

**DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL**  
**SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE**  
**20<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

- Q1**     **Councillor Tina MacVeigh**  
To ask the Area Manager to request that our Public Domains Unit to clean the 40 steps that lead from James St/Mount Brown to lower Kilmainham/Bow Bridge. Residents have reported excessive litter in this location.
- Q2**     **Councillor Tina MacVeigh**  
To ask the Area Manager to request the relevant Department to remove the weeds along Kilmainham Lane and Bow Lane.
- Q3**     **Councillor Tina MacVeigh**  
To ask the Area Manager to request, whether Eugene Street and surrounds could be included in our list of areas targeted for investigation of illegal dumping.
- Q4**     **Councillor Paul Hand**  
To ask the Area Manager, is there any reason why the active Dublin City Council CCTV cameras in Chapelizod can be simultaneously monitored in Ballyfermot Garda Station. This would improve resident's safety and allow the Guards monitor the area on an ongoing basis.
- Q5**     **Councillor Ray McHugh**  
To ask the Area Manager to arrange for the urgent repair to the kerb outside 1 Dromard Road, Drimnagh. This damage has created a hole and residents have complained that rodents are coming from it.
- Q6**     **Councillor Ray McHugh**  
To ask the Area Manager to examine the possibility of installing CCTV at the senior citizens complex at Rockmeade Court, Crumlin Village.
- Q7**     **Councillor Rebecca Moynihan**  
To ask the Area Manager to install 'Children at play' signs along Raphoe Road in Crumlin. This road is used as a through way for traffic and there are many children who play along the street.
- Q8**     **Councillor Rebecca Moynihan**  
To ask the Area Manager to repair the footpath at (*details supplied*) which is in a bad state of repair.
- Q9**     **Councillor Rebecca Moynihan**  
To ask the Area Manager to repair the footpath on (*details supplied*).
- Q10**    **Councillor Rebecca Moynihan**  
To ask the Area Manager to arrange an urgent meeting of TAG to discuss specific traffic issues in relation to two areas of Dublin 8 which are experiencing significant development. The meeting would include Area Councillors, Area Office and Traffic Engineers along with residents with a view to expediting and simplifying the permit parking plebiscite for individual roads in the Rialto, Kilmainham area and the Tenters area.

- Q11 Councillor Ray McHugh**  
To ask the Area Manager to arrange for the clearing of weeds from the footpaths and green area at *(details supplied)*.
- Q12 Councillor Rebecca Moynihan**  
Can the Area Manager ask TAG to begin the process of balloting residents in St James's Terrace, Dolphins Barn, Dublin 8 for pay and display parking. *(Petition of residents attached)*
- Q13 Councillor Tina MacVeigh**  
To ask the Area Manager to ask our Housing Maintenance section to conduct a full review of the plumbing, central heating and immersion system in the home of *(details supplied)*, and to provide this Councillor with a report of same. The tenant reports ongoing issues with the central heating and the immersion.
- Q14 Councillor Tina MacVeigh**  
To ask the relevant department to outline the criteria that are used to determine whether a licence for outdoor events will be granted at the Tivoli Theatre on Francis Street and a list of all such licences granted for Francis Street (including dates and duration of event) for 2016 and 2017 to date.
- Q15 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**  
To ask the Area Manager *(details supplied)*.
- Q16 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**  
To ask the Area Manager *(details supplied)*.
- Q17 Councillor Ray McHugh**  
To ask the Area Manager to arrange for the cleaning of *(details supplied)*, I had several complaints from residents regarding black bags on the road.
- Q18 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**  
To ask the Area Manager *(details supplied)*.
- Q19 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**  
To ask the Area Manager what the issue or complication is regarding the erection of a small plaque at *(details supplied)*.
- Q20 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**  
To ask the Area Manager when will the rapid build units in Drimnagh be allocated and if local Cllr's could get a break down of the allocations i.e. Which list where they allocated to.
- Q21 Councillor Ray McHugh**  
To ask the Area Manager to arrange for the erecting of 30 km speed signs on *(details supplied)*.
- Q22 Councillor Daithí Doolan**  
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**Q27 Councillor Paul Hand**  
To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*).

**Q28 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin**  
To ask the Area Manager to ask the relevant department have a look at the street light outside 7 Curlew Road that has been out of use for some time. Is there any plans for the use of this in the future or can it be removed? This is a request of frustrated neighbours on that street.

**Q29 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin**  
To ask the Area Manager for an update on the feasibility study that was to be carried out on the educational lands on lower Ballyfermot. If there's nothing done at present, when can we expect to see some progress?

**Q30 Councillor Ray McHugh**  
To ask the Area Manager to arrange an inspection of (*details supplied*). While this is not a council property, the tenants are causing fear and anxiety to the neighbours, some of which are elderly, with anti social behaviour. Can management identify the owners and request them to address the problem?

