

QUESTIONS LODGED PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER NO.16 FOR REPLY AT THE MONTHLY MEETING OF DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, 4TH DECEMBER 2017

Q.1 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to respond to the following **(details supplied)** and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Q.2 COUNCILLOR RAY MC HUGH

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for dog fouling signs and dog poo bins to be made available at **(details supplied)**

Q.3 COUNCILLOR RAY MC HUGH

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for planters to be placed at each side of the entrance to **(details supplied)** and the bollard that has been removed to be replaced.

Q.4 COUNCILLOR RAY MC HUGH

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for an inspection of the road marking at **(details supplied)** I believe this junction is very dangerous and the markings need to be updated.

Q.5 COUNCILLOR JOHN LYONS

To ask the Chief Executive to provide this Councillor with a report on the number of city council residential units currently lying vacant in the city of Dublin, the address of each empty residential council unit, for how long has each unit been lying vacant, what is the projected completion date for each unit and how much it costs to turn around a single void.

Q.6 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive can Dublin City Council put the cleaning of Moland Place, Dublin 1 - off Gardiner Street Lower on a weekly cleaning schedule. There is constantly dumping on this street. Can Dublin City Council also place double yellow lines on the road, as there is double parking frequently. In addition can the Gardai patrol Moland Place as there is anti-social behaviour there on a constant basis especially on Sunday's.

Q.7 COUNCILLOR JOHN LYONS

To ask the Chief Executive to report to this Councillor the number of arts centres, museums and other artistic and cultural institutions currently in the ownership of Dublin City Council and provide detail on the ownership and management structure of each institution.

Q.8 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive that Dublin City Council repair the **(details supplied)**

Q.9 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive that the new double radiators be installed at **(details supplied)**

Q.10 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive if he would outline to this Councillor when families in hotels and B&B's will end in the Dublin area and stable homes provided to the families. Also how much funding this year has been paid out to hotels and B&B's.

Q.11 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive not to withdraw the winter program for homeless personnel in 2018.

Q.12 COUNCILLOR MARY FREEHILL

To ask the Chief Executive to please state when the double yellow lines will be placed on the lane to east side of St. Enda's Road as per my motion No 322 agreed in June 2015 **(details supplied)**

Q.13 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive say who owns the land between **(details supplied)**

Q.14 COUNCILLOR RAY MC HUGH

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for an inspection of **(details supplied)** to identify a report of speeding on this section of the road and if speeding is a problem to address this issue.

Q.15 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive to seek an answer from the Office of Public Works and Minister to the suggestion that the road in the area of Hawkins House be named Theatre Royal Way.

Q.16 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive if he will arrange for the premises at **(details supplied)** to be examined to see what action can be taken to force the owners to clean up the gardens and tidy up the houses.

Q.17 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive to use his good office to request the management of the David Lloyd Centre at Beaver Row, Donnybrook, to reduce the height of their trees bordering the Beech Hill Estate and casting huge darkness over the nearby houses and the adjacent football pitch. Despite repeated efforts by Councillors, Residents and Officials they have consistently failed to do so.

Q.18 COUNCILLOR GAYE FAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive how many litter convictions/fines, including penalties for dog fouling have been issued across Dublin Central during the past 12 months in comparison with other parts of DCC area.

Q.19 COUNCILLOR GAYE FAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive what methods of street cleaning are currently deployed across Dublin Central, and how much does this cost annually in comparison with other parts of DCC area?

Q.20 COUNCILLOR GAYE FAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive how many litter wardens are employed by DCC in Dublin Central, in comparison with other parts of DCC area?

Q.21 COUNCILLOR CRIONA NI DHALAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive what action will be taken against the developer at Dolphin's Barn site who still has not commenced work on his site. The Area Committee disposed of this site with strict conditions which have not been met. What is the protocol in cases such as this.

Q.22 COUNCILLOR RAY MC ADAM

To ask the Chief Executive to review the situation on the Old Cabra Road where householders who live on the same side of the street as the new LIDL can now no longer park their cars on the opposite side of street and as a result have to park their vehicles in a public car-park on Prussia Street, some distance away from their homes.

Q.23 COUNCILLOR RUAIRI MC GINLEY

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for following matter to be addressed (**details supplied**)

Q.24 COUNCILLOR HAZEL DE NORTUIN

To ask the Chief executive can I have a list of the Councillors in Dublin South Central Area who are nominated for Christmas tree lighting.

