# DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL NORTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE 18<sup>th</sup> June, 2018

#### Q.1 Question in the name of Councillor Tom Brabazon

"To ask the Area Manager if he will request the following works to be carried out **(details supplied).**"

## Q.2 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager if Dublin City Council will actively maintain the green areas in **(details supplied)** including the shrubbery and flower beds given that the tenants are no longer in a position to do this?

#### Q.3 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager if Dublin City Council plans to upgrade the public open space at **(details supplied)**? If the provision of seating at this location might encourage anti-social behaviour on this green at nighttime?"

#### Q.4 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

To ask the Area Manager if Dublin City Council will clean up and renovate the communal area at the front of (**details supplied**)? There are a lot of weeds growing at this location and most of the decorative stones have gone missing. Local residents feel they are fighting a loosing battle in

#### Q.5 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager if Dublin City Council will actively intervene to ensure that its public open space at (**details supplied**) is made safe for children playing there? The boundary fence with (**details supplied**) is disintegrating and is dangerous and branches form trees growing in this premises fall on the green which is also dangerous.

# Q.6 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager if Dublin City Council will arrange to repair the shower in a senior citizen flat **(details supplied)** and if the locks on the windows of this flat can be fixed or replaced given that they are loose?"

#### Q.7 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager if he will arrange to repair the two kerbs at (**details supplied**) given that pedestrians have fallen at this location. In addition, can double yellow lines be placed across this entrance which would highlight the danger for pedestrians as well as prevent illegal parking?"

## Q.8 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager when speed ramps will be provided on a road (**details supplied**)? When were these ramps first agreed by the Traffic Advisory Group? What priority do these works have in the overall scheme of things? Can Dublin City Council work actively to source funding for this scheme?"

# Q.9 Question in the name of Councillor Ciarán O'Moore

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

#### Q.10 Question in the name of Councillor Alison Gilliland

"To ask the Area Manager to arrange for the following works to be carried out **(details supplied)."** 

## Q.11 Question in the name of Councillor Alison Gilliland

"To ask the Area Manager to provide an update on the following question from the April meeting (details supplied)."

#### Q.12 Question in the name of Councillor Alison Gilliland

"To ask the Area Manager to (details supplied)."

#### Q.13 Question in the name of Councillor Alison Gilliland

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# Q.17 Question in the name of Councillor Alison Gilliland

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#### Q.18 Question in the name of Councillor Deirdre Heney

"To ask the Manager to refer to road at location as per **details (A)** attached where residents witness the continuous breaking of the red lights by motorists who pick up great speed along this stretch and say what measures can be put in place to calm the traffic at this location as this pedestrian crossing is used, in particular by children, coming from locations at **(B) details** attached to go to the local shop and to walk to school

- (i) traffic calming, signage warning motorists to "slow down"
- (ii) larger or more obvious traffic lights as motorists can sometimes not see the red light (perhaps due to strong sunshine)

# Q.19 Question in the name of Councillor Deirdre Heney

"To ask the Manager to refer to location as per **(details supplied)** and say if he can consider installing a pedestrian crossing at same in order to allow pedestrians safe conditions to cross the road and would also serve as a calming measure to slow down high speeding traffic along this particular stretch of roadway where fatalities have occurred in the past."

## Q.20 Question in the name of Councillor Deirdre Heney

"Can the manage please make the necessary arrangements to ask the owners of the container at location as per (details supplied) removed as it is

- 1. Unnecessary
- 2. Unsightly
- 3. Being used as a dumping ground in around the back of and side of same

## Q.21 Question in the name of Councillor Ciarán O'Moore

"What is involved in the process of an area become a "residents only park " area ?"

#### Q.22 Question in the name of Councillor Ciarán O'Moore

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

#### Q.23 Question in the name of Councillor Ciarán O'Moore

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

## Q.24 Question in the name of Councillor Ciarán O'Moore

"Can a time table be given on the spraying of weeds on footpaths for Dublin Bay North."

## Q.25 Question in the name of Councillor John Lyons

"To ask the manager for the number of public bins in the North Central area and the location of each one."

