitt apartments, Davitt Road cannot access communal facilities, including the childrens playground, without paying a further €81.50 to the management company. Were perspective tenants notified of this and is there any plans to change this?

Reply

The TAG area engineer is reviewing the road layout and will implement measures to ensure traffic flow. Dublin Street Parking Services are patrolling the location and carrying out enforcement.

Contact: Linda McDonald, Administrative Officer

Email: linda.mcdonald@dublincity.ie

Contact: Maire Nic Reamoinn, South Central Area Engineer,

Transport Advisory Group, Environment & Transportation Department,

Email: maire.nicreamoinn@dublincity.ie

Q35 Councillor Darragh Moriarty

To ask the Director of Services to comment on the disgusting and discriminatory practice highlighted in a *Dublin Inquirer* article whereby social housing tenants in Part V units at 'The Davitt' apartment complex in Drimnagh are excluded from basic play amenities such as a playground. Can the Director confirm this practice will be brought to an end, confirm the practice is illegal and in breach of planning, and can he confirm the matter has been referred to planning enforcement?

Reply

The Leasing Section have been in contact with Tuath Housing and the management company at The Davitt apartment complex. I can confirm that all tenants have full access to the playground and that the issue which had recently prevented access has been rectified.

Additional facilities are available where tenants may become members of, and use, an area known as the "Amenity Area". Should tenants wish to avail of the facilities there is a cost of €81.50 per household per month payable to the management company. These amenities include a gym, lounge and conference space.

Contact: *Alana Dunne, Housing Advisor, Long Term Leasing*
Email: alana.dunne@dublincity.ie

Q36 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Director of Services to please look at the small damaged missing plinth at the Peoples Park, Ballyfermot Road next to Ballyfermot Main Road. The section under the railing is approx. 70 metres from the Peace Garden -built to remember all those who gave there life in the various national services Garda, Army, Emergency services etc.

Reply

Parks will arrange for this section of wall be repaired as soon as possible.

Contact: *Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer*
Email: parks@dublincity.ie

Q37 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Director of Services to please look at the very badly worn/ damaged road surface along Martin's Row Chapelizod from Knockmarron Hill down to Chapelizod Village Dublin 20. The surface whilst very narrow will create serious problems for Cyclists etc. who try and avoid the broken road surfaces.

Reply

Road Maintenance Services Division will arrange for an inspection of the road surface to be carried out along Martin's Row. Any defects encountered will be assessed and logged onto our asset management database. The timing of any repairs to these would be dependent on their severity and would need to take account of other competing defects already listed for repair.

Contact: *Pat O'Halloran, Senior Executive Engineer, Road Maintenance Services Division*
Email: pat.ohalloran@dublincity.ie

Q38 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Director of Services to look at the lamp standard (**no.9**) outside no 48 Drumfinn Avenue, Ballyfermot, Dublin 10. This lamp standards which has not been painted in over 20 years has a large hole in the base of the pole I am anxious to know it is still safe.

Reply

Pole 9 Drumfinn Avenue is an ESB Networks pole and the painting of such poles is a matter for ESB Networks. We will pass this to ESB Networks and request they examine this pole for structural safety and painting/replacement whichever they deem necessary.

Contact: *Karen Leeson, Executive Engineer, Public Lighting Services*
Email: karen.leeson@dublincity.ie

Q39 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Director of Services to look at the serious problem with poor lighting along Drumfinn Road, Ballyfermot, from St Louise's School to Caritas College. Can I ask

again if this will / has been done yet and if we could install a CCTV camera to deter anti-social behaviour in the adjoining Californian Hills Park, Rossmore Road, Ballyfermot, Dublin 10.

Reply

A lighting assessment is currently being carried out to determine what upgrades to the lighting may be required. If upgrades are required, they will be carried out during summer 2023, subject to the required resources being available.

Contact: Karen Leeson, Executive Engineer, Public Lighting Services
Email: karen.leeson@dublincity.ie

Reply

Parks have no plans to install CCTV at this location. Parks do not have the capability to monitor such a scheme.

Contact: Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer
Email: parks@dublincity.ie

Q40 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Director of Services to please look at who is responsible for the Le Fanu Road Shopping Centre Car Park and the Tesco Carpark Ballyfermot Road? I am aware that in Le Fanu Road Shopping Centre the rubbish has reached an unbelievable scale with many many bags of rubbish just dumped leaving a very serious fire hazard for locals to contend with. Dublin City Council has cleaned this area up on a couple of previous occasions however the failure of the complex owners is I believe unacceptable and as a group they could contribute to keep the area clean or be levied with additional charges by DCC. The Tesco Car-Park is owned by CDET, TESCO and Dublin City Council. However, the general area leaves a lot to be desired with the poor unkempt state.

Reply

Waste Management Services check and clean the Tesco car park on a daily basis.

Contact: Mick Boyle, Senior Staff Officer, Waste Management Services,
Email: waste.management@dublincity.ie

Public Domain and Litter Enforcement are working together on a number of initiatives to mitigate against illegal dumping at Le Fanu Rd Shopping centre. Tenants of commercial units will be visited and audited for compliance with Waste Management Bye Laws. Enforcement action as necessary will be taken under the Litter Pollution Act. Environmental Health Officer has been notified and will inspect storage area of relevant units.

Contact: Anna McDermott, Public Domain Officer, South Central Area
Email: southcentralpublicdomain@dublincity.ie

Waste Enforcement Section will inspect the Le Fanu Road Shopping Centre Car Park Ballyfermot Road to see if action can be taken under the Waste Management Act 1996.

Contact: Padraic Lalor, Senior Staff Officer
Email: padraic.lalor@dublincity.ie

Q41 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Director of Services to please state when the long-awaited heritage sign trail around the Ballyfermot / Cherry Orchard Area will be commenced? We were to get finger directional signs and a couple of major place-names signs etc. in 2020. However, despite some local meetings we still have not seen any movement on having this project progress.

Reply

The Ballyfermot community development team, Ballyfermot Heritage Group and Dublin City Council's historian-in-residence have completed the design of the heritage walking trail map, with 2,000 copies being printed in the first week of June. Work is continuing in relation to the second part of the project, the installation of a sign version of the heritage trail map on the Ballyfermot Road.

The Area Office and Heritage Officer met with members of the Ballyfermot Heritage Group in January to encourage them to submit an application to the Heritage Council's Community Heritage Grant Scheme for funding to undertake a comprehensive audit of the historical, archaeological, built and natural heritage of the Ballyfermot/Cherry Orchard area. These audits have been very successful in other parts of the city, such as Crumlin and Marino, involving both the local community, heritage groups and academic experts. This can then form the basis of heritage interpretation planning for the area and identify the most effective ways to disseminate historical information and engage the community with their heritage.

Contact: Alan Sherry, Local Area Manager, Ballyfermot Area Office
Email: alan.sherry@dublincity.ie

Q42 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Director of Services please look at the following (details supplied)

Reply

Housing Maintenance have called to this tenant on two separate occasions to inspect the large tree at end of said garden. The tenant did not want to engage with the staff. The Area Maintenance Officer is willing to meet with Cllr. Jackson to inspect again at a date convenient to both of them.

Contact: Clive Ahern, Senior Executive Officer, Housing Maintenance
Email: clive.ahern@dublincity.ie

Q43 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Director of Services that the following be done (details supplied)

Reply

Housing Maintenance have cleared the blockage at this property. The Choke Car had been out of action for a week and there was a delay with jobs, however this has been attended to now.

Contact: Clive Ahern, Senior Executive Officer, Housing Maintenance
Email: clive.ahern@dublincity.ie

Q44 Councillor Sophie Nicoulaud

To ask the Director of Services to confirm if any of the work carried out by DCC that has taken place at (details supplied) since the tenants moved in, require planning permission or not?

