

DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
18th October 2017

- Q1** **Councillor Ray McHugh**
To ask the Area Manager to arrange for the trees outside (*details supplied*) be cut back.
- Q2** **Councillor Paul Hand**
To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*).
- Q3** **Councillor Ray McHugh**
To ask the Area Manager to arrange for the repair to the footpaths at (*details supplied*). The footpaths in certain section of the road are in a dangerous state and a blind resident is in danger of falling.
- Q4** **Councillor Ray McHugh**
To ask the Area Manager to arrange for additional support to the Bollards at (*details supplied*) while the bollards are serving their purpose they are being damaged.
- Q5** **Councillor Paul Hand**
To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*).
- Q6** **Councillor Paul Hand**
To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*).
- Q7** **Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**
To ask the Area Manager how many staff are employed in the section that deals with abandoned vehicles and are any designated just for the south central area? I ask as there seems to be an increase in reports of abandoned vehicles and it taking weeks/months to have the car legally removed. In the past 3 years how many cars have been reported as abandoned in the Dublin South Central area and how many were removed?
- Q8** **Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**
To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*).
- Q9** **Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**
To ask the Area Manager if the CCTV at Weaver Park is live and monitored? If so, why was no action taken or reported to the gardai regarding the anti social behaviour which took place there last Sat/Sunday? It is vital that the CCTV is operational and monitored and that any congregation there vandalising or drinking alcohol should be told to move on.
- Q10** **Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh**
To ask the Area Manager regarding the serious rat infestation at (*details supplied*).
- Q11** **Councillor Ray McHugh**
To ask the Area Manager to supply this councillor with an update of successful prosecution of people found guilty of disposing of litter illegally in the Crumlin/Kimmage area.

- Q12 Councillor Criona Ní Dhálaigh**
To ask the Area Manager if he could list the staff and their remit and contact details in the South Central Area Offices.
- Q13 Councillor Criona Ní Dhálaigh**
To ask the Area Manager if consideration can be given to CPO or purchasing the derelict houses on (*details supplied*). Also there are houses there that would be ideal for families, which are divided up into single units (and not in good condition or in some cases safe). Could the council purchase these units? It would transform this street and add greatly to the estate management of the street.
- Q14 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Area Manager can Dublin City Council look at developing a charter between the citizens and local government on the rights and responsibility of living in a large city? This charter could look at how all citizens live, expectations and how we could live side by side with each other. Street drinking, dumping, keeping gardens tidy and looking after the public domain could all be looked at as part of this contract.
- Q15 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Area Manager to look into the replacement / repair to small footpaths within Californian Hills Park, Ballyfermot. That this park maintenance be taken back under the supervision of direct labour and cleansing be improved dramatically. At a recent Local Community Policing meeting, residents living beside the park made allegations that they have witnessed contractors burning waste. Can this issue be investigated?
- Q16 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Area Manager can I be given a copy of the archaeological report which was commissioned by Dublin City Council in the early 2000`s which looked at the site of the Old Castle, Church graveyard etc. In addition can Dublin City Council please look into where the burial records of the covered in graveyard may be located.
- Q17 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Area Manger (*details supplied*).
- Q18 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Area Manager could I please have an update on the following, (*details supplied*).
- Q19 Councillor Pat Dunne**
To ask the Area Manager to ask our Housing Maintenance Section to replace the windows and doors and fully insulate our tenant`s home at (*details supplied*).
- Q20 Councillor Pat Dunne**
To ask the Area Manager to ask our Parks Section, to cut back the hedging on Cashel Road Green. This hedging is very much overgrown as it has not been trimmed for some time.
- Q21 Councillor Pat Dunne**
To ask the Area Manager to explain why the upstairs meeting room in the Crumlin Area Office cannot be used for community meetings at present and can he ensure that additional staff be deployed to this office, so that it can be reopened to the public throughout the working day.

