

The Chairman and Members of North West Area Committee.

Meeting: 19th March 2024

Item No: 13

PUBLIC DOMAIN REPORT

<u>Report Graffiti North West Area – February 2024</u> To date 372 sq. meters of graffiti has been removed during the period of January 2024 to February 2024.

Illegal Dumping in North West Area- February 2024

• Total No of Service Requests - 272

Street Cleaning North West Area – February 2024

• Total No of Service Requests - 43

Better Ballymun



Due to weather conditions, Better Ballymun Day was cancelled last minute for health and safety concerns for students, staff and the general public. Better Ballymun Day will be held Friday the 15th March. The Public Domain and Community Teams are prepared for the event.

Team Dublin Clean Up



The Team Dublin Clean-Up is one of the biggest highlights in the calendar for the Public Domain Unit. The upcoming Team Dublin Clean-Up is scheduled for Saturday, 27th April 2024 from 11am to 1pm. Dublin City Council has requested that the event take place in April to coincide with National Spring Clean-up Month. To maximise resource allocation, the clean-up will be completed in a single day rather than over a week. The Public Domain Team will communicate with all participating groups and provide local resources as needed.

Cranogue Close Ballymun

The Public Domain Unit recently engaged with residents living on Crannog Close to remove weeds and replant the flower bed. The residents will maintain the location going forward. We would like to thank them for their continued support, the Public Domain Unit delivered tools to facilitate the residents.

Before

<u>After</u>



Tree Planting Project 2024 Finglas



The Public Domain Team has teamed up with Saint Michaels Secondary School in Finglas. Thirty trees will be allocated to the transition year in St Michaels in conjunction with national tree week. Only Irish native trees will be planted on the school premises.

National Tree Week is an annual event organised by the Tree Council of Ireland in partnership with Coillte. It is the largest tree celebration in the country, providing a unique opportunity for people to come together and celebrate the beauty and importance of Ireland's trees. This year, the event's theme Planting Trees for a Greener Future aims to emphasise the importance of trees and forests.

Linear Park update March 2024

Progress is well underway and planting has started in the Linear Park Finglas, The future of the small park area in conjunction with the tidy towns section is very positive. A bug hotel, fairy doors and a small seating area will be introduced. As progress continues we will report back to the Area Committee.



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