**Q31 Councillor Greg Kelly**  
To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*)

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- Q45 Councillor Paul Hand**  
To ask the Area Manager if a Part V agreement has been initiated regarding planning reference 2850/17 and if not could this be initiated as a matter of urgency.
- Q46 Councillor Paul Hand**  
To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*).
- Q47 Councillor Tina MacVeigh**  
To ask the Area Manager whether he is aware of a HSE unit that deals with pest/vermin control in the Dublin 8 area and if so whether they could provide the councillor with the relevant contact details.
- Q48 Councillor Tina MacVeigh**  
To ask our Housing Maintenance Manager to revisit the question of raising the height of the fence adjacent to the home of our tenant (*details supplied*). It is evident from marks on the surrounding brickwork that a much higher fence or gate was once in situ and the tenant reports easy access to the rear of the building and is attracting anti social behaviour.
- Q49 Councillor Tina MacVeigh**  
To ask the Area Manager which playgrounds in Dublin 8 are currently listed for maintenance/repair under the discretionary funds 2017.
- Q50 Councillor Criona Ní Dhálaigh**  
To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*).
- Q51 Councillor Criona Ní Dhálaigh**  
To ask the Area Manager to update me on progress made on (*details supplied*).
- Q52 Councillor Criona Ní Dhálaigh**  
To ask the Area Manager what progress has been made on (*details supplied*).
- Q53 Councillor Criona Ní Dhálaigh**  
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- Q54 Councillor Vincent Jackson**  
Can Dublin City Council management please ensure that in future all proposals for housing, community infrastructure is discussed with the elected members before it gets out into the community. I feel, as elected members, it leaves us in a very difficult situation when constituents contact us in relation to issues we are not aware of.
- Q55 Councillor Vincent Jackson**  
To ask the Area Manager to request that the damaged footpath caused by the tree root outside No 27 Cloiginn Ave, Ballyfermot, Dublin 10, be repaired before a serious accident occurs.
- Q56 Councillor Vincent Jackson**  
Can the Area Manager please give me a report on a recent Irish Water issue I was made aware of in Bluebell. I am told the policy of first fix only applies to persons who have a water meter installed. However, this leaves the possibility of massive water loss for the hundreds of thousands of homes who don't have water meters or the tens of thousands of houses who are not suitable for meters, such as twin fed houses in Ballyfermot, Finglas, Drimnagh, Crumlin etc. (*details supplied*)
- Q57 Councillor Vincent Jackson**  
Can the Area Manager please indicate to me when the tree stump will be removed from outside No 16 Cloiginn Road, Ballyfermot. It is awaiting removal for over 18 months.
- Q58 Councillor Vincent Jackson**  
Can the Area Manager request an updated traffic flow survey on Ballyfermot Road upper from the Civic Centre up to Cherry Orchard Hospital. The volumes of traffic using this road is I feel reaching breaking point and the area needs an alternative to this jungle of traffic.
- Q59 Councillor Vincent Jackson**  
Can the Area Manager please investigate the positioning of a small playground facility Bluebell Cottages / Millrose Est Bluebell. There are many children in this area and the addition of a small playground would enhance the area and allow children play safe.
- Q60 Councillor Vincent Jackson**  
Can the Area Manager please ensure that a full report be provided on why Dublin City Council will not engage with reasonable costed CCTV monitoring of litter black-spots. All too often repeat offenders seem to get away with the practice as we are not able to detect those responsible.
- Q61 Councillor Vincent Jackson**  
Can Dublin City Council please ensure that all telephone boxes are removed from our streets as they are in a deplorable state, filthy and in 99% of cases broken. As far as I can see very few if anyone now uses them. They seem to be left to rot and only used for advertisement purposes.
- Q62 Councillor Pat Dunne**  
Can the Area Manager ask both our Parks and Street Lighting Sections to liaise together with a view to improving the street lighting on (*details supplied*). Residents complain about inadequate street lighting as a result of the distances between the lights and the presence of clusters of trees, some of these trees are blocking light.

- Q63** **Councillor Pat Dunne**  
Can the Area Manager ask our Housing Maintenance Section to replace the two front windows and front hall door in our tenant's house (*details supplied*). The existing old single glaze windows and door are draughty and this is causing difficulties as one of the children suffers from asthma.
- Q64** **Councillor Pat Dunne**  
Can the Area Manager ask our Housing Maintenance Section to carry out an inspection of our tenants house (*details supplied*) to assess the dampness problems in both the original house and the extension. Our tenants have been as proactive as they could be and have installed working vents in the rooms most affected, in particular the bedrooms, bathroom and the extension. Following the inspection can this house be put on a priority list for external insulation?
- Q65** **Councillor Pat Dunne**  
Can the Area Manager ask our Housing Maintenance Section to either remove or prune a tree located behind the poly tunnel at the rear of our Senior Citizens complex at Clonmacnoise Grove. This tree is blocking light and communication signals to the rear of my constituent's house at (*details supplied*).
- Q66** **Councillor Pat Dunne**  
To ask the Area Manager to ask our Housing Maintenance Section, to arrange for the immediate insulation of our tenant's flat. The commencement of this work was promised months ago, but has not happened yet.
- Q67** **Councillor Pat Dunne**  
To ask the Area Manager to ask our Parks Section to provide a report relating to a incident in Brickfield Park on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September at which an ambulance could not gain entrance to the park to attend to a person who then had to stretchered out of the park. What procedures are in place to allow ambulance emergency access to the park?
- Q68** **Councillor Pat Dunne**  
To ask the Area Manager to ask both our Parks and Street Lighting Sections to liaise together with a view to improving the street lighting on (*details supplied*). Residents complain about inadequate street lighting as a result of overgrown trees. Residents are also of the view that the new bulbs in the street lights are very weak and have actually reduced visibility.
- Q69** **Councillor Pat Dunne**  
Can the Area Manager ask our Housing Maintenance Section to replace the old wall mounted gas boiler in tenant's house (*details supplied*). This old boiler has insufficient output to heat the house and has poor emergency efficiency.
- Q70** **Councillor Pat Dunne**  
To ask the Area Manager to ask our Housing Maintenance Section to replace the front window and front hall door in our tenants house (*details supplied*). The existing old single glaze windows and door are old and draughty
- Q71** **Councillor Pat Dunne**

To ask the Area Manager to report on why the promised upgrade of the playground in the Crumlin Road/Rutland Avenue Flats complex, has not been done. This was to be funded from the 2016 discretionary fund.

**Q72 Councillor Pat Dunne**

To ask the Area Manager to provide a list of current voids including acquisitions in Areas K and L, showing if they are with the depot or contactors, and the expected date for them becoming available for allocation.