- Q22 Councillor Pat Dunne**
To ask the Area Manager ask our Road Maintenance Section to completely tarmacadam over the crumbling red road ramps on Bangor Road and at the top of Old County Road. This work was promised last year but apart from some minor repairs there has been no action.
- Q23 Councillor Pat Dunne**
To ask the Area Manager ask our Homeless Section (*details supplied*).
- Q24 Councillor Pat Dunne**
To ask the Area Manager to provide a list of current voids, with bedroom sizes, including acquisitions in Area's K and L, showing if they are with the depot or contractors and the expected time for them to be completed and available for allocation.
- Q25 Councillor Pat Dunne**
To ask the Area Manager to ask our Traffic Advisory Group, to increase road safety for children and residents on Old County Glen, Dublin 12. Residents report cars speeding into and through the estate and feel that the two existing road ramps are not sufficient to address the speeding.
- Q26 Councillor Greg Kelly**
Can the Area Manager (*details supplied*)?
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- Q33 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Area Manager could I please have an update on the following (*details supplied*)
- Q34 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask that the Area Manager request that Dublin City Council take full responsibility for (*details supplied*).
- Q35 Councillor Vincent Jackson**
To ask the Area Manager to please give me a full update on what plan we have to ensure the South Central Area gets a proper staffed public domain unit for the area. It is impossible to understand how one of the largest areas of the City could be left

without such a vital team when we have such problems of dumping, waste issues etc.

Q36 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to request that Dublin City Council please ensure that the walk-way from East Timor Park / Liffey Gales, towards the Memorial Park, is cleaned, the paths repaired and physical obstructions erected to prevent cars, motor bikes, gaining access to this beautiful walk-way. I can see serious litigation with potential accidents if we don't sort out this issue.

Q37 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to request that Dublin City Council ensure that the whole length of Ballyfermot Road from Cherry Orchard Hospital to East Timor Park, Sarsfield Road, Ballyfermot be given a good clean up, weeds removed and islands be properly swept. I regret bottles etc can be left for weeks / months at these locations. Weeds are always growing, are we not spraying at a regular basis?

Q38 Councillor Paul Hand

To ask the Area Manager (*details supplied*).

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Q45 Councillor Tina MacVeigh

To ask the Area Manager to follow up on reports from residents at Iveagh Gardens Crumlin, that the company contracted to maintain the public areas is not doing a satisfactory job, and to ask the Manager to provide this Councillor with an overview on the procedures in place for monitoring the services provided by private companies contracted for public domain works by the Area Office.

Q46 Councillor Tina MacVeigh

To ask the Area Manager to provide this Councillor with a report outlining:

- a list of the projects agreed by the Area Committee November 2016, to be funded from the Discretionary funds and undertaken as part of the preparations for the Centenary celebrations of the Ceannt Fort Estate, Kilmainham.
- a report on the items completed to date.
- an outline of the remaining items and expected completion dates.

- Q47** **Councillor Daithí Doolan**
To ask the Area Manager *(details supplied)*.
- Q48** **Councillor Daithí Doolan**
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- Q50** **Councillor Daithí Doolan**
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- Q51** **Councillor Hazel de Nortúin**
To ask the Area Manager to request the Planning Department to look into the recent roofing works carried out on the Village Inn Pub in Inchicore. Residents have said there wasn't any planning permission on show before the work was carried out.
- Q52** **Councillor Hazel de Nortúin**
To ask the Area Manager can I have an update on the site / pitch in Bulfin, Dublin 8. The site in question was used by Irish Water and when they were finished works they agreed to level the land and residents could use this space for a playground. Is the site available for use? Did Irish Water leave the area and level the land as agreed?
- Q53** **Councillor Hazel de Nortúin**
To ask the Area Manager to request the housing maintenance section to give me an update and a time frame on the new washroom that is to be installed in 30 Benmadigan Road. The residents were told that they would be receiving a letter regarding this but never did. If a time could be given then I think this would help residents hugely.