

Questions to the Area Manager

North West Area Committee

Meeting 21st March 2017

Q.1 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager (a) for an update on (details supplied) (b) to ask the council to landscape the Gap between (details supplied) so it looks more attractive (c) if flower planters can be arranged for (details supplied)

Q.2 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to arrange speed ramps on (details supplied).

Q.3 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to look at a Pedestrian Crossing on (details supplied) between (details supplied).

Q.4 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager now that the Insulation programme is complete in (details supplied) if they can provide an update on Insulation in (details supplied)

Q.5 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to look at all the lights in (details supplied) and ensure they are working accurately. The park is very dark at night which is attributing to anti-social behaviour. There also appears to be lamp posts which are not connected.

Q.6 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager when residents can expect the pedestrian crossing at the (details supplied).

Q.7 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager to look at traffic management entering (details supplied) and to also review the condition of the road on (details supplied) which needs to be resurfaced.

Q.8 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager when the hedges in (details supplied) can be trimmed. I know there was an issue with Birds nesting recently.

Q.9 Councillor Noeleen Reilly

To ask the Manager for an update on the land at (details supplied) which DCC were in the process of acquiring.

Q.10 Councillor Séamas McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager what percentage of units being built on (details supplied) will be used for social housing.

Q. 11 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager what provision has DCC made for parking issues when the (details supplied) is built in (details supplied), as this problem has already started.

Q. 12 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to address the dampness in (details supplied).

Q. 13 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to install a disabled parking bay outside (details supplied).

Q. 14 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to address ongoing drainage issues in (details supplied). 5 times in the last year drains have blocked at (details supplied) on the junction which may result in drains overflowing on to the main road way.

Q. 15 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager what action can the resident in (details supplied) take to address the overhanging tree behind her home.

Q. 16 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager what criteria must be met to allow a bus stop being moved from outside (details supplied).

Q. 17 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to remove (details supplied) from the rent in (details supplied) as he has not lived here for some time.

Q. 18 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to clear the gullies on (details supplied).

Q. 19 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to empty the dog fouling bin outside (details supplied) every Monday due to usage in the park every weekend.

Q. 20 Councillor Seamus McGrattan

To ask the Area Manager to address the issue of water gathering on pathways in (details supplied)

Q. 21 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manger to arrange for a site to be cleaned and secured.
(details supplied)

Q. 22 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Council to arrange for the large pothole at a location to be repaired
(details supplied)

Q. 23 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to clarify the following (details supplied)

Q. 24 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to liaise with the relevant sections in the Council and other authorities with regard to an issue (details supplied)

Q. 25 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to provide details on the licensing required for following activity
(details supplied)

Q. 26 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to liaise with the Gardaí to address antisocial and animal control issues at a location (details supplied)

Q. 27 Councillor Teresa Keegan

Will the manager address the design flaw an obvious public safety issue at (details supplied) and further will he outline the plans for the taking in charge of this estate.

Q. 29 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to examine the adequacy of crossing safety arrangements at a location (details supplied) in light of the serious concerns expressed by parents regarding parking and other issues.

Q. 30 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager if the monies required as part of a condition of planning permission have been received (details supplied) the amount that has been received and the plans for its disposal.

Q. 31 Councillor Teresa Keegan

To ask the Manager to arrange for environmental improvements to be carried out to enhance the appearance of the public domain at a location (Details Supplied) which is very functional and featureless and will he also provide an update on the promised Santry Village Plan.

Q. 32 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to reinstate the path following works by Irish Water outside between no's (Details Supplied)

Q. 33 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to arrange the repainting of the lines on the road outside the (Details Supplied)

Q. 34 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to confirm why bins were removed from two bus stop locations outside of (Details Supplied) and the bus stop across the road from (Details Supplied). The resident there claims that rubbish is now dropped in the street in front of his house because the bins have been removed

Q. 35 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to confirm if the charges for heating/boiler services for the tenant at (Details Supplied) can be removed from his rent payment as the tenant has now changed over to a solid fuel stove heating system and no longer requires heating maintenance service from the council

Q. 36 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to reinstate the path outside (Details Supplied) where a utility company has left tarmac surface which has now sunk and created substantial dips and uneven surface. These works were completed months ago and the concrete now needs to be reinstated. Correction of address to (Details Supplied) which had still not been examined in advance of the reply)

Q. 37 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to confirm the regularity of grass cutting on the green and street cleaning services at (Details Supplied) of Finglas East. Can the manager also replace the kerb brickwork around the green in front of the (Details Supplied) where there is none which has led to the grass growing out on to the path. Please see photos attached.

Q. 38 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to arrange for the wall to be replaced at (Details Supplied). This is a private dwelling but the wall was damaged by DCC works laying the path there and was then taken down by DCC because it was dangerous. It should now be the responsibility of the council to replace the wall.

Q. 39 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to confirm if there is any update on the investigation in to the leaking of industrial waste which has destroyed the lake in (Details Supplied) on a number of occasions and again in the last couple of days.

Q. 40 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to consider putting bollards along the grass verge outside of the entrances to (Details Supplied) to prevent the cars destroying the grass verge.

Q. 41 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to arrange for an inspection of the sewerage line between (Details Supplied) where residents have been told that there is a lump of cement on a bend at (Details Supplied).

Q. 42 Councillor Cathleen Carney Boud

To ask the Manager to confirm as to when gates will be fitted at the end of the steps up to (Details Supplied) which was promised.