Q.25 COUNCILLOR HAZEL DE NORTUIN

To ask the Chief Executive when are the Homeless Family Hubs opening in the South Central Area and how are the families being allocated to these Hubs?

Q.26 COUNCILLOR HAZEL DE NORTUIN

To ask the Chief Executive can I have an update on the 52 Rapid build houses that are to be constructed in Cherry Orchard.

- What's the time frame
- How far along are they

Q.27 COUNCILLOR JOHN LYONS

To ask the Chief Executive to initiative an audit of the derelict sites register with a view to identifying potential sites suitable for residential development, whatever the current zoning, and to report to this Councillor on the number of sites that have been compulsorily purchased by the City Council in each of the last ten years.

Q.28 COUNCILLOR CIARAN CUFFE

To ask the Chief Executive can he update me on plans to fill the posts of City Engineer, Dublin City Planning Officer, Road Safety Officer, and Accessibility Officer.

Q.29 COUNCILLOR CIARAN CUFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to put in place a pedestrian crossing across Bishop Street in Dublin 8 at the junction with Bride Street and Kevin Street Upper and Kevin Street Lower.

Q.30 COUNCILLOR CIARAN CUFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to clarify the ownership of the Liffey Campshires and update me on any recent acquisitions or disposals of lands by Dublin City Council East of Matt Talbot Bridge and bounded by the River Liffey, Customs House Quay and North Wall Quay, and future plans for the management and ownership of same.

Q.31 COUNCILLOR CIARAN CUFFE

To ask the Chief Executive whether he has any concerns that we are prioritising offices over residential accommodation within the Docklands Strategic Development Zone, and can he make a statement on the matter.

Q.32 COUNCILLOR REBECCA MOYNIHAN

To ask the Chief Executive what stage are murals agreed between a private owner and the artist required to apply for planning permission?

- Q.33 COUNCILLOR REBECCA MOYNIHAN**
To ask the Chief Executive are planning exemptions available for works considered to have artistic merit.
- Q.34 COUNCILLOR REBECCA MOYNIHAN**
To ask the Chief Executive to provide a list of sites in the city where street art is permissible.
- Q.35 COUNCILLOR PADDY MC CARTAN**
To ask the Chief Executive to deal with the following issue. According to the John Mc Cormack Society a plaque that was placed on a bridge running over the Tolka River at Fairview and named after John McCormack was taken down a number of years ago as works were carried out on the bridge and it was never replaced. Could the Chief Executive ensure that this plaque be restored.
- Q.36 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN**
To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for extra tree's or plants to be put on the green at corner of Abbotstown Road and Cardiffsbridge Avenue to try and deter bonfires for the years ahead.
- Q.37 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN**
To ask the Chief Executive if a survey of traffic around St. Vincents School on the Finglas Road in Glasnevin has been carried out recently and if so what the conclusion was. If not, can one be done asap to try and alleviate the traffic congestion around this area and the Harts Corner area in general.
- Q.38 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON**
To ask the Chief Executive **(details supplied)**
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- Q.42 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE**
To ask the Chief Executive to respond to this query **(details supplied)**
- Q.43 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE**
To ask the Chief Executive to respond to this maintenance query **(details supplied)**
- Q.44 COUNCILLOR PATRICK COSTELLO**
To ask the Chief Executive to provide the total number of families who have presented to the local authority as homeless each month this year, of these how many have been assess as being homeless each month and of those found to be homeless how many have been directed to self-accommodate and how many have been placed by the local authority in emergency accommodation each month.

- Q.45 COUNCILLOR PATRICK COSTELLO**
To ask the Chief Executive given that the PASS system has a data field entitled "Formerly resident in Under 18 State Care", is relevant information collecting relating to a history of state care for people using homeless services and if it is how many of those registered on the PASS system have been recorded as formerly resident in under 18 state care.
- Q.46 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS**
To ask the Chief Executive to explain why Ecocem on the Poolbeg Peninsula have not installed the interceptor that they committed to over a year ago and why are they are not required to have netting over the huge stockpiles of cement on their site?
- Q.47 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS**
To ask the Chief Executive to put in place an assessment for the redevelopment and increase in senior citizen units in Verscoyle and Powerscourt as there appears to be potential for increasing the numbers of units on this site?
- Q.48 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY**
To ask the Chief Executive **(details supplied)**
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- Q.56 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON**
To ask the Chief Executive to please have the following long-standing issue outside the St Patricks National School Chapelizod addressed. "That existing school warning signs at St Patrick`s Primary School Chapelizod be updated to include flashing lights incorporating a periodic speed display and that the times on the existing signs be amended to reflect actual school hours as students move to and from the school to engage in outside activities at various times of the day". Lights that currently operate along the Lone Mile Road outside Drimnagh Castle School would be perfect as would a flashing pedestrian crossing warning sign on the approach from the City would be helpful along with enforcement from An Garda Siochana.
- Q.57 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON**
To ask the Chief Executive to please report on the following **(details supplied)**