Reply

These two properties were recently refurbished under the Voids Programme. None of these works required planning permission. These works were all completed prior to the tenants moving in. If tenants wish to carry out works that require planning permission, written permission must be sought from Housing Maintenance. We have not received any request from these tenants for works to said properties.

Contact: *Robert Buckle, Senior Engineer, Housing Maintenance*
Email: robert.buckle@dublincity.ie

Q45 Councillor Sophie Nicoulaud

To ask the Director of Services to ask the DCC animal welfare Department and AGS to stop horses going on the GAA pitch in Ballyfermot.

Reply

The Animal Welfare Unit is aware of the persistent problem of stray horses at this and other locations in the Ballyfermot Area and there have been a number of attempts to seize animals in accordance with the Control of Horses Act 1996. Some operations are successful and others have had to be abandoned due to logistical factors and hostile situations on site. We will continue to work with relevant parties including Parks Department, An Garda Síochána and the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine to respond to the issues in planned and co-ordinated way with a view to finding a long term solution.

Contact: *Richard Herlihy, Administrative Officer, Animal Welfare Section*
Email: richard.herlihy@dublincity.ie

Parks will provide assistance to the animal welfare department and AGS in any way they can to prevent horses going onto the above mentioned location.

Contact: *Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer.*
Email: brid.Brosnan@dublincity.ie

Q46 Councillor Sophie Nicoulaud

To ask the Director of Services to provide bin bags at the entrance of Brickfield Park on Benbulbin Road like it is done at the entrance of Lansdown Park. That the bags are regularly collected and replaced when needs be. Plastic dog poo bags are constantly left on the ground there, the situation is not improving, and it is time to try something different. That a sign as well be erected encouraging park users to bring their rubbish back home.

Reply

A bin has been arranged to be placed at the above location.

Contact: *Brid Brosnan, A/Snr. Exec Parks and Landscape Officer.*
Email: parks@dublincity.ie

Q47 Councillor Sophie Nicoulaud

To ask the Director of Services how can we make sure (details supplied) be included in the upgrade for wrap up promptly. It was surveyed in Dec 2020. The resident was told it would be 2 years before the work would be done. I am told it will be 2034 before the work is done.

Reply

Thank you for your query relating to the Energy Efficiency Retrofit Programme. Due to the volume of properties involved, which is 12,000 houses approximately, it is a roll out programme and areas/estates must be targeted in their entirety from both an operational and magnitude/economies of scale perspective. The programme has proved hugely successful to date and will run for a number of years, subject to continued Departmental funding support, until it reaches its conclusion.

Consequently, it is not feasible to target individual properties in any area/estate citywide. We endeavour to spread the works across all areas in an equal and fair manner where possible, the level and scale of works in each area is determined by our Departmental allocation received for the programme on an annual basis. However (details supplied) is not an area we are currently working in.

We are pleased to confirm that the property in question, (details supplied) is currently on our list for survey and inclusion, if eligible, when works commence in this area in the future. We endeavour to spread the works across all areas in an equal and fair manner where possible.

Contact: Clive Ahern, Senior Executive Officer, Housing Maintenance
Email: clive.ahern@dublincity.ie

Q48 Councillor Sophie Nicoulaud

To ask the Director of Services when will (details supplied) be reimbursed for the work she had to carry out in her home. When can she expect all the works that need to be done to be done please?

Reply

Housing Maintenance does not reimburse for works carried out by tenants. The other works in relation to mould/dampness will be addressed when the property is insulated/wrap around. The issue with the kitchen sink will be addressed by the Local Area Depot shortly.

Contact: Clive Ahern, Senior Executive Officer, Housing Maintenance
Email: clive.ahern@dublincity.ie

Q49 Councillor Sophie Nicoulaud

To ask the Director of Services when will work commence to install cycle parking at Benmadigan green in Drimnagh?

Reply

The Environment & Transportation Department has examined the location at Benmadigan Green for its suitability for the installation of cycle parking. Both the carriageway and adjacent footpaths are unsuitable due to the width constraints. Consultation has been carried out with the Parks Department exploring the possibility of installing a concrete pad on the green, permission has not been received to undertake this and therefore stands cannot be installed at this time.

Contact: Chris Adamson, Executive Engineer, Environment. & Transportation
Email: chris.adamson@dublincity.ie

DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
19th July 2023

- Q1** **Councillor Hazel De Nortiún**
To ask the Director of Services can a plan be drafted to reduce the build-up of shrubs and trees behind the Craobh Inchicore building that's on Grattan Crescent? The building backs onto the park and those using the building have been trying their best to keep the garden space clean. The build-up of trees etc are restricting those efforts.
- Q2** **Councillor Michael Pidgeon**
To ask the Director of Services to install a repeater filter turn light at the Lucan Road/Anna Livia Bridge junction in Chapelizod. There is a set of traffic lights there, with a main light and a filter/release light for left turns across the bridge. There is a repeater light on the other side of the junction, with just the main light. When cars go too far forward, they cannot see the filter light turn green, as there is no repeater light. This causes delays and cars behind to beep, which is a continuous nuisance for residents.
- Q3** **Councillor Máire Devine**
To ask the Director of Services that a review of opening times of the Library at Richmond Barracks be undertaken so that it more accurately serves the needs of the community.
- Q4** **Councillor Máire Devine**
To ask the Director of Services that the car parking spaces in front of the Quaker Burial Ground in Cork St be transformed into a "parklet" - similar to the design at Donore Avenue/Cork Street?
- Q5** **Councillor Máire Devine**
To ask the Director of Services that the resources from the closure of St Michaels Community Centre at Inchicore be reallocated to support community use of Richmond Barracks?
- Q6** **Councillor Máire Devine**
To ask the Director of Services for the immediate replacement of several dead trees along Cork Street/St Luke's Avenue as was achieved at the median on High Street with London Planes recently.
- Q7** **Councillor Máire Devine**
To ask the Director of Services that the trees in Sandford Avenue, Dublin 8, especially those mid-section that are causing extensive damage to homes, be assessed and hard pruned once the season allows?
- Q8** **Councillor Máire Devine**
To ask the Director of Services that the Council sends notice to the owner of (details supplied) requesting that the drains/Sewers be attended to so the strong pervasive effluent odour be neutralised for tenants and neighbours alike.
- Q9** **Councillor Máire Devine**
To ask the Director of Services for a timeline on the Thomas Street to Suir Bridge cycle way and that more effective methods be used to prevent the frequent and dangerous right turn at Rialto Bridge?

- Q10 Councillor Darragh Moriarty**
To ask the Director of Services for the Parks Department to trim back and assess the health of trees at *(details supplied)*
- Q11 Councillor Darragh Moriarty**
To ask the Director of Services for DCC to deal with a Pay & Display discrepancy off the South Circular Road *(details supplied)* where there is one street operating on a different time zone compared to three others. Can DCC engage with local residents and address this discrepancy as the time difference here makes the street a magnet for on-street parking compared to neighbouring streets.
- Q12 Councillor Darragh Moriarty**
To ask the Director of Services for Housing Maintenance to resolve serious maintenance issues which have been left ignored for months at a flat with three small children and two parents living in a one-bed *(details supplied)*.
- Q13 Councillor Darragh Moriarty**
To ask the Director of Services to update members on plans to deliver community/social enterprise space at the ground-floor of the DCC/Iveagh Trust proposed development at corner of Dolphins Barn/South Circular Road.
- Q14 Councillor Darragh Moriarty**
To ask the Director of Services In light of recent staff changes and vacancies, Dolphin House is currently without a Project Estate Manager or a Project Estate Officer. On the ground contact between DCC with residents has been reduced to once monthly by appointment only sessions at the Dolphin House Community Centre. Given the range of persistent maintenance issues arising for residents as well as some ongoing antisocial challenges, can the Director of Services confirm the following:
- When the vacancies at Dolphin will be filled and who is responsible for day to day contact in the interim; and
 - Whether DCC will reconsider its dramatic reduction in on-the-ground engagement with local residents and revert to weekly clinics with residents as a temporary measure until the Estate Management staff are appointed to fill the current vacancies.
- Q15 Councillor Daithí Doolan**
To ask the Director of Services for an update on progress made with maintenance issues in Davitt House, Drimnagh.
- Q16 Councillor Daithí Doolan**
To ask the Director of Services for an update on the plans for Glebe House, Crumlin.
- Q17 Councillor Daithí Doolan**
To ask the Director of Services for an update on the planned development of Coruba House?
- Q18 Councillor Daithí Doolan**
To ask the Director of Services for an update on the development of a multi-purpose sports facility in Cherry Orchard Park?

