

Questions to the Area Manager

North West Area Committee

Meeting 20th December 2016

Q1. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to look at putting steal gates where the bins are at (details supplied) and (details supplied)

Q2. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to look at putting a pedestrian crossing at (details supplied) due to the level of traffic using that road.

Q3. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to put Kissing Gates at (details supplied)

Q4. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to CPO (details supplied)and (details supplied)and to put them on derelicts sites register.

Q5. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to look at the (details supplied) and (details supplied) and ensure all planning enforcement issues are being adhered to. There appears to be an issue with a joining area's on both sites being destroyed.

Q6. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to speak to (details supplied) ahead of any plans for the (details supplied)as they use that land for recreation for children in the community. For the council to provide an alternative site if development occurs on this site.

Q7. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager for an update on dressing rooms and gym equipment for (details supplied)

Q8. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager for an update on (details supplied) entrance works which were budgeted for in 2017.

Q9. Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manger to look at providing Playground equipment in (details supplied)

Q10. Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager provide a detailed report on any incidents captured by the CCTV installed at the bottlebank on (details supplied) and the number of fines issued as a result of the CCTV?

Q11. Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager confirm (details supplied) if planning permission is required for the advertisement posters on the building hording at the (details supplied)

Q12. Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager confirm the following with (details supplied)

- a) The number of occasions when the bus service to (details supplied) was withdrawn in the last year?
- b) The reason for the withdrawal of the service on each occasion?
- c) Were official complaints made to the Garda when the withdrawal was due to anti-social behaviour?

Q13. Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager confirm the cost of providing a half day opening and a full day opening at the (details supplied)

Q14. Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager confirm the number of tenants in each (details supplied) in the (details supplied) and the number of tenants who avail of the liaison officer service in each complex?

Q15. Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager confirm whether planning permission is required to install a (details supplied)?

Q16. Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to provide an update on the steps taken by the Council in the run-up to the Christmas period to reduce the incidence of quad-bikes and scramblers being driven in public parks and other Council managed property.

Q17. Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to address concerns raised by residents that recently upgraded street-lighting at a location (details supplied) is not of a sufficient brightness to ensure pedestrian safety and if he will act to ensure that these concerns are addressed.

Q18. Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to give consideration to the installation of CCTV at a location (details supplied) to discourage the incidence of antisocial behaviour.

Q19. Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to arrange for leaves to be swept at the following location (Details Supplied) as they have become a hazard for pedestrians.

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Q21. Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to provide an update on an issue (details Supplied)

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Q23. Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to clarify if the Financial Contribution Scheme is currently operational and if so, the steps he is taking to provide new senior citizens complexes as a means of addressing the housing crisis in the North-West Area as this approach has proved very successful in the past/.

Q24. Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to provide an update on (details supplied)

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Q26. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the manager

to confirm the following with regards the response to (details supplied)

a) Can vents be installed in the bedroom

b) Explain what is meant by (details supplied), why this is the responsibility of the tenant and explain what remedy the tenant could apply

c) (details supplied)is considered to be in good order but is not suitable to deal with heavy rain as when it gets soaked it doesn't provide any shelter and there is electrical wiring. Can the manager consider replacing the shelter with a more suitable and durable material.

Q27. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the manager to reinstate the paths and the road at (details supplied)where the paths have been dug up by Irish Water and left with rough tarmac surfaces for over a year now and the whole length of the road is full of potholes.

Q28. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the manager to arrange for the repair of the wall outside of (details supplied)

Q29. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the manager to confirm if any further negotiations have taken place with respect to (details supplied) and will the council consider putting forward another offer to purchase the properties. Otherwise can the council request that the property owners state their intentions with the property. Furthermore, if there is an unsatisfactory response from the property owners, can the council look at applying either the derelict sites or vacant land legislation

Q30. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the manager to confirm what investigations have taken place in to the ongoing rat problem at (details supplied) There have been numerous complaints about rats since the spring and local residents have had their own pipes and drains investigated at their own expense with no evidence that the problem is within their own property. Can the council carry out further investigations of the public drainage network in the area to ascertain where the problem is coming from. (details supplied) have carried out baiting etc but this has not helped.

Q31. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the manager to confirm how many units will be obtained for social housing in the new development in (details supplied)which is near completion

Q32. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager (Details Supplied)to confirm that levies paid by the developer at (details supplied) will fund the link road to the rest of (details supplied) and to confirm that there should be no delays in the works due to funding.

