

NORTH WEST AREA COMMITTEE MEETING

MINUTES

TUESDAY 20th June 2023

Item 1 Minutes of the North West Area Committee Meeting held on Tuesday 16th May 2023.

Order: Agreed

Item 2 Questions to the Area Manager.

Order: Noted

Item 3 Finglas Area Office Report, Pat Teehan, Area Manager.

Order: Noted

Item 4 With reference to the proposed disposal of a plot to the side of 7 Hazelcroft Park Finglas, Dublin 11 to St. Agnes Medical Limited.

Order: Not recommended to City Council. The Planning Department has been asked to revert to the Councillors with further information

Item 5 **Motion in the name of Councillor Noeleen Reilly**

That this Area Committee reviews the decision not to complete the Scribblestown Pedestrian Crossing this year as a commitment was made to residents that this would be completed as part of the new development works.

Order: Report to Councillor

Item 6. **Motion in the name of Councillor Anthony Connaghan**

That the Manager arranges for a plan to be put in place for the proposed Tolka Valley Park all weather facility as soon as possible to ensure when funding is provided that the project is ready to start immediately. Can the Manager give an update on what work has been carried out thus far in the project.

Order: Pat Teehan to report back to Councillor with a full detailed report before Area Committee meeting in July.

Item 7. **Motion in the name of Councillor Anthony Connaghan**

That the Manager to arrange for re-instatement of Ratoath Road (between Ratoath Ave and Westwood Road) where the sides are crumbling and making this section a health and safety issue for all road users. Can the Manager also provide an update on the planned permanent upgrade of this section of the road.

Order: Report to Councillor

Item 8. Ballymun Area Office Report, Jackie O'Reilly, Area Manager

Order: Noted

Item 9. With reference to the proposed grant of lease of Unit 3, Shangan Neighbourhood Centre, Ballymun, Dublin 9.

Order: Recommend to Council

Item 10. Motion in the name of Councillor Noeleen Reilly

That this area committee calls on DCC to reverse the decision not to assist residents with Green Waste. Many people are doing tremendous work across the area but the need assistance in removing waste. This work will not happen if residents are expected to put it in their own bin.

Order: Report to Councillor

Item 11. Motion in the name of Councillor Keith Connolly

That this Area Committee seeks a solution to blue bags no longer being collected with green waste by Dublin City Council, with a particular focus on accommodating officially registered resident/environmental groups and from scenarios where residents have had to use the bags from cutting the grass verges outside their homes on a public space that the Parks Department no longer cut.

Order: Report to Councillor

Item 12. Presentation on Animal Welfare unit for the North West Area Committee

Order: Noted

Item 13. Housing Allocations Report April 2023

Order: Noted

Item 14. Public Domain Report, Robert Ingram, A/ Public Domain Officer

Order: Noted

Item 15. Traffic Service Request, Status Report

Order: Noted

Item 16. Minutes of the Traffic Advisory Group (TAG) Meeting

Order: Noted

NWA Councillors: Lord Mayor Caroline Conroy, Noeleen Reilly, Keith Connolly, Mary Callaghan, Anthony Connaghan, and Briege MacOscar.

Officials: Derek Kelly (Director of Services-North West Area), Pat Teehan (Area Manager Finglas) Jackie O'Reilly (Area Manager Ballymun), Robert Ingram (Public Domain Officer), Fiona Farrell (Staff Officer) Bláthnaid Conlon, (Senior Staff Officer) Gerald McEntagart, (Executive Engineer) (Assistant Engineer). Richard Herlihy (Administrative Officer),

Councillor Noeleen Reilly
Chairperson

The meeting concluded at 4pm