- Q19 Councillor Deirdre Cronin**
To ask the Director of Services how many properties have been examined under the tenant in situ scheme in the South Central area and the number refused by the council, if any, on grounds of over accommodating the tenants.
- Q20 Councillor Deirdre Cronin**
To ask the Director of Services if the council can re-examine the case of (details supplied) for admission to the tenant in situ scheme considering their age and the fact that they require 2 separate bedrooms and face eviction in the coming months?
- Q21 Councillor Deirdre Cronin**
To ask the Director of Services to examine the housing file of (details supplied) and to advise if the level of overcrowding in the property requires greater priority be attached to this application.
- Q22 Councillor Deirdre Cronin**
To ask the Director of Services to examine the housing file of (details supplied) and to advise if greater priority can be applied given the overcrowding and age groups of the family members involved.
- Q23 Councillor Deirdre Cronin**
To ask the Director of Services to supply details of condition surveys that have been carried out by DCC maintenance (or anyone working on behalf of DCC) in Oliver Bond House, Emmet Buildings & School Street flats and to provide copies of same.
- Q24 Councillor Deirdre Cronin**
To ask the Director of Services if new stock condition surveys are required under Housing for All on all flat complexes in South Central, and if so, is there a schedule for undertaking them.
- Q25 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Director of Services as a matter of urgency, ensure there is a bin located at every major Bus Stop in our communities. It is not viable that a basic requirement of a bin is not part of a bus stop / shelter.
- Q26 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Director of Services to please look into the following housing case (details supplied)
- Q27 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Director of Services to please look at the following - I had a couple with one child contact me in relation to housing. This couple both work but are unable to get a mortgage and are above the social housing threshold this couple are asking will they ever be able to have an opportunity to rent from DCC or buy a home as they fall between the cracks, it is a sad reflection on our society that they are thinking of giving up a job so as to come below the income limits for social housing. Is there any options available to them?
- Q28 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Director of Services please look at the following housing (details supplied)

- Q29 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Director of Services can the margins in the Cherry Orchard Area be cut by DCC or our contractors as a minimum to help keep the place clean and tidy? It is unreasonable just to stop this cutting without first discussing this strategy at local level.
- Q30 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Director of Services to look at the following housing issue (details supplied)
- Q31 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Director of Services to please give me a full report on why the builder of the Apartments at De La Salle has not been asked to invite local residents to meet in order to look at the issues raised with this huge development in the local community e.g.: Traffic movements, dirt / dust and noise. The Cycle Lane fronting the old De La Salle property is filthy and never cleaned. DCC need to ensure a proper channel is opened to ensure smooth progress in this major development in the years ahead and what community gain will come for the existing local community from this development.
- Q32 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud**
To ask the Director of Services to provide a status for (details supplied). Has succession right been given to him? His status has been paused and this needs to be sorted.
- Q33 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud**
To ask the Director of Services what is the outcome of enforcement procedure with (details supplied) A warning letter was issued around March 2023. Has the recipient of the enforcement letter responded to DCC? Was an inspection undertaken after the 4 week period? Are further enforcement actions required? Are additional investigations necessary to obtain sufficient evidence to sustain legal proceedings?
- Q34 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud**
To ask the Director of Services what is the future plan for traffic and circulation for vehicles on Jamestown Road and Kylemore Way?
- Q35 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud**
To ask the Director of Services to work with the Walkinstown Community Centre to bring the bingo back asap or for DCC to find an alternative solution. This has been going for a long time, elderlies in the area need as many outings as possible.
- Q36 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud**
To ask the Director of Services where is the plan to host Anti-Social Behaviour clinics in the Cherry Orchard Centre and in the Civic Offices? It was agreed with an Garda Commissioner and Alan Sherry to get this going to make sure AGS has a proximity approach to policing.
- Q37 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud**
To ask the Director of Services what is the roster for green space maintenance in Davitt House during the 12 months of the year.
- Q38 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud**
To ask the Director of Services for a review of the vacant units in Davitt House to be undertaken and for a timeframe for renovation and re-tenanting to be given to me.

Q39 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Director of Services to provide all Councillors with a copy of the fire safety inspection report from Dublin Fire Brigade carried out in Davitt House complex about 2 months ago.

Q40 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Director of Services to give details on what measures will the Transport Advisory Group implement to ensure traffic flow on Galtymore Road, between the junction of Carrow Road and Galtymore Road and the junction of Galtymore Road and Benbulbin Road.

Q41 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Director of Services how many DCC housing clinics are in operation in the Ballyfermot / Drimnagh constituency.

Q42 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Director of Services what is the plan on the land of the old pitch and putt in Lansdown Valley Park? Why was it closed in the first place? Is there any plan to reopen it? What is the overall plan to reopen this part of the park to the public?



South Central Area - TAG Meeting Minutes for Noting

(Area Committee Date: 19/07/2023)