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Q.60 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE
To ask the Chief Executive to respond to this request **(details supplied)**

Q.61 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE
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Q.62 COUNCILLOR GREG KELLY
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Q.65 COUNCILLOR PAUL HAND
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Q.69 COUNCILLOR NIAL RING
To ask the Chief Executive to confirm that he will facilitate the continued operation of the Bridgefoot Street Community Garden during the implementation of the City Council's Liberties Greening Strategy which includes the creation of a new park at Bridgefoot Street. Can the Chief Executive further confirm which of the following options will be implemented to ensure the continued and uninterrupted operation of the community garden amenity?

A) The Bridgefoot Street Community Garden will remain at its current location during the works or B) The continued operation of the Community Garden will be facilitated elsewhere on the site without any operational interruption or C. An alternative site will be sourced and a seamless transfer to the site will be facilitated by the City Council.

Can the Chief Executive further acknowledge the tremendous success of the Bridgefoot Street Community Garden which, over the past three years, has become a community hub for gardening as well as other community activities, and also agree that the hard work of the community and Dublin City Council cannot and will not be jeopardised by a shut down, interruption or disruption of this facility.

Q.70 COUNCILLOR NIAL RING

To ask the Chief Executive if he sees any advantages in Dublin City Council becoming a member of UN Global Compact and if so, would he consider Dublin City Council becoming a member thereof.

Q.71 COUNCILLOR NIAL RING

To ask the Chief Executive if Dublin City Council will become a (non funding) partner of Music Generation, the National Music Education Programme which aims to that transforms the lives of children and young people through access to high quality performance music education in their locality. Music Generation was initiated by Music Network, Music Generation is co-funded by U2, The Ireland Funds, the Department of Education and Skills and Local Music Education Partnerships. Local schools in Dublin are keen to participate in this programme but need Dublin City Council to become the partner with Music Generation in order to deliver the programme in Dublin schools.

Q.72 COUNCILLOR NIAL RING

To ask the Chief Executive the following in relation to the proposed "super depot" at Ballymun.

- (a) Has a complete and independent cost benefit analysis been carried out to ascertain if the idea of this "super depot" is feasible and practical?
- (b) Can the Chief Executive list the Depots being targetted for closure and also indicate the size and estimated value of each depot?
- (c) Are there any plans to dispose of any of these depots?
- (d) In relation to Collins' Avenue can the Chief Executive confirm the area occupied by this depot?
- (e) Can the Chief Executive confirm if an independent valuation has been commissioned for the Collins' Avenue site and if so, what is the estimated value?
- (f) Also, in relation to Collins' Avenue can the Chief Executive confirm whether, or not, any talks/discussions have taken place with any prospective purchaser of this valuable site? In particular have any discussions taken place with Dublin City university regarding the future possible use of the site?
- (g) Can the Chief Executive confirm that the MUGA on Aldborough parade cannot and will not be considered for removal to facilitate any possible redevelopment of the Portland Row Depot?
- (h) If the proposed "super depot" goes ahead, can the Chief Executive confirm that the priority use for any closed depot will be the provision of social housing, controlled and implemented by DCC, on the sites?
- (i) Can the Chief Executive confirm that, in addition to the cost benefit analysis referred to a above, a full carbon footprint analysis has or will be carried out to ascertain the impact of the additional travel/transport which would undoubtedly arise with a "super depot" being located so far from the City council housing stock?
- (j) Have any staff consultations taken place regarding this proposal?
- (k) Given that any disposal would have to be approved by City Councillors, is it not prudent/appropriate that City Councillors should have a say in whether, or not, this "super depot" idea should go ahead at all?