Q. 43 Councillor Andrew Montague

Will the council engineers give a timetable detailing the implementation of the Walsh Road plans. Will they also set out the criteria which will be used to assess the plans at the end of the six month pilot.

Q. 44 Councillor Andrew Montague

Will the council replace the interceptor between the public waste pipe and the private waste pipe for the houses between (Details supplied). The residents at (Details supplied) are DCC tenants. Without the interceptor waste material is flowing back into the houses, and rats are able to get from the mains back into the houses.

Q. 45 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to have the potholes near (Details Supplied) repaired.

Q. 46 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to have the potholes in and around the junction of (Details Supplied) repaired

Q. 47 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to have the streetlight on (Details Supplied) repaired

Q. 48 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to have the windows at (Details Supplied) replaced. The resident has stated that they are damp, rattling with the wind and that she is unable to open the bedroom one.

Q. 49 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to have the doors at (Details Supplied) replaced. There's a crack in the glass of the front door which the resident is worried about as her grandchildren may be hurt by it.

Q. 50 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to have the footpaths in (Details Supplied) repaired. The footpaths in the estate are in a bad condition in a number of areas and difficult to wheel prams on and a wheelchair user is having difficulty getting around.

Q. 51 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to have the pothole outside the back gate of (Details Supplied) repaired, it was reported before Christmas.

Q. 52 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to arrange for the entrance into the (Details Supplied) to have a no parking box and signage in place to stop people parking at it. Cars have been parking at the entrance and blocking those needed access.

Q. 53 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, to arrange for the trees at the side of (Details Supplied) to be trimmed as they are hanging over the residents shed. The resident is too unwell to carry out the work himself.

Q. 54 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, what facilities are in (Details Supplied) in which people with horses can engage.

Q. 55 Councillor Emma Murphy

To ask the Area Manager, if there is a time frame in which the improvement works on (Details Supplied) will be carried out.

Q. 56 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to outline the plans for (Details Supplied) after it ceases use as (Details Supplied) in 2021. Will the grounds be sold on or developed for housing?

Q. 57 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to address the tree on the pavement outside numbers (Details Supplied). It is too big and a potential hazard to pedestrians, cyclists and motor traffic.

Q. 58 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Area Manager to address the ongoing litter problem at the shops located at (Details Supplied)

Q. 59 Councillor Norma Sammon

To ask the Manager to conduct a second investigation at (Details Supplied) regarding the damaged driveway. It is clear that the cracks originate from the pathway and the large tree roots. The investigation was promised by the Parks Department.

Q. 60 Councillor Cieran Perry

Is the Manager aware of any update in relation to the proposed (Details Supplied)?

Q. 61 Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager confirm the number of callouts in relation to the manhole in the garden of (Details Supplied) over the last 3 years? Due to the frequency of the problem and the slow response from the council the tenant has requested the removal of the manhole as there is a health and safety risk when the sewer overflows.

Q. 62 Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager request that the road and pathways at (Details Supplied) are repaired?

Q. 63 Councillor Cieran Perry

Can the Manager request that pedestrian lights be installed at the (Details Supplied)

Q. 64 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to arrange for a review and upgrade of the security in (Details Supplied). A lady resident has recently reported that she was threatened by young lads who came over from the wall/railings at (Details Supplied). Another report from a gentleman in (Details Supplied) has said that his window was smashed and the culprits responsible ran down the road and jumped the wall into (Details Supplied) to get away.

Q. 65 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the manager can he give (detail supplied) a detail account of public and private zone land banks for housing in Dublin Northwest and can he give a detail number of housing units that can be build on these sites in accordance with city and county development plan.

Q. 66 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager if successful applicants on clerical officer panels are vetted to see if they have relevant experience which would benefit particular sections? i.e. people with Financial/Accounting experience diverted to Finance/Wages/Salaries or people with community experience diverted into community section?

Q. 67 Councillor Anthony Connaghan

To ask the Manager to say what is the purpose of the palisade fencing on Ratoath Road (from Ratoath Ave to Dunsink Lane) and can consideration be given to the removal of this fencing? Can the Manager say whether this is public open space and if so why is it not open to the public?

Can the Manager arrange for more appropriate low level fencing and/or hedging as seen in other areas?

Q. 68 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager identify the ownership of the private landing in (Details Supplied) with a view to working with Dublin Bus, NTA and the owner to erect a bus stop (Details Supplied)

Q. 69 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager arrange for the shrubbery on the (Details Supplied) to be cut back.

Q. 70 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager remove the litter on (Details Supplied) to be removed.

Q. 71 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

Can the Manager provide me with and updated report regarding the planning permission grants for the (Details Supplied), can he state if any notice of commencement of works has been received

Q.72 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

To ask the Manager to install ramps or other traffic calming measures on. (details supplied)

Q.73 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

To ask the Manager (details supplied) was interviewed for (details supplied), she was offered a place and she really believes that she should now be allocated the unit. She is homeless and in emergency accommodation. She previously rented in (details supplied) and he child is in (details supplied) Is there any way the original allocation can be honoured as we have previously discussed at the area committee.

Q.74 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

To ask the Manager to repair the pavement between (details supplied). It is broken, smashed and the grass verges are destroyed from trucks.

Q.75 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

To ask the Manager to install a new cycling lane on the (details supplied) and resurface the existing surface

Q.76 Councillor Paul McAuliffe

To ask the Manager consider installing traffic calming measures on this (details supplied) including ramps and the option of closing off on end of the road.