



Parks Department

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 problem of waste accumulating in Dublin city parks and green spaces is ever increasing and is very evident in the North West Area, North Central East Area and North Central area west.

The cost of disposing of waste from city parks and green open spaces is also growing and its collection puts considerable pressure on Parks Staff, whose primary undertaking is the care and maintenance of the green space, not waste collection.

The funds needed for the collection and disposal of waste from parks and green open spaces are taken out of the Parks and Landscape Services maintenance Budget.

To date, the cost of solely disposing of waste from Open Spaces is as follows:

North Central West Area	€18,200.00
North West Area	€39,568.76

Such costs do not include the man hours dedicated to the collecting and storing waste.

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