#### Q.26 Question in the name of Councillor John Lyons

"To ask the manager for an update on the roll-out of the beach wheelchairs on Dollymount Beach."

## Q.27 Question in the name of Councillor John Lyons

"To ask the manager to provide an update on the consultations taking place regarding the proposed new playground in Kilbarrack and list the various groups consulted."

#### Q.28 Question in the name of Councillor John Lyons

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

# Q.29 Question in the name of Councillor John Lyons

"To ask the Area Manager for information regarding any proposed future public domain works in the Darndale area."

#### Q.30 Question in the name of Councillor John Lyons

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

### Q.31 Question in the name of Councillor John Lyons

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

#### Q.32 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

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

## Q.33 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

"To ask the Area Manager has the new install and update of the CCTV systems in the Darndale area been carried out? What approach/protocol should residents take if they wish to report anti-social activity in the area?"

#### Q.34 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

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

#### Q.35 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

"To ask the Area Manager what are the plans for the vacant council depot on Kilmore Road?"

#### Q.36 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

"To ask the Area Manager what is the turnaround period for replacing internal doors in the North Central area and how many residents are on the waiting list for these works?"

## Q.37 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

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

# Q.38 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

"To ask the Area Manager is there any plans to install traffic /crossing signals on the Hole in the wall road at the roundabout on the R139? The recent installation of traffic signals at this roundabout means the hole in the wall road is the only side of this roundabout without a crossing signal."

## Q.39 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

"To ask the Area Manager for an update to the requested pot-hole repairs on the Priorswood Road."

#### Q.40 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

"To ask the Area Manager has the construction works finished at Buttercup Park, Dublin 17 including the repairs to the road?"

#### Q.41 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

"To ask the Area Manager for an update to the requested repairs(NCAC, ". 40, 12/03/2018) to the damaged playground equipment in the Bunratty playground. There has been more vandalism carried out in recent weeks, photo attached, where a guardrail has been sawn off from a piece of equipment.

#### Q.42 Question in the name of Councillor Edel Moran

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

## Q.43 Question in the name of Councillor Alison Gilliland

"To ask the Area Manager to (details supplied)."

#### Q.44 Question in the name of Councillor Alison Gilliland

"To ask the Area Manager to arrange for the grass to be cut on the green areas with Ashcroft Estate as soon as possible and to indicate how often the contractor is supposed to cut this grass and how often DCC supervises and following up to check that the work has indeed been completed."

#### Q.45 Question in the name of Councillor Alison Gilliland

"To ask the Area Manager to respond to the following questions regarding the responses to Q 77/May 2018 (**details supplied**)."

#### Q.46 Question in the name of Councillor Sean Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager if the Parks Department can clean up and plant the area at the bottom of the Cul De Sac at (**details supplied**). Dublin City Council took the trees and Shrubbery out of this area 18 months ago and were to come back to fix it up."

#### Q.47 Question in the name of Councillor Sean Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager if Dublin City Council has any plans to insulate and replace the windows and doors at (**details supplied**)."

#### Q.48 Question in the name of Councillor Michael O'Brien

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

#### Q.49 Question in the name of Councillor Michael O'Brien

"To ask the area manager to comment on the fire and building safety issues in Belmayne raised in the attached letter and in particular address the criticism raised of the DCC fire officers and furthermore if DCC can commit to carrying out comprehensive inspections and enforcements."

# Q.50 Question in the name of Councillor Michael O'Brien

"To ask the area manager to give a progress update on the consultations with local clubs and organisations in the Kilbarrack area regarding the proposed neighbourhood centre."

## Q.51 Question in the name of Councillor Michael O'Brien

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

#### Q.52 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

"To ask the Area Manager if the Green Open space at (**details supplied**) can be cut. It has not been cut since March and is about 2 feet tall."

#### Q.53 Question in the name of Councillor Larry O'Toole

"To ask the Area Manager to consider this resident of the Drumcondra Family Hub be relocated to the Greencastle Hub (**details supplied**)."

#### Q.54 Question in the name of Councillor Larry O'Toole

"To ask the Area Manager to consider this resident for a transfer from the Drumcondra Family Hub to the Greencastle Hub (**details supplied**)."

