

Report to Housing SPC

Date: Friday 21st April 2017

Item No. 6

Traveller Accommodation Update

1. <u>Traveller Accommodation - Profile of Living Units</u> April 2017

A profile of living units has been carried out across Dublin City Council in order to ascertain the housing needs of the travelling community. There are 234 official living units in the city with a further 178 illegal units spread throughout 6 illegal sites and in official sites.

Northside	House	Caravans	Bays	Structures	Units	Mobiles
Avila Park	28		0	0	1	0
Avila Close	6		0		0	0
Avila Gardens	14		0	0	0	0
		27				
Cara Park	30		0	0	8	0
Cara Close	12		0	0	0	0
		22				
St Margaret's Park	0	20	30	8	0	0
St Mary's Park	10	1	0	0	0	0
St Joseph's Park	0	14	14	0	0	0
Grove Lane	0	1	0	0	0	0
Northern Close	11	0	0	0	0	0
Total	116	85	44	8	9	0
Southside	House	Caravans	Bays	Structures	Units	Mobiles
Labre Park	14	5	0	0	18	0
Kylemore Grove	8	11	0	0	0	0
Bridgeview	10	1	0	0	1	0
St. Oliver's Park	1	0	14	0	0	0
Total	33	17	14	0	19	0
Illegal Sites	House	Caravans	Bays	Structures	Units	Mobiles
St Dominics	0	0	23	0	0	0
Wards Field	0	4	0	6	0	4
Gavins Field	0	12	0	2	0	0
Joyces Fiels	0	4	0	0	0	0
Purcells Field	0	4	0	4	0	0
Tara Lawns	0	0	10	0	0	0
Total	0	24	33	12	0	4
	House	Caravans	Bays	Structures	Units	Mobiles
Overall Total	144	126	90	20	28	4
	412 living	units across	Dublin City	Council Are	а	

Fire Safety Review: Implementation of the Review is ongoing. On a number of sites there is not sufficient space between caravans (due to overcrowding) and there are ongoing inspections to check all electrical installations

TAP 2014-2018 Schemes C	ompleted to Date		
Schemes	No of Units	COLOUR CODE	
Special Needs Adaptation:	5	BLUE	WITH COUNCIL
Special Needs Extension:	2	YELLOW	WITH AHB
Removal of pyrite: x Avila Gardens	1		
Kylemore Grove - Rebuild of 3 Houses	3		
Bridgeview - Rebuild Houses	2		
Acquisition	2		
Day House Refurbishment	7		
Yard Resurfacing	10		
St. Margaret's Electrical Upgrade	30		
Energy Efficiency Insulation	130		

TAP 2014-2018 Schemes Completed to Date

Schemes Under Construction Stage 4				
Schemes	Units	Status	Next Milestone	Expected Completion Date
Overcrowding Extensions: Cara Park GHS	1	Tender Approved by DHPCLG 24/01/17 Awaiting appointment of successful tenderer	Completion	Q2 2017
Schemes at Tender Stage - Stage 3				

Schemes	Units	Status	Next Milestone	Expected Completion Date
Special Needs Adaptation: Belcamp Crescent	1	Approval to Tender Department - Stages 1 & 2	Tender Document complete and to be issued in end March.	Q4 2018
		Department Stages I & 2		
Schemes	Units	Status	Next Milestone	Expected Completion Date
Electrical Upgrade - St. Joseph's Park	13	Pending appointment of a design team; other works - fire safety & accommodation - prioritised with agreement of LTACC	Stage 2	Q2 2018
Electrical Upgrade - St. Oliver's Park	14	Pending appointment of a design team; other works - fire safety & accommodation - prioritised with agreement of LTACC	Stage 2	Q4 2018
2 Bridgeview, Cloverhill Road	1	Costings complete. Application to Dept for Stage 2 approval sent to Department.	Stage 2 Approval	Q4 2017
8 Avila Park , Cappagh Road	1	Costings complete. Application to Dept for Stage 2 approval sent to Department.	Stage 2 Approval	Q4 2017
Labre Park: Re- development (Phase 2 & 3)	31	Approval in principle	CAS - Clúid will procure for design team end March 2017	Q4 2019
Grove Lane - Refurbishment of 5 derelict houses & redevelop the site	5	Ongoing	No families will move onto the site. Works cannot progress at present. Meeting in April to attempt resolution with family.	
Tara Lawns - Redevelopment of the	10	Overall plan with Respond to develop. Interim plan for	Interim works - Refurbishment contract. Survey	N/K

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site		water/drainage/	report	
		electrical/ dayhouse	completed.	
		remediation	Currently offsite	
			due to	
			threatening behaviour	
St. Margaret's Park	30	Quotes back in from	Will tie into fire	Q4 2018
-	50			Q4 2016
Dayhouse Upgrade		Architects - due to	safety upgrades.	
		appoint successful	Currently looking	
		tenderer	at	
Pigeon House Road -	6	Initial consultation	Next step to	Q4 2018
Redevelopment of site		taking place to agree	agree design	
		plan. Stage 1 application	team.	
		sent to Department.		
Schemes at Preliminary Pla	nning/D	esign		
Schemes				
Avila Park: Community		Stage 1 application sent	Change of	Q3 2018
Centre			Submission at	Q5 2010
Centre		to Department		
			Mid-term	
			Review to	
			demolition and	
			building of 2	
			houses.	
Labre Park: Temporary		Stage 1 application sent	Sent for tender	Q 2 2017
Вау		to Department		
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Rebuild: 1 Northern	1	Not Started - Legal	Issues to be	
Close	1	-	resolved.	
Close		Issues		
			Currently offsite	
			due to	
			threatening	
			behaviour	
St. Oliver's Park Day-	14	Not Started -link to		
house upgrade -		Electrical upgrade		
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St. Joseph's Park Day-	13	Not Started -link to		
house upgrade -		Electrical upgrade		
St. Joseph's Park -	1	Will not proceed.	Change of	
Community Centre	-		Submission at	
refurbishment			Mid-term	
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			Review to	
			Demolition and	
			Rebuild of	

			Smaller ESB Metering Room	
Remediation of Pyrite- damaged - Avila Park Community Centre		Request to demolish & replace with housing.	Engineer has assessed site: Suitable for 2 houses. Appoint Architect	
St. Dominic's Park	23	Overall plan with Respond to develop. Interim plan for water/drainage/ electrical/dayhouse remediation	Interim works - Refurbishment contract. Survey report completed. Currently offsite due to threatening behaviour	