

**Motions to the Area Managers  
Central Area Committee meeting  
10<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

**Item 1**

**Motion in the name of Councillor Janice Boylan**

That this area committee calls on DCC to organise for a statue or plaque to be installed on Portland Row to mark local boxing legend Kellie Harrington's success in the Olympics both Tokyo and Paris.

That we instruct the management of DCC to work with Kellie and relevant organisations to come up with a fitting tribute for her wonderful contribution to Irish Boxing.

**Item 2**

**Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke**

That this Central Area Committee agree to name the new development on the old depot site on Portland Row after Kellie Harrington.

**Item 3**

**Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke**

That the Central Area Committee address the ongoing construction noise for up to eight hours a day at the development of apartments beside Temple Buildings in Dublin 1 and to obtain clarification as to when the building works will be completed.

**Item 4**

**Motion in the name of Councillor Gayle Ralph and Councillor Feljin Jose**

The Central Area Committee calls on the management to revisit the decision to erect new fencing at the Tolka River steps in Griffith Park. Other measures such as a local awareness campaign aimed towards dog owners and dog warden patrols of Griffith Park to ensure dogs are kept on leads should be undertaken by the City Council with a view to removing the fencing that was recently erected.

**Item 5**

**Motion in the name of Councillor Séamas McGrattan**

This area committee calls on Dublin City Council to intervene and assist Cabra KKC who are facing imminent eviction from their club on Bannow Road. This club has done trojan work for young people in the Cabra area for decades and its closure would be a huge blow to the community.

**Item 6**

**Motion in the name of Councillor Daniel Ennis**

To call on the Central Area Committee to agree to a new Traffic Plan to improve crossings and call for traffic calming measures for Manor Street, Prussia Street area to ensure the safety of

pedestrians, cyclists and all road users. The traffic congestion situation is worsening putting local people, workers and children at risk of a serious road traffic incident, with residents and local school teachers stressing for provisions to be made for the safe passage of young children especially to and from the local schools.

**Item 7**

**Motion in the name of Councillor Daniel Ennis**

Noting the serious incidents around Dublin's North Inner City, especially along the Royal Canal Walkway, and following on from my motion at our last Central Area Meeting, I ask that this committee call on senior Gardaí to inform them of what plans are being put in place to ensure the safety of the people that live in the area, work in this part of the city, children that use this passage to get to school/college and everybody living in this area.

**Item 8**

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

That this committee instructs the Area Manager to meet with the Gardaí and get advice and agreement for suitable locations to be chosen for the installation of CCTV cameras in Summerhill (27 Steps area and Rutland St junction) and Railway Street to combat the drug dealing problem at these locations.

**Item 9**

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

That this committee requests the Area Manager to arrange for a future CAC meeting to be held in the North City Depot coupled with an information tour of the new facility.

**Item 10**

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

That this area committee requests the Area Manager to contact the chief executive of Circle Housing, John Hannigan, to advise him of the concerns being expressed by residents of Sean Tracy House and to ask him to immediately arrange a meeting of concerned residents with Circle (and councillors if requested) to address the ongoing issues in the complex.

**Item 11**

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

That this committee congratulate Kellie Harrington on her magnificent achievement in winning a second gold medal at the Olympics and also congratulate the central area office of Dublin City Council for the magnificent efforts put into ensuring Kelly's homecoming was the great success it was.

**Item 12****Motion in the name of Councillor Gayle Ralph and Councillor Feljin Jose**

To call on the City Council to ensure in future that there is adequate communication and consultation with local councillors in advance of any significant alterations & changes being made to local parks.

**Item 13****Motion in the name of Councillor Malachy Steenson**

To ask the Central Area Committee to call for immediate repair works to the Marmion Court complex. Water coming from taps has a foul odour, likely due to effluent leakage, and this poses grave health risks and forces many residents to rely on bottled water. Roads and path surfaces have now also fallen into a dangerous state of disrepair. These are serious health and safety issues and need to be addressed without delay.