Item	Enquiry	Topic	Road	Post	Request Description	Tag Result	Tag Comments	Request By	Received	Sec
1	7022605	Traffic Calming	MOERAN ROAD (SC)	Dublin 12	Traffic calming measures, including more prominent speed ramps, for Moeran Road.	Not Recommended	Recently speed surveys were conducted on Moeran Road, D12. The resultant 85th percentile speed was 38.3 kph. Appropriate traffic calming measures such as 4 speed ramps, '30kph Slow Zone' sign, a 'School Ahead' sign and 3.5tonne limit 'Maximum Gross Weight' and 'Zonal No Parking' signs at the entrance to Moeran Road from Cromwellsfort Road are already provided, therefore, the provision of any additional traffic calming measures is not recommended by the Transport Advisory Group at this time.	Member of the Public	13/09/2021	0
2	7024879	Traffic Calming	RIALTO STREET (SC)	Dublin 8	speed ramps, children at play signs speed restriction zones in built up area community	Not Recommended	Recently speed surveys were conducted on Rialto Street, D8. The resultant 85th percentile speed was 36.3 kph. Appropriate traffic calming measures such as 3 speed ramps, '30kph and a 'Slow Zone' sign at the entrance to Rialto Street from South Circular Road are already provided, therefore, the provision of any additional traffic calming measures is not recommended by the Transport Advisory Group at this time.	Member of the Public	10/02/2022	0
3	7025393	Double Yellow Lines	SARSFIELD ROAD (SC)	Dublin 10	Double yellow lines extending the entire length of Woodfield Terrace (17-25 Sarsfield Road)	Not Recommended	Based on the assessment of the Transport Advisory Group engineering team, it is not recommended to install Double Yellow Lines between property no.'s 17 - 25 Sarsfield Road, D8. If the customer would like to formalise the parking on Sarsfield Road, the customer can apply for a Pay & Display and Permit parking scheme. In order for Dublin City Council to implement a scheme, 35% or greater of households on the road need to be in favour of a Pay & Display and Permit parking scheme and it is necessary for Dublin City Council to receive written evidence in the form of written requests or a signed petition. See link on how to apply for a Pay & Display and Permit parking scheme: www.dublincity.ie/residential/parking-dublin-city-centre/start-parking-schem	Member of the Public	09/03/2022	0
4	7030446	Traffic Calming	STEPHENS ROAD (SC)	Dublin 8	Speed cameras, more Ramps, resident only signs, gates	Not Recommended	Recently speed surveys were conducted on Stephens Road, D8. The resultant 85th percentile speed was 32.6 kph. Speed Ramps are already provided on Stephens Road, therefore, the provision of any additional traffic calming measures is not recommended by the Transport Advisory Group at this time.	Member of the Public	25/11/2022	0
5	7030687	Yellow Box	JAMESTOWN AVENUE (SC)	Dublin 8	yellow boxes would help keep access free for neighbours and any sort of emergency services	Not Recommended	Based on the assessment of the Transport Advisory Group engineering team, it is not recommended to install a Yellow Box on Jamestown Avenue, D8 at the location of property no.'s 82 - 112. The Traffic Signs Manual, Section 7.9 states that certain criteria must be met before a Yellow Box can be provided and the traffic flow at this location does not meet the criteria.	Member of the Public	08/12/2022	0
6	7033693	Bus Infrastructure	LUCAN ROAD (SC)	Dublin 20	Bus Priority measure: change of hours.	Recommended	Bus priority measure: Change the hours/days of operation for the inbound bus lane on Lucan Road, commencing 40 metres west of lamp standard No. 30 and ending at lamp standard No. 12, change to 24 Hrs Monday-Sundays, currently 0700-1000 & 1230-1900 Monday-Saturday. STAT:Inbound bus lane on Lucan Road, starting from a point 40 metres east of lamp standard No. 30 and extending east to lamp standard No. 12, change to 24Hrs Monday-Sunday.	Internal	20/06/2023	0



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7	7033695	Bus Infrastructure	EMMET ROAD (SC)	Dublin 8	Bus priority measure: Bus stop marking and install disabled parking bay.	Recommended	Bus priority measure: On Emmet Road, move the disabled parking bay outside property No. 32 to occupy the parking bay to the east side of it (not pay & display), and extend the bus cage of bus stop 1945 to occupy the area of the current disabled parking bay. Currently buses are having trouble when pulling into the bus cage due to the proximity of the parking. STAT: Remove bus stop marking for stop 1945 asset Id. STAT_JUN19SC9. Install bus stop marking on south side of Emmet Road at bus stop No. 1945, starting from a point approximately 27.5 east of lamp standard No. 5, extending in an easterly direction for 25 metres. Install disabled parking bay on south side of Emmet Road, commencing from a point 18.5 metres west of lamp standard No. 3, extending 6 metres in a westerly direction.	Internal	20/06/2023	0
8	11122684	Traffic Calming	WALKINSTOWN PARADE (SC)	Dublin 12	Issues and serious concerns with speeding along the Walkinstown Drive area through Walkinstown Parade.	Not Recommended	Recently speed surveys were conducted on Walkinstown Drive and Walkinstown Parade, D12. The resultant 85th percentile speeds were 31.7 kph and 35.6 kph. Appropriate traffic calming measures such as speed ramps, '30kph Slow Zone' signs at the entrance from Longmile Road, Walkinstown Road and Walkinstown Avenue, and 'School Warden Crossing' signs on Walkinstown Parade outside Assumption National School are already provided. There are also 3.5tonne limit 'Maximum Gross Weight' signs at the entrance to Walkinstown Parade from the Longmile Road, therefore, the provision of any additional traffic calming measures is not recommended by the Transport Advisory Group at this time.	Member of the Public	23/05/2022	0
9	11135081	Loading Bay	CROSTICK ALLEY (SC)	Dublin 8	request loading bay.	Not Recommended	Based on the assessment of the Transport Advisory Group engineering team, it is not recommended to install an additional loading bay on Meath Street, D8. The loading bay on Meath Street operates for a duration of 12 hours, 0700 - 1900, Monday to Saturday. The operational period provides ample opportunity for goods vehicles to load and unload. The engineer observed that there are non-goods vehicles parking in the loading bay. In accordance with the Road Traffic (Traffic & Parking) Regulations, 1997, Article 42 (1) & (2), it is illegal for a non-goods vehicle to park in a loading bay. A goods vehicle is allowed to load and unload in a loading bay for 30 minutes. If the customer observes non-goods vehicles parking in the loading bay, the customer should contact Dublin Street Parking Services (www.dsps.ie) for enforcement, by e-mailing info@dsps.ie or calling 01 602 2500.	Member of the Public	23/03/2023	0
10	11135266	Traffic Calming	LUCAN ROAD (SC)	Dublin 20	request traffic calming	Not Recommended	Recently speed surveys were conducted on Lucan Road, D20. The resultant 85th percentile speed is 53.2 kph. Appropriate traffic calming measures such as 'Slow' markings, and 3.5tonne limit 'Maximum Gross Weight' signs are already provided. It is also on bus route, therefore, the provision of any additional traffic calming measures is not recommended by the Transport Advisory Group at this time.	Member of the Public	28/03/2023	0



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11	11137715	Parking Restrictions	TYRCONNELL PARK (SC)	Dublin 8	request restriction on corner outside 127 Tyrconnell Park Inchicore.	Recommended	In accordance with the Road Traffic (Traffic & Parking) Regulations 1997, 36.(1)(c), it is illegal to park within 5 metres of a junction. The Transport Advisory Group does not recommend installing a single yellow line on the road outside No. 127 Tyrconnell Park, as it is not current policy of Dublin City Council to install a single yellow line at a junction as the prohibition already exists in law. The Transport Advisory Group has notified Dublin Street Parking Services of illegal parking on Tyrconnell Park, D8 and requested them to enforce penalties. If the Customer continues to observe illegal parking, the Customer should contact Dublin Street Parking Services (www.dsps.ie) by e-mail at info@dsps.ie or by calling 01 602 2500. The Transport Advisory Group does recommend installing a Yield Line and Yield Marking at the junction of Tyrconnell Park, D8.	Member of the Public	08/05/2023	0
12	11137827	No Entry	SARFIELD ROAD (SC)	Dublin 10	signage requested	Not Recommended	Based on the assessment of the Transport Advisory Group engineering team the appropriate signage is in place on the northern carriageway of Grattan Crescent, D8, in advance of the junction with Sarsfield Road, D8 (No Left Turn except buses and cyclists) and at the junction of Grattan Crescent with Sarsfield Road (No Right Turn except buses and cyclists). If motorists are making an illegal left turn or an illegal right turn from Grattan Crescent onto Sarsfield Road it is a matter for An Garda Siochana to enforce penalties.	TD	10/05/2023	0
13	11139058	3.5 Tonne Limit	MARTIN'S ROW (SC)	Dublin 20	Better signs for 3:5 tonne vehicles.	Not Recommended	The issue of goods vehicles ignoring the 3.5 tonne limit signs or speeding over speed ramps is not dealt with by the Transport Advisory Group. The appropriate signage is in place on Chapelizod Main Street at the junction of Chapelizod Road/Chapelizod Main Street. Heavy Goods Vehicles are legally allowed to enter a road if they are delivering goods or services. However, if HGVs are using the road as a thoroughfare, then entry is illegal. This issue is a matter for An Garda Siochana to enforce penalties and the Customer should contact the local Garda Siochana.	Member of the Public	07/06/2023	0

To the Chairperson and Members
of the South Central Area Committee

20th June 2023

Traffic Service Requests, Status Report as at 15/06/2023 South Central Area Committee Meeting 19/07/2023

Traffic Advisory Group (TAG) Service Request Statistics

No. TAG Requests received since previous report	20
Total TAG Requests currently open on Confirm	170

Breakdown of TAG Requests currently open on Confirm

Stage 1	1
Stage 2	105
Stage 3	1
Stage 4	47
Stage 5	16
Appeal	-

General traffic service requests not requiring Statutory Orders.