Q33. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to arrange for repairs to the footpath on (details supplied)across from (details supplied) where a number of people have fallen and been injured.

Q34. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to examine (details supplied)to ascertain why there is dampness throughout the house where there was previously a leak which was repaired but walls are still damp and a danger to electrical sockets. The house is extremely cold.

Q35. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager for street lighting in (details supplied)to be upgraded.

Q36. Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to arrange for a new tree to be put on the path outside of (details supplied)

Q37. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to arrange to have the trees and shrubs cut back at the pedestrian entrance to (details supplied).

Q38. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to consider planting a permanent (details supplied) on (details supplied) for local residents to decorate annually.

Q39. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to move the current position of the speed ramps at the (details supplied) in (details supplied) due to access problems at the centre.

Q40. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager (to provide an update on negotiations between (details supplied) on providing them with an all weather pitch in (details supplied).

Q41. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to clear the gullies on the (details supplied) and to sweep the leaves which are blocking these gullies.

Q42. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to move the street light from outside number (details supplied) and to prune the tree at the same location.

Q43. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to liaise with (details supplied) about the constant poor water pressure for residents in the (details supplied).

Q44. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to install 'welcome' signage in (details supplied) as provided in other DCC parks.

Q45. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to begin the process to have the laneways gated off at the lower shops on (details supplied)

Q46. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to introduce traffic calming measures to prevent 'rat running' from (details supplied) through (details supplied).

Q47. Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to ensure every tenant in senior citizen accommodation in the (details supplied) Area is visited by a liaison officer in the months of (details supplied).

Q.48 Councillor Aine Clancy

To ask the Manager. to address the issue of a Satellite dish at the front of house (details supplied)

Q.49 Councillor Aine Clancy

To ask the Manager to give a time line as to when the trees on (details supplied) will be pruned as they are catching the electrical wires above.

Q.50 Councillor Aine Clancy

To ask Manager when will the real time bus information sign be installed on the last already erected pole on (details supplied)

Q.51 Councillor Aine Clancy

To ask the Manager when will the pavements on (details supplied) be up graded

Q.52 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the area manager, To arrange for repairs to potholes outside of (details supplied).

Q.53 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the area manager, to arrange for wiring and sockets to be repaired at (details supplied)

Q.54 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the area manager, to arrange for drainage to be got between (details supplied)

Q.55 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, To arrange for double yellow lines at (details supplied) where the new path has been done and to place bollards along the edge to prevent cars parking on the path.

Q.56 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, for repairs to be carried out to the pothole at (details supplied)

Q.57 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager,

To look at the following between (details supplied) (A) the replacing of a railings or other effect on the wall, (B) the lowering of the ground on either side of the wall, (C) to repair and put protection on the side wall at each of these houses as there has been damage.

Q.58 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to arrange for a gated for a gated effect railings beside (details supplied) as bikes are speeding through at speed.

Q.59 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to arrange for speed ramps to be placed at the entrance to (details supplied).

Q.60 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, for a clean up to be done of (details supplied)

Q.61 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, for the cutting for scrubs and clean up of the green at the corner of (details supplied)

Q.62 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to install a light bulb into the new lamppost on (details supplied). The new lamppost went in two months ago and no bulb was out in and older residents are concerned that it has got very dark in the area at night.

Q.63 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to investigate the build up of rubbish at (details supplied). This has been an ongoing issue and up to 50 black bags were removed from the property in May and it has built up again leaving neighbours with an eyesore and smell.

Q.64 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to install bollards at right turn on the (details supplied). Residents from (details supplied) have found it hard to turn right from the estate as other motor vehicles are moving over to the other side of the road to speed down and catch the green filter light to turn right. There could be a major accident if nothing is done about it.

Q.65 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to remove the rubble on the green between (details supplied)

Q.66 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to install lights at the walkway behind the (details supplied) as it is very dark at night and some criminal activity has taken place there.

Q.67 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to plant flowers along the wall at the corner of (details supplied) and along the green in between (details supplied)

Q.68 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager the progress on installation of outdoor exercise equipment in (details supplied), as allocated under Sports Capital Grant funding in 2015 and a report on same

Q.69 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to install CCTV cameras around the entrances of (details supplied). There has been an increase in anti-social behaviour in the area including assaults and there is now a demand locally for CCTV cameras to be installed in the locality around the park.