## Q.55 Question in the name of Councillor Larry O'Toole

"To ask the Area Manager to have the sitting window at (details supplied) repaired."

#### Q.56 Question in the name of Councillor Seán Paul Mahon

"Can the Area Manager have somebody from the Parks section to call to (**details supplied**) to discuss the tree outside his home. This gentleman is over 80 years of age and has tried in the past to contact Parks.

# Q.57 Question in the name of Councillor Deirdre Heney

"Can the Manager refer to housing tenant at location as per **(details supplied)** and say if he can advise if she has been awarded medical priority and if so, when it is likely she will be accommodated with a transfer."

#### Q.58 Question in the name of Councillor Deirdre Heney

"Can the Manager please refer to ongoing parking difficulties, motor access and egress, cyclist and pedestrian safety at location as per details at (A) attached and now say

- 1. what action is being considered/taken by Dublin City Council to rectify the situation satisfactorily and along with the owners of the adjacent business
- within what timescale will the matter will be rectified as well as ensuring the area is made safe for all users, particularly cyclists, at the entrance and exit to any revised acceptably scaled carpark
- 3. if previously mooted pedestrian crossing to be located at details (B) attached can be revisited as the situation is extremely hazardous for pedestrians at this location."

#### Q.59 Question in the name of Councillor Deirdre Heney

"Can the manager please refer to Edenmore Shopping Centre and its immediate public domain area and say

- (a) What plans if any, there are to contribute to the general enhancement of the appearance of the centre and its surrounds
- (b) If he can detail efforts the City Council has in the recent past, made to enhance the area of the Shopping Centre and its surrounds and the cost of same
- (c) If he is aware of any pre-planning consultations with the Planning Dept. and owner of any of the units/properties of Edenmore Shopping Centre, and if so, can he confirm or deny same

If he is aware of any imminent development plans for the centre and if he can make a general statement on the matter."

# Q.60 Question in the name of Councillor Deirdre Heney

"Can the manager, in relation to the reply to my question number 15 of the May 2018 North Central Area Committee Meeting, say

(1) with regard to its use of the British Standard Code of Practice for "noise and vibration control on construction and open sites" whether or not consideration is given to a reasonably acceptable duration of time (as opposed to level of noise) for night time works of this nature being inflicted on nearby residents as per details attached who have had to endure

- excruciatingly loud levels of noise on what is an annual basis for the past number of years
- (2) if he can ensure that every possible effort is made to continue to monitor this matter on behalf of affected citizens at details attached."

#### Q.61 Question in the name of Councillor Naoise O'Muirí

"Can the Manager please organise for a thorough cleansing of footpaths and roadways at (**details supplied**) as local residents tell me that this has not been done in a long time."

#### Q.62 Question in the name of Councillor Naoise O'Muirí

"Can the Manager please organise for the weeds at (**details supplied**) to be permanently removed possibly by the use of disinfectant as they have re-appeared after previous removal efforts."

#### Q.63 Question in the name of Councillor Naoise O'Muirí

"Can the Manager please organise for an assessment of the road-side tree near (**details supplied**) as local residents believe it is in poor condition and should be removed."

#### Q.64 Question in the name of Councillor Naoise O'Muirí

"In relation to (**details supplied**) can the Manager please organise for (a) the weakness in the middle of the roadway outside this location to be repaired and (b) for the empty tree-pit outside this location to be either filled or replenished with a tree."

#### Q.65 Question in the name of Councillor Naoise O'Muirí

"Does the Manager have any information in relation to the removal of the bus stop near (**details supplied**) some months ago – is it because DCC are planning on installing a pedestrian crossing there?"

#### Q.66 Question in the name of Councillor Naoise O'Muirí

"Can the Manager please organise for the installation of clear signage in the 3 bathing shelters on the Bull Wall as raised in the following correspondence (**details supplied**)."

#### Q.67 Question in the name of Councillor Naoise O'Muirí

"Can the Manager please confirm if the Dublin Development Plan mandates minimum widths for the following.

- 1. Access roadways for private developments
- 2. Pedestrian laneway connections.