Total Non Tag requests received since previous report	23
Total Non Tag requests currently open on Confirm.	133

Traffic Advisory Group Status Reports

Explanation of Stages:

- Stage 1 - Set up file, Assignment to Engineer, etc
- Stage 2 - Assessment, Site surveys, review statutory orders, etc
- Stage 3 - Consultations, with Garda, Dublin Bus, Luas, NTA, Local residents / businesses, etc
- Stage 4 - Decision, TAG group, statutory orders, etc
- Stage 5 - Implementation, signs, lines, construction, signal changes, certifications, etc

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1	7027497		BULFIN ROAD (SC)	Bus Stop Marking	27/06/2022	1
2	7014083		MEATH STREET (SC)	Pedestrian Zone	02/03/2020	2
3	7015061		SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	22/05/2020	2
4	7015164		DRIMNAGH ROAD (SC)	One-Way System	05/06/2020	2
5	7015888		ARDEE STREET (SC)	Traffic Calming	06/07/2020	2
6	7017658	Q 15 09/20;	CLADDAGH GREEN (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	30/10/2020	2
7	7017667		MERTON AVENUE (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	02/11/2020	2
8	7020026		INCHICORE TERRACE SOUTH (SC)	Traffic Calming	15/04/2021	2
9	7020521	Q 13 05/20;	CORK STREET (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	12/05/2021	2
10	7021392		FINGAL STREET (SC)	Traffic Calming	30/06/2021	2
11	7021467		SLIEVEMORE ROAD (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	05/07/2021	2
12	7022095		SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD (SC)	Bus Stop Marking	12/08/2021	2
13	7022365		DOWLAND ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	31/08/2021	2
14	7022439		KILMAINHAM LANE (SC)	Traffic Calming	03/09/2021	2
15	7022676		SAINT JAMES'S TERRACE (SC)	One-Way System	16/09/2021	2
16	7022677		COOLEY ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	16/09/2021	2
17	7023732		TYRCONNELL ROAD (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	18/11/2021	2
18	7023843		WALKINSTOWN AVENUE (SC)	Traffic Calming	25/11/2021	2
19	7024142		BALLYFERMOT ROAD (SC)	Cycle Track	13/12/2021	2
20	7025014		MARTIN'S ROW (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	18/02/2022	2
21	7027265		GILBERT ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	14/06/2022	2
22	7027794		OLD KILMAINHAM (SC)	Traffic Calming	11/07/2022	2
23	7027975		BRAITHWAITE STREET (SC)	Traffic Calming	18/07/2022	2
24	7028088		SOMERVILLE PARK (SC)	Traffic Calming	21/07/2022	2
25	7028318		ORANMORE ROAD (SC)	Speed Ramps	09/08/2022	2
26	7028550		REHOBOTH PLACE (SC)	Traffic Calming	17/08/2022	2
27	7029672		CHAPELIZOD ROAD (SC)	School Warden	17/10/2022	2
28	7029675		DONORE AVENUE (SC)	Traffic Calming	17/10/2022	2



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29	7029787		OLD NAAS ROAD (SC)	Stop Sign	21/10/2022	2
30	7029788		OLD NAAS ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	21/10/2022	2
31	7029874		THOMAS DAVIS STREET WEST (SC)	Traffic Calming	25/10/2022	2
32	7029875		COOLEY ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	25/10/2022	2
33	7030519		SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD (SC)	Buildout	30/11/2022	2
34	7030522		CLARENCE MANGAN ROAD (SC)	Buildout	30/11/2022	2
35	7030523		OSCAR SQUARE (SC)	Buildout	30/11/2022	2
36	7030528		SAINT JAMES'S PLACE (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	30/11/2022	2
37	7030633		JAMESTOWN ROAD (SC)	Buildout	07/12/2022	2
38	7030675		DONORE AVENUE (SC)	Traffic Calming	08/12/2022	2
39	7030919		DRUMFINN AVENUE (SC)	Speed Ramps	03/01/2023	2
40	7030970		JAMES'S STREET (SC)	Coach Parking	06/01/2023	2
41	7031002		DAVITT ROAD (SC)	Parking Restrictions	10/01/2023	2
42	11131057	TRF478509	SAINT VINCENT STREET WEST (SC)	Buildout	14/01/2023	2
43	7031142		BROWN STREET SOUTH (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	19/01/2023	2
44	7031238		MOERAN ROAD (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	24/01/2023	2
45	11131755	TRF481082	WORMWOOD GATE (SC)	Advanced Right Turn Lane Arrow	25/01/2023	2
46	11132161	TRF482724	SLIEVEBLOOM ROAD (SC)	Speed Ramps	31/01/2023	2
47	7031444		O'DONOGHUE STREET (SC)	Parking Restrictions	03/02/2023	2
48	11132655	TRF485532	PIM STREET (SC)	No Parking	09/02/2023	2
49	11132966	TRF487223	ROTHER ABBEY (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	14/02/2023	2
50	11133063	TRF487771	ALMEIDA AVENUE (SC)	Speed Ramps	16/02/2023	2
51	11133910	TRF492746	SAINT MARY'S DRIVE (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	02/03/2023	2
52	11134010	TRF493809	WALKINSTOWN PARADE (SC)	Traffic Calming	06/03/2023	2
53	11134429	TRF496582	EMMET CRESCENT (SC)	Children Crossing Sign	13/03/2023	2
54	11134605	TRF497602	WALKINSTOWN AVENUE (SC)	No U Turn	16/03/2023	2
55	11134646	TRF497773	MEATH STREET (SC)	Traffic Calming	16/03/2023	2
56	11134667	TRF498187	BULFIN ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	17/03/2023	2



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57	11134822	TRF499068	BULFIN ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	20/03/2023	2
58	11135026	TRF499912	SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	22/03/2023	2
59	11135194	TRF501596	O'BRIEN ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	27/03/2023	2
60	11135256	TRF501942	MARROWBONE LANE (SC)	Yellow Box	28/03/2023	2
61	11135296	TRF502199	SLIEVEBLOOM ROAD (SC)	No Left Turn	28/03/2023	2
62	11135302	TRF502261	NEW IRELAND ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	28/03/2023	2
63	11135377	TRF502608	BULFIN ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	29/03/2023	2
64	11135426	TRF502906	PARK WEST AVENUE (SC)	Pedestrian Crossing	30/03/2023	2
65	7032379		GALTYMORE ROAD (SC)	Disab Park Bay Residential	31/03/2023	2
66	11135526	TRF503449	GALTYMORE ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	31/03/2023	2
67	11135604	TRF504533	GALTYMORE ROAD (SC)	No Parking	03/04/2023	2
68	11135619	TRF504667	SOUTHERN CROSS AVENUE (SC)	Stop Sign	03/04/2023	2
69	11135620	TRF504669	SOUTHERN CROSS AVENUE (SC)	Speed Ramps	03/04/2023	2
70	7032493		CARMAN'S HALL (SC)	Traffic Calming	11/04/2023	2
71	11136109	TRF507769	CHAPELIZOD ROAD (SC)	Yellow Box	14/04/2023	2
72	11136341	TRF508872	SAINT LAURENCE ROAD (SC)	No Parking	18/04/2023	2
73	11136446	TRF509254	BLACKPITTS (SC)	No Parking	20/04/2023	2
74	11136745	TRF510312	DOWLAND ROAD (SC)	Speed Ramps	24/04/2023	2
75	11136825	TRF510445	DONORE AVENUE (SC)	Stop Line	25/04/2023	2
76	11137130	TRF511195	KING'S HALL (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	27/04/2023	2
77	11137248	TRF511701	KING'S HALL (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	29/04/2023	2
78	11137258	TRF512044	BASIN VIEW (SC)	School Warden	01/05/2023	2
79	11137259	TRF512044	BASIN VIEW (SC)	Traffic Calming	01/05/2023	2
80	11137260	TRF512045	BASIN VIEW (SC)	Children Crossing Sign	01/05/2023	2
81	11137574	TRF513385	EUGENE STREET (SC)	Speed Ramps	05/05/2023	2
82	11137651	TRF513661	GRAND CANAL BANK (SC)	Speed Ramps	07/05/2023	2
83	11137941	TRF514958	CHAPELIZOD ROAD (SC)	Bus Lane	11/05/2023	2
84	11137942	TRF514963	MAIDEN ROW (SC)	No Parking	11/05/2023	2



