

Motions to the Area Managers
Central Area Committee meeting
11th October 2022

Item 1

Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke

That this Central Area Committee requests an up to date report to the future of the Bring Centre at Shamrock Place, Dublin 1.

Item 2

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That this Central Area Committee calls on Irish Rail to address the issue of the screeching noise which train wheels make on the metal track as it passes over the bridge on Ballybough Road, (as the rail tracks curve over that section from North Strand Road to Croke Park). Greasing machines have been installed by Irish Rail but there has been little improvement. Residents feel the noise levels are still too high and their quality of life is suffering as a result.

Item 3

Motion in the names of Councillor Colm O'Rourke and Ray McAdam

That this Central Area Committee

- Thanks the National Transport Authority (NTA) for agreeing to our motion to use the unutilised lands north of Mount Bernard Park and for transferring the land to Dublin City Council for public access and community use, as well as for providing funding for same as part of the BusConnects programme.
- We now call on the Chief Executive of Dublin City Council to proceed as quickly as possible with the remediation works and secure the specialist assistance required.
- We ask that Dublin City Council consults residents regarding the best use of the sought-after community amenity.
- Furthermore, we request that an indicative timeframe is put in place for the completion of the entire project and it to be reported back to us as soon as possible.

Item 4

Motion in the name of Councillor Joe Costello

That this Central Area Committee agree to oppose the CPO by the NTA of a significant portion of the Constitution Hill Housing Regeneration site at Catherine's Lane

Item 5

Motion in the name of Councillor Joe Costello

That this Central Area Committee calls on Dublin City Council to consider refurbishing the CTC building in Sheriff Street and making it available for the provision of much needed crèche facilities in the North Wall.

Item 6**Motion in the name of Councillor Joe Costello**

That this Area Committee calls on Dublin City Council to detail the extent of Housing First in the Central Area and if he will carry out a review of its effectiveness, particularly, in light of the tragic events in Kevin Barry House over the last month.

Item 7**Motion in the name of Councillor Declan Meenagh**

That this Central Area Committee commends the Parks Department for their response to the outbreak of Fireblight Disease in Riverston Abbey, Ashtown and that this Central Area Committee calls on the Parks Department to rapidly replace these trees with new trees and to look at other greening options for the area.

Item 8**Motion in the name of Councillor Nial Ring**

That this Central Area Committee requests the Area Manager to contact the project management team for the Clontarf to City Centre Cycleway Project and instruct them to immediately reverse the decision/ plan to remove the two most used bus stops on North Strand Road, namely the outbound stop on North Strand Road between Charleville Avenue and Bayview Avenue and the inbound stop at the corner of Strandville Avenue.

Item 9**Motion in the name of Councillor Nial Ring**

That this Area Committee requests the Area Manager to arrange for a complete review of the bollards on Manor Street as these are ongoing issues caused by the presence of these bollards including litter, access by sweepers and, most serious, the ongoing decline in business in local shops.

Item 10**Motion in the name of Councillor Nial Ring**

That this Central Area Committee requests the Area Manager to contact the project management team for the Clontarf to City Centre Cycleway Project and instruct them to immediately reverse the decision to extend the inbound the bus lane time to 24 hours and reinstate the previous times (up to 7pm, Monday to Saturday) on that part of the bus lane from Annesley Bridge to the Five Lamps, thus giving some relief to the major inconvenience foisted on local residents who are currently not allowed turn onto the inbound lane.