Q.73 COUNCILLOR CRIONA NI DHALAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive to report on the following **(details supplied)**

Q.74 COUNCILLOR CRIONA NI DHALAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive to consider the exception case and needs of the following family who want to downsize from a very high demand house to alternative accommodation with no stairs but if it had lift access that would be acceptable. (details supplied)

Q.75 COUNCILLOR EDEL MORAN

To ask the Chief Executive (details supplied)

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Q.79 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to carry out a full review and evaluation oversight of all activities regarding Regeneration Boards. This review/investigation will establish what protocol and guidelines, if any, are in use with rejuvenation boards. What training have members of rejuvenation boards undergone? Have the various communities where regeneration boards exist been made aware of the remit of rejuvenation boards? When was the last time a full evaluation and oversight was conducted on any regeneration board? Most recently, there has been serious allegations levied against the regeneration board at Charlemont/French-Mullen. This has led to a deep split and wound in this once united community. It is important for the future of this community and other communities where regeneration boards are being set up that there is appropriate training, oversight, governance and communication with the local community and also full accountability.

Q.80 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to carry out a full assessment of the health and safety issues surrounding the Christmas lights event in Dublin city on Sunday 19th. It has been widely reported in the media that this event was chaotic, mismanaged and a public health and safety breakdown. An Garda Síochána had to intervene and close the event down. The city was overwhelmed with spectators, families who were crammed unsafely into streets. Some streets, like Grafton Street, were completely jammed. There was no exit signs, no marshalling and to make matters worse we were in darkness waiting for the lights to come on. Hundreds were attempting to get out of the area while hundreds were attempting to get into the area. This was an appalling mismanaged and badly conceived event. Also, can the Chief Executive supply me with all correspondence from BID/WeareDublnTown to the City Council events section in the run up to the planning of this event. Was there indeed, any, event management and plans for such a huge event like this. Further, the city streets were left in a deplorable state with large amount of litter and dirt. What provisions were made for extra man power to clean these streets.

Q.81 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to issue a full and clear statement as to how Dublin City Council and the Homeless executive at Parkgate Street plus NGO's and others intend to manage the issues of rough sleeping on our streets. It has been well documented in the media that has become a great public concern that there are now encampments throughout the city of rough sleepers. Some of the people are in tents,

others sleeping bags, others on cardboard on the streets. Dublin City Council and the Homeless executive, as well as other agencies have a statutory duty of care to the many rough sleepers that are on our streets. There seems to be a measure of breakdown between the services that we provide and also what is being said by volunteer groups and individuals who seem to operate on the streets without any clear protocols, guidelines or vetting. This is a dangerous situation and it has left rough sleepers open to exploitation, manipulation in relation to their plight. Many of the groups have a great tendency to make outlandish statements on behalf of rough sleepers and the homeless community in general. This is sending out a very confused picture and is wrong. Dublin City Council is the sole authority along with the HSE regarding these matters. The recent controversy around a misinterpreted statement by Eileen Gleeson, Director of Homeless Services should have been challenged more robustly by DCC's Chief Executive. Yet it was allowed fester out there to demonise DCC staff and indeed us as Councillors. The public need very clear statements as to what is actually happening on our streets. Dublin City Council has to stand up for the very many vulnerable who find themselves rough sleeping for whatever reason and whatever difficulties they have.

Q.82 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to request that the Capuchin Day Centre for Homeless set up a structure whereby food parcels are delivered to the homes of those who are in need rather than having hundreds of people queue up in public outside their day centre for handouts. This is a brutal and undignified way of assisting people. Often there are photographers taking photos of the queue or news media. People are entitled to their dignity and it is time that this practice of creating food queues was ended. There are many taxi firms out there, bike couriers etc who would only be too delighted to assist in this service. Also, can the Chief Executive release the financial contributions that DCC make to the Capuchin Centre for dinners, food parcels and other services.

Q.83 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL O'BRIEN

To ask the Chief Executive if there are any consequences if somebody in a commercial emergency accommodation declines to be transferred into a family hub, for example are there sanctions in terms of their place or placing on the housing allocations list.

Q.84 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL O'BRIEN

To ask the Chief Executive to clarify if those who are in receipt of the HAP and opt to go on the transfer list as a consequence of being removed from the allocations list, is this the same transfer list that has existed prior to the HAP or is it a different 'HAP' transfer list and if so how does this list progress relative to all the other transfer and allocation lists.

Q.85 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL O'BRIEN

To ask the Chief Executive to confirm that those families who enter family hubs remain on the priority homeless allocations list.