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85	11137943	TRF514963	KING'S HALL (SC)	No Parking	11/05/2023	2
86	11137945	TRF514964	CHAPELIZOD ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	11/05/2023	2
87	11137991	TRF515226	SOMERVILLE AVENUE (SC)	Speed Ramps	12/05/2023	2
88	11137993	TRF515230	SOMERVILLE AVENUE (SC)	Traffic Calming	12/05/2023	2
89	11138165	TRF516344	DOLPHIN'S BARN STREET (SC)	Yellow Box	16/05/2023	2
90	11138300	TRF517073	GRAND CANAL BANK (SC)	Pedestrian Crossing	18/05/2023	2
91	11138602	TRF518807	SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD (SC)	Yellow Box	24/05/2023	2
92	11138620	TRF518820	WALKINSTOWN AVENUE (SC)	Pedestrian Crossing	25/05/2023	2
93	11138664	TRF519082	BASIN VIEW (SC)	School Ahead Sign	25/05/2023	2
94	11138665	TRF519084	SAINT VINCENT STREET WEST (SC)	Pedestrian Crossing	25/05/2023	2
95	11138717	TRF519370	SAINT VINCENT STREET WEST (SC)	Disab Park Bay General	26/05/2023	2
96	11138840	TRF520306	JAMESTOWN AVENUE (SC)	No Parking	31/05/2023	2
97	11138960	TRF521452	SAINT VINCENT STREET WEST (SC)	School Ahead Sign	05/06/2023	2
98	7033442		ORCHARD LAWNS (SC)	Traffic Calming	06/06/2023	2
99	7033454		SPIDDAL ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	07/06/2023	2
100	7033455		ORANMORE ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	07/06/2023	2
101	7033456		CLADDAGH ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	07/06/2023	2
102	7033458		CLADDAGH ROAD (SC)	Children Crossing Sign	07/06/2023	2
103	11139057	TRF522108	GURTEEN AVENUE (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	07/06/2023	2
104	11139317	TRF523658	KNOCKNAREA ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	13/06/2023	2
105	11139318	TRF523661	LUCAN ROAD (SC)	Traffic Lights (Relocate)	13/06/2023	2
106	11139319	TRF523668	GURTEEN AVENUE (SC)	Traffic Calming	13/06/2023	2
107	7019036		EBENEZER TERRACE (SC)	P&D/Permit Parking	12/02/2021	3
108	7008552		PIM STREET (SC)	P&D/Permit Parking	17/04/2019	4
109	7010588	Q 33 JULY	ROSSMORE DRIVE (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	30/07/2019	4
110	7012743		DAVITT ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	03/12/2019	4
111	7018320		MOUNTSHANNON ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	08/12/2020	4
112	7019388		KILMAINHAM LANE (SC)	P&D Parking (Rescind)	08/03/2021	4



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113	7019399		BOW LANE WEST (SC)	Traffic Calming	09/03/2021	4
114	7021339		CLIFDEN ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	28/06/2021	4
115	7022558		COLEPARK ROAD (SC)	Speed Ramps	09/09/2021	4
116	7022605		MOERAN ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	13/09/2021	4
117	7022757		KILMAINHAM LANE (SC)	Yellow Box	22/09/2021	4
118	7023480		SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD (SC)	Bus Stop Marking	03/11/2021	4
119	7023834		DAVITT ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	24/11/2021	4
120	7024879		RIALTO STREET (SC)	Traffic Calming	10/02/2022	4
121	7025141		BLUEBELL ROAD (SC)	Parking Restrictions	24/02/2022	4
122	7025392		SARFIELD ROAD (SC)	Speed Cushions	09/03/2022	4
123	7025393		SARFIELD ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	09/03/2022	4
124	7025687		EMMET ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines (Extend)	29/03/2022	4
125	7025984		SAINT JAMES AVENUE (SC)	Traffic Calming	12/04/2022	4
126	7026042		LUCAN ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	13/04/2022	4
127	7026676		WALKINSTOWN ROAD (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	13/05/2022	4
128	11122684	2902794	WALKINSTOWN PARADE (SC)	Traffic Calming	23/05/2022	4
129	7026939		RAFTERS ROAD (SC)	Double Yellow Lines (Extend)	26/05/2022	4
130	11123524	2908054	CLARENCE MANGAN ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	15/06/2022	4
131	7028133		MILL STREET (SC)	TAG General Engineer Query	26/07/2022	4
132	7028484		BALFE ROAD EAST (SC)	Cul-De-Sac	15/08/2022	4
133	7028521		RIALTO DRIVE (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	16/08/2022	4
134	7028819		BLUEBELL AVENUE (SC)	Stop Sign	01/09/2022	4
135	7029786		OLD NAAS ROAD (SC)	Yellow Box (Extend)	21/10/2022	4
136	7030446		STEPHENS ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	25/11/2022	4
137	7030687		JAMESTOWN AVENUE (SC)	Yellow Box	08/12/2022	4
138	7030862		CHAPELIZOD ROAD (SC)	Yellow Box	21/12/2022	4
139	7031657		LONG MILE ROAD (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	21/02/2023	4
140	7031663		NAAS ROAD (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	21/02/2023	4



