

North Central Area Office

18th November 2016

To the Chairman and Members of The North Central Area Committee

Meeting: 19th December 2016

Report on waste in Parks & Open Spaces

The Public Domain office receive reports of illegal dumping on waste in parks/open spaces from members of the public, elected representatives, by ourselves and local staff who notice and see materials dumped on our property.

These complaints go up on our CRM reporting site and are accessed by the relevant Departments with a view to removing the materials.

The sites are visited by the local litter wardens who search for evidence in the illegally dumped materials and it is then referred to Waste Management if the items are large or bulky and need a grab lorry to remove.

The Public Domain and Parks Dept work closely together to ensure that the open spaces are kept to a good standard and this is particularly so over the Halloween period when demand is high.

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