Q.86 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL O'BRIEN

To ask the Chief Executive in light of the recent announcement by the Belmayne Youth Club that they are suspending their activities for a number of reasons including the lack of a dedicated premises, if he can prevail upon NAMA to refrain from attempting to sell all seven vacant commercial units at the Belmayne shops as one lot and to at least set one aside as a youth club premises.

- Q.87 COUNCILLOR EMMA MURPHY**
To ask the Chief Executive **(details supplied)**
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- Q.91 COUNCILLOR ALISON GILLILAND**
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- Q.94 COUNCILLOR ALISON GILLILAND**
To ask the Chief Executive to outline the following:
- fire alarm requirements and fire proving of units requirements in multi unit complexes
 - the process by which required fire safety measures are verified, regulated and inspected during the building process and the qualifications of the personnel involved
 - the DCC protocol for responding to a report by a DCC tenant of fire safety concerns within their home
 - the DCC protocol for responding to a report by a private resident of fire safety concerns within their home
 - the DCC protocol for responding to a report by a private commercial building resident of fire safety concerns within their workplace
- Q.95 COUNCILLOR ANDREW KEEGAN**
To ask the Chief Executive in relation to prioritising persons who do have a medical priority band on the housing list but chose to move out of residential care yet still needs access to a PA service that is suited to their needs. Does this affect their position on housing. Persons not looking for charity but want to have equal access to opportunities in a secure place.
- Q.96 COUNCILLOR ANDREW KEEGAN**
To ask the Chief Executive could he check the status of a female resident **(details supplied)** and advise accordingly the present status and possible actions if needed that may provide improved possibilities to access suitable housing.
- Q.97 COUNCILLOR ANDREW KEEGAN**
To ask the Chief Executive in relation to the recycling aspect on the DCC North West Depot project what level of waste license is DCC applying. Will hazardous chemicals be collected at this site or just domestic waste and recycling and if you could indicate ref to planning what are the planning conditions being set.

- Q.98 COUNCILLOR CATHLEEN CARNEY BOUD**
To ask the Chief Executive to confirm **(details supplied)**
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To ask the Chief Executive to arrange **(details supplied)**
- Q.100 COUNCILLOR CATHLEEN CARNEY BOUD**
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- Q.101 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN**
To ask the Chief Executive can you **(detail supplied)**
- Q.102 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN**
To ask the Chief Executive **(details supplied)**
- Q.103 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN**
To ask the Chief Executive if it is possible to arrange purchase of any NAMA properties which were turned down previously or which DCC might deem unsuitable for Council stock in future as part of an affordable housing programme.
- Q.104 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY**
To ask the Chief Executive to confirm that the Council are adhering to the current Litter Management Plan in relation to the schedule for street cleaning. I have been informed that due to a lack of resources a Category B area such as the New Cabra Road is only cleaned on an ad hoc basis when resources allow.
- Q.105 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY**
To ask the Chief Executive to provide a breakdown of the reasons for people entering homelessness and reporting to the DRHE per month, for the last three months.
- Q.106 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY**
To ask the Chief Executive to confirm that Dublin City Council still provides mortgages to people having difficulty securing mortgages from financial institutions. If so, can he provide answers to the following questions.
1. How many applications have been submitted for each of the last 5 years?
2. How many applications have been successful for each of the last 5 years?
- Q.107 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY**
To ask the Chief Executive to provide a detailed account of the involvement of Dublin City Council in the response to a water mains leak at **(details supplied)**. The residents were left without a water supply for four weeks during the summer and three weeks in November. It appears that Irish Water and DCC were attempting to blame each other for responsibility while a woman with a medical condition and her children were left without water.
- Q.108 COUNCILLOR PATRICK COSTELLO**
To ask the Chief Executive in the 2nd quarter Dublin Region Homeless protocol report it is reported that the Prevention Team successfully prevented 83 families from entering homelessness, can he set out the current or latest housing status available for these 83 families. Including how many of these families remain on the homeless priority list.
- Q.109 COUNCILLOR DAMIAN O'FARRELL**
To ask the Chief Executive **(details supplied)**

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Q.113 COUNCILLOR DAITHI DOOLAN
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Q.117 COUNCILLOR FRANK KENNEDY
To ask the Chief Executive in respect of the frequency of street cleaning:

- (a) How precisely roads are classified for frequency of street cleaning
- (b) What is the classification for every street in the Dublin City Council area
- (c) Is it within the power of the elected members of the City Council to change the classification of individual streets
- (d) Given (i) the risk of flooding from accumulation of leaves, and (ii) the proximity of Sydney Parade Avenue to the Dart, Merrion Shopping Centre and St Vincent's Hospital, to ask that it be reclassified to being swept more frequently than at present, which is once every 12 weeks

Q.118 COUNCILLOR FRANK KENNEDY
To ask the Chief Executive (i) to take measures to prevent bin collection companies from collecting on Marlborough Road, Dublin 4 at 5am in the morning, which occurs frequently and which is in flagrant breach of the relevant bye-laws, and (ii) to explain what mechanisms are in place to both deter and punish this unlawful conduct?

Q.119 COUNCILLOR FRANK KENNEDY
To ask the Chief Executive with regard to Sandford Avenue, Dublin 4:

- (a) To re-surface the road surface, which is in a diabolical condition at present; and
- (b) To repair the footpaths, which are currently in a state of chaotic disrepair and, consequently, extremely dangerous, especially to vulnerable pedestrians.

Q.120 COUNCILLOR FRANK KENNEDY
To ask the Chief Executive in respect of Baggot Lane, Dublin 4:

- (a) In light of the extremely dangerous junction between Pembroke Gardens & Baggot Lane, and the presence of traffic calming measures on all adjacent roads, to introduce traffic calming measures such as speed ramps and adequate signage on Baggot Lane. The traffic at present moves at lethal speed which needs to be address; and

(b) To increase the frequency of street cleaning on Baggot Lane from twice a year at present to four times a year.

Q.121 COUNCILLOR PAT DUNNE

To ask the Chief Executive the relevant waste water (sewage) section to check the mains at **(details supplied)**. Following numerous blockages in these houses the private drain cleaning company employed by the householders suggested that DCC inspect their chambers to see if this end of the drainage is functioning and flowing.

Q.122 COUNCILLOR PAT DUNNE

To ask the Chief Executive to ask our housing maintenance section to carry out a full inspection of our tenants flat **(details supplied)**. This flat needs full insulation to deal with issues of severe dampness.

Q.123 COUNCILLOR RAY MC ADAM

To ask the Chief Executive to detail what plans the Housing Department have for the refurbishment and upgrade of housing complexes within the North-West Inner City including **(details supplied)** and will the Chief Executive detail whether any application for funding has been submitted for such proposals with the Department of Housing, Community, Planning & Local Government.

Q.124 COUNCILLOR RAY MC ADAM

To ask the Chief Executive to detail the criteria upon which Dublin City Council decided to introduce a temporary road closure on **(details supplied)** what the objectives the Council hopes to achieve from implementing such a proposal and what engagement has been had with the National Transport Authority in terms of a wider traffic analysis in the **(details supplied)**

Q.125 COUNCILLOR RAY MC ADAM

To ask the Chief Executive to examine the feasibility of **(details supplied)**

Q.126 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE HENEY

To ask the Chief Executive to refer to previous requests for an additional bench at location as per **(details supplied)** as requested by local senior citizens.

Q.127 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE HENEY

To ask the Chief Executive to please refer to my previous request to seriously prune tree at location as per **(details supplied)** and say when same is planned.

Q.128 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE HENEY

To ask the Chief Executive to please refer to **(details supplied)** and provide an update.

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Q.134 COUNCILLOR CIARAN O’MOORE

To ask the Chief Executive can confirmation please be given if planning permission has been granted for this sign (see attached photo). It is at the corner of Lower Exchange St. If so when was permission granted. If not I request this is removed with immediate effect under the relevant bylaws and the owner of the sign is fined in line with procedures.

Q.135 COUNCILLOR CIARAN O’MOORE

To ask the Chief Executive in relation to the Causeway Road and the junction of James Larking Road, can relevant signage be put in place to warn motorists that a cycle lane is present. Some motorists tend to increase their speed with the change in traffic lights.

Q.136 COUNCILLOR CIARAN O’MOORE

To ask the Chief Executive to request that a warning sign is put alerting cyclists of the entry/exit gates at Marino Health Centre at the entrance on the Malahide Rd Dublin 3.

Q.137 COUNCILLOR CIARAN O’MOORE

To ask the Chief Executive can the leaves be cleared from outside Ardscoil Rís, Griffith Ave, two elderly people have fallen here this week.