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141	7031997		JOHN STREET SOUTH (SC)	Disab Park Bay Residential	09/03/2023	4
142	7032205		BALLYFERMOT ROAD (SC)	Yellow Box (Extend)	22/03/2023	4
143	11135081	TRF500393	CROSTICK ALLEY (SC)	Loading Bay	23/03/2023	4
144	7032300		KILMAINHAM LANE (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	28/03/2023	4
145	11135266	TRF502004	LUCAN ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	28/03/2023	4
146	7032414		GOLDENBRIDGE AVENUE (SC)	Yield Sign	04/04/2023	4
147	7032492		INGRAM ROAD (SC)	Disab Park Bay Residential	11/04/2023	4
148	7032609		CHAPELIZOD ROAD (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	20/04/2023	4
149	7032610		SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	20/04/2023	4
150	11136725	TRF510277	PIM STREET (SC)	No Parking	24/04/2023	4
151	7032929		CONVENT LAWNS (SC)	Disab Park Bay Residential	08/05/2023	4
152	11137715	TRF513925	TYRCONNELL PARK (SC)	Parking Restrictions	08/05/2023	4
153	11137827	TRF514473	SARFIELD ROAD (SC)	No Entry	10/05/2023	4
154	11139058	TRF522135	MARTIN'S ROW (SC)	3.5 Tonne Limit	07/06/2023	4
155	7014489		REHOBOTH PLACE (SC)	Parking Restrictions	26/03/2020	5
156	7018935		RUTLEDGE TERRACE (SC)	P&D/Permit Parking	05/02/2021	5
157	7022591		SAINT JOHN'S STREET (SC)	Double Yellow Lines	10/09/2021	5
158	7024515		CHAPELIZOD ROAD (SC)	No Right Turn Except Cyclists	20/01/2022	5
159	7025716		SAINT JOHN'S ROAD WEST (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	30/03/2022	5
160	7025718		VICTORIA QUAY (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	30/03/2022	5
161	7025723		USHER'S QUAY (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	30/03/2022	5
162	7025726		MERCHANT'S QUAY (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	30/03/2022	5
163	7025910	Q1 SCAC 0	SARFIELD ROAD (SC)	Traffic Calming	07/04/2022	5
164	7027338		DOLPHIN'S BARN STREET (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	16/06/2022	5
165	7027349		WALKINSTOWN AVENUE (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	16/06/2022	5
166	7027354		DRIMNAGH ROAD (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	16/06/2022	5
167	7027355		KYLEMORE ROAD (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	16/06/2022	5
168	7029576		CONYNGHAM ROAD (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	12/10/2022	5



Status Report

Item	Enquiry	SP Ref	Site	Subject	Logged	Status
169	7029870		OUR LADY'S ROAD (SC)	Continuous White Line	25/10/2022	5
170	7031240		SAINT JOHN'S ROAD WEST (SC)	Bus Infrastructure	24/01/2023	5

**The Chairperson and Members
South Central Area Committee**

Waste Management Report – July 2023

RE: Collection of Green Waste Clippings

With regard to green waste, Parks & Landscape Services have advised the following:-

“In accordance with a more sustainable policy with regard to amenity grass maintenance to support the establishment of wildflower rich swards, DCC will only be maintaining open spaces/greens and will not be cutting grass margins in residential estates.

Residents who wish to maintain a more manicured margin can do so. This policy is in keeping with the policy of every other local authority in the country. Support for Tidy Towns and environmental groups who wish to contribute to the appearance of their neighbourhood streets will be available by contacting their local public domain officer.”

Should Resident Committee’s/Environmental Groups wish to cut the grass margin, it is DCC’s preference that the cut grass should be left in place to allow for return of valuable nutrients like nitrogen back into the soil in accordance with best practice and as outlined in the document attached. See url link below

[Ghttps://www.dublincity.ie/sites/default/files/2023-01/DCC%20GrassCycling](https://www.dublincity.ie/sites/default/files/2023-01/DCC%20GrassCycling)

While Waste Management are fully supportive of the Parks and Landscape biodiversity policy and the Environmental Protection Agency policy on grass cycling, we are mindful of resident’s groups hard work in maintaining their local areas.

Where Residents Committee’s/Environmental Groups wish to maintain a more manicured margin, and wish this grass to be collected then they should **only** use Waste Management services new “Compostable bags”. These bags will be collected, subject to prior engagement with waste management staff and the local public domain teams, and when resources are available at times agreed between the Resident Committee’s and Waste Management Staff. We would like to reiterate that collection of cut grass and presentation for collection should only be carried out on **rare** occasions as Waste Management services have not planned for this service, and the servicing of such is demanding on resources. It should be noted that large green spaces are not included in this service.

Green waste from private gardens should not be presented for collection and should be disposed of within the brown bin. Green waste presented by private residents will be regarded as illegal dumping and could be subject to a fine of €150.00

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SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE

DUBLIN CITY SPORT & WELLBEING PARTNERSHIP REPORT

JULY 2023

2023 – Linking in with National Events & Initiatives

The primary goal of DCSWP is to provide opportunities for everyone to get involved in sport & physical activity regardless of age, gender or ability. During 2023 DCSWP continues to align the planning and delivery of programmes with national and international events. This strategic approach helps maximise promotion of the service, adds momentum to local programmes and initiatives and ultimately increases reach across communities in Dublin City.

Please see below highlight programmes for July 2023. New initiatives/programmes will be reported on in the August area report.

FUNTROPOLIS

Dublin City Council's Funtropolis will return to Merrion Square Park on Saturday and Sunday, July 8th & 9th, from 12 pm-6 pm and Mountjoy Square Park on Saturday and Sunday, August 19th & 20th, from 12 pm-6 pm. Learn something new in the Science Zone, or take some time to get Zen in the DCC Sports and Wellbeing Zone, complete with various sports demos

DCSWP are delighted to be involved in this free Family Fun day in the heart of the City for more information see link below;

[Funtropolis - Dublin.ie](https://www.dublincity.ie/funtropolis)

HELL & BACK 2023

Ireland's largest and toughest obstacle course challenge is back this year. DCSWP will have local youth services to support its youngest and most daring participants Training programmes are being provided across the city and South Central Area during the summer for young people in the lead up to the 7km adventure challenge in Kilruddery, Wicklow in August.

Active Cities Box Up Stations

As part of the Active Cities Dublin initiative (funded through Dormant Accounts and Sport Ireland), the Sports Partnership have purchased two Boxup storage stations to be used for storing sports equipment in outdoor parks.

These unique stations are designed to store a variety of sports and exercise equipment that can be accessed by the public free of charge for up to 3 hours. The user just downloads the Boxup app on their phone which then enables them to choose the sporting equipment they would like to borrow. The locker is then opened and the equipment made available to them. The App, which is registered to the user using a document of identification, will also provide user data and feedback.

The Boxups will provide more opportunities for people of all abilities to get active and will encourage increased use of parks sporting facilities and open spaces.

The boxes are solar powered providing an economical and environmentally friendly way of providing better access to new and existing activities. DCSWP have ordered two units one to be placed in Mt Bernard Park, Cabra and the second in Sundrive Park, Kimmage.

All DCSWP highlight programmes will continue to be supported by our social media channels and the DCSWP Virtual Hub. See below:

- Dublin City Sport & Wellbeing Partnership Virtual Hub: www.dcwspub.ie
- Email: sports@dublincity.ie
- Twitter: [@dccsportsrec](https://twitter.com/dccsportsrec)
- Facebook: [DublinCitySportandWellbeing](https://www.facebook.com/DublinCitySportandWellbeing)
- Instagram: [@dublincitysportandwellbeing](https://www.instagram.com/dublincitysportandwellbeing)

SCA Highlight Programmes July/August 2023

Name of core programme:	Bluebell Summer Camp
Description of programme activity:	Multi Sports Camp
Age group:	U14
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	5 th -12 th July ,Bluebell Community Sports Centre

Name of core programme:	Inchicore Family Fun Day
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Description of programme activity:	Family Day with mixed sports
Age group:	All ages
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	13 th July, St. Michaels field

Name of core programme:	D8 Adventure Sports
Description of programme activity:	Groups from all over the canals area taking part in adventure sports in Ballyfermot adventure centre
Age group:	U18s
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	18 th July, Ballyfermot Adventure centre

Name of core programme:	Bluebell Swimming
Description of programme activity:	Young people from bluebell to take part in open swim sessions
Age group:	U14
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	7 th -14 th July Ballyfermot LC

Name of core programme:	Footee golf
Description of programme activity:	Young people from the D8 area to take part in FOOTEE golf sessions
Age group:	U18
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	14 th July, Footee Golf Tallaght

Champions – People with physical, intellectual and sensory disabilities

Name of core programme:	Champions
Description of programme activity:	Multi-Fitness Exercise Classes
Age group:	Adults (age 18 + years)
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Every Wednesday from 11am in St. John of God's, Islandbridge

