

Questions to the Area Manager

North West Area Committee
Meeting Tuesday 15th November 2022

Q.1 Lord Mayor Caroline Conroy

To ask the Manager to find a solution to the continuing illegal parking on (details supplied) it is causing daily issues with cars having to reverse back onto a busy road in order to let cars pass.

Q.2 Lord Mayor Caroline Conroy

To ask the Manager can leaf composting workshops be organised ASAP for local groups. This will help reduce the amount of leaves ending up in landfill and will create peat-free compost for local communities.

Q.3 Lord Mayor Caroline Conroy

To ask the Manager can the wild flower planting on the Ballygall Road East be trimmed back for the winter.

Q.4 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager following on from the successful filling in of part of the mound at Coultrey Park if this can be done the whole way around to deal with illegal dumping.

Q.5 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager for an update on providing a sensory garden in Poppintree Park.

Q.6 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager for an update on the playground development and maintenance in Balcurris Park.

Q.7 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager for an update on the reconstruction of the roundabouts at Jamestown Road and St Margaret's Road.

Q.8 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to look at the traffic light sequence once again at Shangan Road, Ballymun Road Junction. The lights turn very quickly when traveling from one end of Ballymun to another.

Q.9 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager for an update on the Ballymun Plaza redevelopment. This is dragging on since Councillors voted this through.

Q.10 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to power wash the main street in Ballymun from Santry Cross down to Trinity Comp on both sides.

Q.11 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to put a temporary outdoor gym on the old shopping centre site Ballymun.

- Q.12 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to provide an update on the repair of the footpath at the junction of 2 Pinewood Grove with Pinewood Drive. The pavement is quite badly smashed and is a trip hazard.
- Q.13 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager if resurfacing work is due to take place on (details supplied). Several sections of the road are in very poor condition.
- Q.14 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to provide an update on the replacement front door at (details supplied).
- Q.15 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to provide an update on the poles which were installed outside (details supplied), is a pedestrian crossing due to be installed.
- Q.16 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to provide an update on the proposed removal of the tree at (details supplied).
- Q.17 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to provide an update on the repair of the footpath at (details supplied) It is in very poor condition.
- Q.18 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to provide an update on the inspection of the tree at (details supplied).
- Q.19 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to provide an update on the trees at the bottom of the cul de sac in (details supplied). Several appear to be dead and have fungus growing on them.
- Q.20 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to advise if there are any appropriate road markings or signage relating to the 30km/h speed limit in (details supplied).
- Q.21 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to review the signage and layout of the roundabout at (details supplied) Approaching cars frequently use the wrong side of the roundabout so signage indicating that traffic should keep left may be required.
- Q.22 Councillor Briege MacOscar**
To ask the Manager to investigate solutions to the rising problem of joyriding on (details supplied). Can the kerbing be changed to make entry on to the green more difficult.
- Q.23 Councillor Anthony Connaghan**
To ask the Manager to consider providing more parking spaces for the residents at (details supplied). There is an overflow of cars parked in the parking bays on to the side of the road and it is only going to get worse when the new development nearby goes ahead.
- Q.24 Councillor Anthony Connaghan**

To ask the Manager to arrange for the bushes and tall weeds to be removed or trimmed back at the side wall of (details supplied) so that the home owner can paint the side of the wall to clean it up. Contractors have cut the grass recently but leave the larger weeds which are preventing the resident from painting the side of house.

Q.25 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the trees to the side of (details supplied) to be trimmed back considerably as they are reaching the overhead cables and blocking sunlight into the garden of the property.

Q.26 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the tarmac landing between 301A and 305 Casement Road to be completely resurfaced. This has been requested previously but is now a serious health and safety issue with numerous potholes across the space.

Q.27 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the removal of any remaining dog litter bins and replace with standard litter bins. The smaller dog litter bins are regularly overflowing, and the area would be better served with them being replaced.

Q.28 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager what the approximate cost would be to build a retaining wall along Ratoath Road (Westwood Road towards Ratoath Avenue) which would also serve to allow the Finglas Celtic pitch to be extended to a full size which was the original idea many years ago.

Q.29 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for a section of the footpath alongside Farnham Drive GAA pitch to be repaired. Heading north towards Farnham Crescent there is a section between the 2nd and 3rd streetlight which is very bad and is a serious trip hazard.

Q.30 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the broken tap at (details supplied) to be repaired/replaced.

Q.31 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager for an update on any proposed development for land between 74 and 75 Fairlawn Road.

Q.32 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to provide an update on the upgrading of Northway Park which was promised several years ago.

Q.33 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for a clean-up of Wellmount Park and can contact be made with Dunne's Stores to request an upgrade of their boundary which is in a poor state and very unsightly.

Q.34 Councillor Mary Callaghan

To ask the Manager to send a crew to clear the leaves at [details supplied]

Q.35 Councillor Mary Callaghan

To ask the Manager for an update on the landscaping and the installation of bollards at [details supplied].

Q.36 Councillor Mary Callaghan

To ask the Manager for an update on discussions with Ballymun Kickhams in relation to how their strategic development plan fits with Dublin City Council plans and to ask the Manager to arrange for a meeting with the club, including Public Reps and relevant personnel in the City Council to discuss taking the plan forward.

Q.37 Councillor Mary Callaghan

To ask the Manager for an update on discussions with City Farm in relation to progressing their proposals and ask the Manager to arrange a meeting with City Farm, including Public Reps and relevant personnel in the City Council to discuss taking the plan forward.

Q.38 Councillor Mary Callaghan

To ask the Manager for information about the two blue road maintenance containers newly arrived at [details supplied], the purpose for them being there and when it is expected that they will be moved.

Q.39 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to arrange for a replacement front door for (details supplied). The front door lets in water when it rains and is quite insecure. The lady living there recently became a widow and doesn't feel safe.

Q.40 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to provide an update on the removal of the shrubbery and potential improvements at (details supplied).

Q.41 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to arrange for the repair of the carriageway at (details supplied).

Q.42 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to provide an update on the reinstatement of the ramps at (details supplied).

Q.43 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to provide an update on the retrofitting of council stock housing in the Finglas area, how many houses have been completed, how many are planned to be completed this year and for a list of roads.

Q.44 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to carry out a review of the traffic lights at (details supplied). There have numerous complaints about cars not getting through, long delays and cars ignoring the lights.

Q.45 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to provide an update on the tender process for the redevelopment of Kildonan Park.

Q.46 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to arrange for an information campaign to discourage people from feeding seagulls.

Q.47 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to arrange for the weeding and a review of the additional bollards etc. at (details supplied).

Q.48 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to arrange for the pruning of the trees at (details supplied).

Q.49 Councillor Keith Connolly

To ask the Manager to provide an update on the repair/extension of the cage for Finglas Cricket Club in Poppintree Park.