



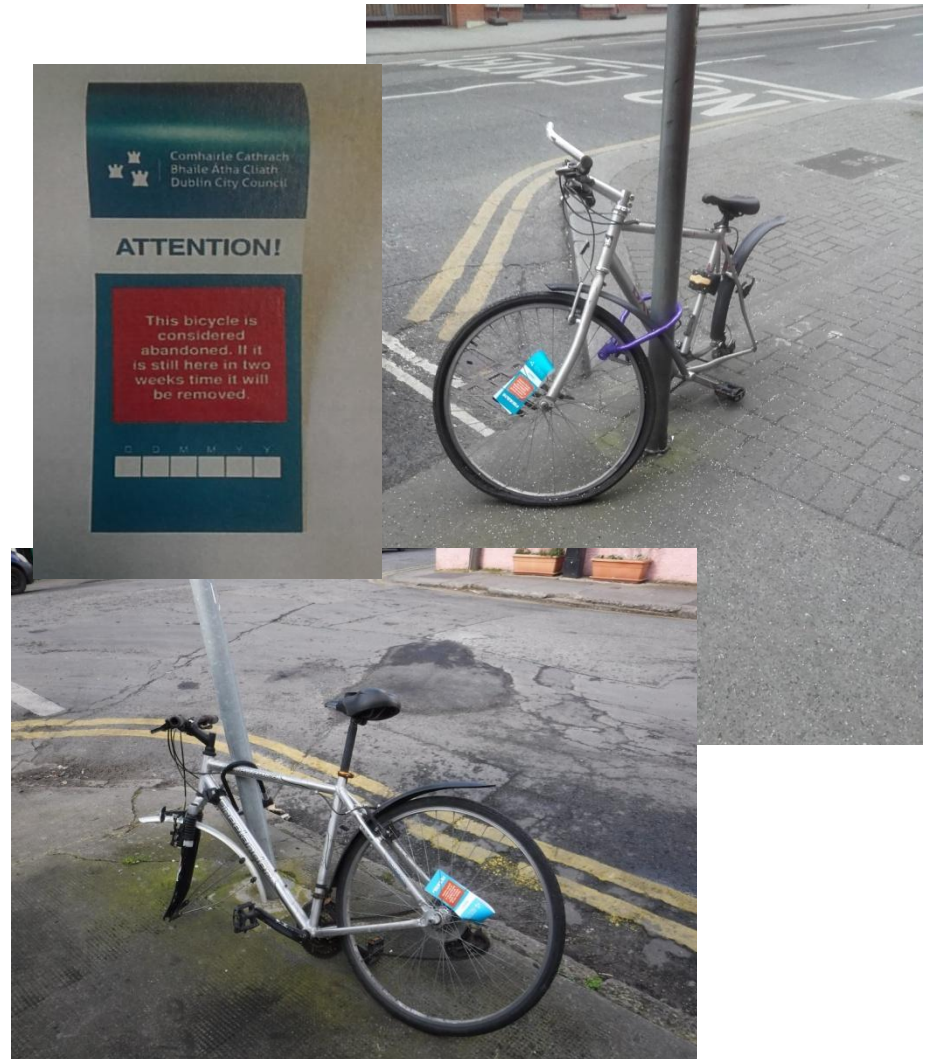
**South East Area Joint Policing Subcommittee
Annual Work Plan 2018 Quarter 1 - General Updates**



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Abandoned Bicycles

- ❑ Dublin City Council's Abandoned Bike policy was reviewed in February 2018 to streamline the procedures to assist in the removal of bicycles located on public streets or in a public car park that would appear to have been in the same location unmoved for a period of more than 2 weeks.
- ❑ In line with the reviewed policy, an orange Stickered Tag is now placed on bikes requiring the owner to remove the bike from the location.
- ❑ The bikes are held in storage for a period of one month .
- ❑ 132 bicycles were listed for removals in 2017 of which 121 (56 Full Bikes , 65 FRAMES) were removed in the South East Area.
- ❑ A further 46 bikes were Tagged during the year but were no longer in locations by time removals were carried out, evidence that simply attaching the TAG works well too.
- ❑ To-date in 2018, 79 bikes have been tagged and listed for removals; 69 were removed by DCC and 10 were gone, presumed removed by their owners , simply by virtue of the tag being placed.



Community Development & the Probation Services

❑ Dublin City Council South East Area's Community Development and Public Domain sections continue to work with the Department of Justice and Probation Services to engage young men in the probation system in community cleaning-work in the area.

❑ A number of trouble and black spots where litter, weeds and overgrowth have been ongoing problems were identified , and number of local groups and Tidy Town Associations were approached.

❑ Work continues on a number of projects along the coast line, along Sandymount promenade and the car parking areas, in Ringsend Park, with plans made for work in the Spring.

❑ The work carried out to-date has been an important assistance to the environmental improvement of these areas while also assisting in the rehabilitation of the men involved.