Name of core programme:	Champions
Description of programme activity:	Multi-Fitness Exercise Classes
Age group:	Age 7-18 years
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Every Tuesday from 3.30pm in the F2 Centre, Rialto and every Thursday from 4pm in Bluebell Community Centre

Change for Life 2023 – Underactive Communities

Name of core programme:	Change For Life
Description of programme activity:	Cherry Orchard Multi-sport programme
Age group:	Adults (age 18 + years)
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Ongoing every Sunday from 9:30am

Name of core programme:	Change For Life
Description of programme activity:	Multi-fitness activities aimed at communities in Fatima.
Partners:	Fatima Groups United
Age group:	Adults (age 18 + years)
Gender:	Mixed

Date/time and location:	Ongoing classes F2 Centre every Monday from 5.30pm and every Thursday from 5.30pm
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Name of core programme:	Change For Life
Description of programme activity:	Multi-fitness activities aimed at communities in Bluebell.
Partners:	Bluebell Community Centre
Age group:	Adults (age 18 + years)
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Ongoing classes in Bluebell CC every Wednesday from 12 noon and every Thursday from 7pm

Name of core programme:	Change For Life
Description of programme activity:	Multi-fitness activities aimed at communities in Inchicore.
Partners:	Inchicore Family Resource Centre
Age group:	Young people
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Ongoing classes in Inchicore FRC every Tuesday from 10am and every Thursday from 11am.

Older Adults – Age 55+ years

Name of core programme:	Walking Football Taster Sessions
Partners :	FAI Co-Funded Officers
Gender:	Mixed
Date/Time and location:	Orchards Centre every Thursday from 11.30am

Name of core programme:	Boules Sessions
Description of programme activity:	Older Adult Bowling programme
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Cherry Orchard Community Centre. Every Tuesday from 11am - 1

Name of core programme:	Fighting Fit Multi-Fitness Programme
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Cherry Orchard Boxing Club every Wednesday from 4pm

Youth at Risk (10-24 years) - Aimed at providing viable opportunities for young people in the SCA to stay active and thereby mitigate anti-social behaviour). All programmes are delivered in partnership with local SCA groups and Youth Services.

Name of core programme:	Youth At Risk Gaisce
Description of programme activity:	Support 3 groups with young people on GAISCE programme BYS - Equine Centre - Kylemore CTC
Age group:	14 to 26 Years
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	1 st -9 th July Ballyfermot / Cherry Orchard

Name of core programme:	Youth At Risk High Board Diving Programme
Partners:	Ballyfermot Youth Services/Familiabase
Age group:	10 – 26 years
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	National Aquatic Centre every Wednesday from 5.30pm

Name of core programme:	Afterschool Boxing Introduction Programme
Partners:	Kylemore College/Co-funded Boxing Officer
Age group:	12-15 years
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Cherry Orchard Boxing Club every Thursday from 3pm

Name of core programme:	Ian Daly 'Swim A Mile With A Smile' Charity Swim Training 2023
Partners:	Ballyfermot Youth Services/Familiabase
Age group:	10-25 years
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Ballyfermot Youth & Fitness Pool.

Name of core programme:	Fundamental Fitness Tusla After-School Referrral Programme
Partners:	Familiabase
Age group:	4- 12 years
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Ballyfermot Youth & Fitness Centre every Thursday from 3pm. G

Name of core programme:	Swim For Mile Youth Reach Programme
Partners:	Local Youth Services
Age group:	17-21 years
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	Trinity College Pool every Thursday from 2pm

Name of core programme:	Football Youth Programme
Partners:	Foróige Youth Club/FAI Co-funded
Age group:	10-12 years
Gender:	Male
Date/time and location:	St. Catherine's Sports & Fitness Centre every Monday from 4pm

Name of core programme:	Teenage Boot Camp Lifestyle Change Programme
Partners:	IABA Co-funded
Age group:	8-11 years
Gender:	Mixed
Date/time and location:	St. Catherine's Boxing Club every Wednesday from 5pm

Name of core programme:	Men On The Move
Description of programme activity:	Exercise, Health & Nutrition programme
Age group:	Adults (age 18 + years)
Gender:	Mixed
Date/Time and location:	Wednesdays from 10am in the F2 Centre, Rialto and in Lionsville Hostel, Chapelizod every Monday from 11am

Underactive Communities

Name of core programme:	Fatima Holistic Health
Description of programme activity:	Pilates exercise class aimed at underactive adults as part of a holistic health programme
Age Group:	18+
Gender:	Mixed
Date/Time and location	Wednesday 10.30am - F2 Centre, Rialto ongoing

Sport Inclusion & Integration (Citywide Inclusion & Integration programmes (programmes include participants from the SCA))

- Boccia with Enable Ireland will take place on Mondays from 11 to 12 in f2 centre. Boccia is a precision ball sport requiring accuracy and strategy.
- Sport for All Table Cricket (adapted cricket) programme in partnership with Enable Ireland, Sandymount and DCSWP Co-funded Cricket Officer every Wednesday from January to July (age 10-18 years, Ongoing).
- Learn 2 Cycle programme for young people with additional needs looking to start or improve cycling skills in Ballyfermot Sports & Fitness Centre every Friday from (age 4 – 18 years, ongoing).
- The Activator Pole Walking programme aimed at older adults with physical and intellectual disabilities will continue in partnership with St. Vincent's Centre, Navan Rd.

DCSW South Central Area Co-Funded Programmes

Athletics in the Community

Couch to 3/5k and walking programmes continue in the SCA in partnership with co-funded Athletics Officers. Officers continue to engage with local schools re Daily Mile programme.

Boxing in the Community

The Start Box Aviva Stadium Experience provides an opportunity to primary schools, secondary schools and community groups to visit the National Soccer and Rugby Stadium and be inspired by stories of past sporting heroes. Groups visiting the stadium have full access to the stadium's facilities. This event is free of charge to all participants. Bookings for this event are ongoing. On - site visits will take place from 5th June to 26 July from 12pm-2pm. The following schools will take part this year;

- St Audeon's First Class
- St Francis CBS
- St Francis
- South West Inner City Network (SWICN)
- Drimnagh BC

Cricket in the Community

Cricket Officer to support inclusive programmes (see above re Table Cricket) and engage with the following SCA schools via introductory softball cricket sessions:

- Drimnagh Castle Secondary School every Monday from 3 -4.30pm (mixed age 13-15 years)
- Kylemore College, Ballyfermot every Tuesday from 2 – 3.30pm (mixed age 16 years)

Football in the Community

FAI youth football initiatives continue - walking football aimed at Older Adults to continue (as outlined above), Football For All (disability), grassroots school, coaching and leadership programmes, women in football and Youth Fit initiatives.

Rugby in the Community

Tag rugby in-school sessions continue in SCA primary and secondary schools continue Secondary schools are also participating in contact rugby sessions.

Rowing in the Community

There will be a Get Rowing programme on the **4th July** in Dublin City Councils Rowing centre groups from all over the canals area will take part.

Secondary school engagement to continue re indoor rowing programmes. On the water programmes will be supported by an increase in equipment.

Swimming in the Community

As previously reported DCC/DCSWP recently appointed a Co-funded Swimming Ireland Development Officer. Progress reports to be included going forward in 2023. Indoor and open water facilities are currently being identified to maximise participation (including existing facilities) along with plans to increase lifeguarding training.

Training for 2023

- First Aid training for Dolphin Staff and participants to be trained up in Basic 1st aid 3 hour course
- Safeguarding 1,2 & 3 (on-demand basis)
- Health & Safety (administrative & DCC Sports & Fitness Centres)
- PHECC Training
- Disability & Inclusion in Sport training programmes delivered in partnership with CARA.

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