

North Central Area Office

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Date: 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2022

To the chairperson and members of  
North Central Area Committee

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**With reference to a proposal to initiate the procedure for the  
Extinguishment of the Public Right of Way over a laneway located at  
3 – 69 Annadale Drive, Marino, Dublin 3.**

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**Proposal**

A request to have the public right of way extinguished over a section of laneway located at 3 – 69 Annadale Drive, Marino, Dublin 3 was submitted to Dublin City Council's North Central Area Office by a majority of residents whose properties abuts the laneway. The reason for requesting the closure is to prevent the ongoing issue of anti-social behaviour in the laneway and to improve the safety and security of their homes. The proposed method of closure is by means of gates with coded padlocks. There will be 1 gate between no 33 and 31 Annadale Drive. The extent of the proposed extinguishment is shown on Drawing No RM 37653A (copy attached).

**Service Checks**

A service check has been initiated.

**Statutory Requirement**

The statutory procedure involves giving public notice of the proposal in one or more newspapers circulating in the City and the affixing of that notice at each end of the right of way for a period of not less than 14 days. Any objections or representations made and not withdrawn shall be considered. The extinguishment of a public right of way is a function reserved to the elected members of the City Council.

**Recommendation**

I recommend that procedures be initiated under Section 73 of the Roads Act 1993 to extinguish the public right of way over the area indicated on Drawing No. RM 37615

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