Q.70 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager if new locations have been identified for the (details supplied) and what is the current status of the project.

Q.71 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to sweep and collect leaves and other dirt on (details supplied). Residents are concerned that the some parts of the area have not been cleaned in the last while.

Q.72 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to collect the waste that is left over from waste collections at the cul de sac end between houses (details supplied). According to residents, small council vans come to the road but don't even stop to pick up the leftovers (see photos attached).

Q.73. Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the footpath outside 3 Mellows Road to be levelled as it has been damaged by the roots of the tree at this location.

Q.74 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for anti-climb measures on the wall at end of Woodbank Avenue wall between 25 and 26 to stop lads climbing over and causing a nuisance to local residents.

Q.75 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager what is the total cost of providing free wifi at the Finglas Civic Centre? Can the Manager say whether or not the Wifi will be turned back on as it was knocked off recently?

Q.76 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager how many people living in the Finglas area are on the Financial Contribution Scheme waiting list.

Q.77 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the re-surfacing of the path from the corner of (details supplied) into the Cul de sac at (details supplied) between (details supplied).

There is a more mature population in the area and have reported this issue on many occasions. Can the Manager arrange for the cul de sac to be inspected and any repairs needed to be carried out.

Q.78 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the resurfacing of the yard at (details supplied).

Q.79 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to outline why a request for an Invalidity parking Space at (details supplied) was not followed up on.

Q.80 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for repairs to the pathway outside of 1 Mellows Park.

Q.81 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the replacement of the path between 46 and 80 Wellmount Road as it is in very poor condition.

Q.82 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for the wooden knee rail along the green area across from the Cabin Shop on Wellmount Road.

Q.83 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to carry out an Inspection of the paths and roads in Glenhill Road and Glenhill Close. A local resident reported that his children have twice fell due to the uneven surfaces at these locations.

Q.84 Councillor David Costello

To ask the manager (details supplied) to arranges to have the mess from a burned out car at details supplied cleaned without delay.

Q.85 Councillor Andrew Keegan

To ask the Manager can a home owner with a DCC mortgage exchange into a home within a housing trust?

Q.86. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager to provide me with an update on the (details supplied)

Q.87. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager make immediate repairs to the road surface at Glasnevin Park on the corner Glasnevin Drive the concrete slab has sunk and is in urgent need of repair

Q.88. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager As part of the construction of the changing room in (details supplied) can the Manager examine if the juvenile Gaelic pitch allocation to (details supplied) may be swapped with the soccer allocation on the lands at Farnham. This would bring the Gaelic games closer to (details supplied) and the give the soccer access to changing rooms. This should obviously be done in full consultation with all existing allocations and their clubs.

Q89. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager to review the pavements in (details supplied) and make repairs on the sections that need to be repaired and remove the dangerous trip hazards that exist.

Q90. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager to investigate the operating times of the (details supplied) to prevent traffic jams at off peak hours occurring.

Q91. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager provide me with a report outlining why the council no longer provides the level of leaf removal which they did several years ago. Why they have moved this responsibility to residents and why they wait until late in the season to carry out the limited removal on high pedestrian traffic roads.

Q92. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager to investigate the flooding during heavy rain (details supplied). The open storm water drain is higher than the bevel in the road and so the area does not drain effectively.

Q93. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager provide a ramp or raised plateau at the first T junction as you enter (details supplied)

Q94. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager (details supplied).

Details carry out a review of traffic travelling east on (details supplied) at the junction of the (details supplied). There has been many reports of long tail back on (details supplied). The layout ensures the following problems

- Cars turning left are often blocked by cars heading straight.
- Cars heading straight are often immediately stopped by a red light on the left side of the (details supplied)
- Cars turning right have limited green time.

In solving the matter can the Manager consider

- three lanes for cars travelling east bound on (details supplied)
- Give more time to all traffic on (details supplied)
- Look at left only or right only lanes to help filter traffic heading from (details supplied) into the village.

Q95. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager repair the pavement outside (details supplied) as it is in a very bad state and is dangerous.

Q96. Councillor Paul McAuliffe

To ask the Manager to replace the broken sections of pavement on (details supplied)