



Comhairle Cathrach
Bhaile Átha Cliath
Dublin City Council

Breviate for the month of February 2019

In accordance with Standing Orders of the Dublin City Council, the Breviate of the meeting of the Dublin South Central Joint Policing Committee held on the **25th February 2019** is set out hereunder:

1) Garda Matters:

Garda reports from: -

1. DMR South Division for Crumlin District & Terenure Sub-District
2. DMR South Central Division for Kevin Street and Kilmainham Stations
3. DMR West Division for Ballyfermot Garda Station

Order: Reports noted. The following issues were raised and a response was given by members of An Garda Síochána present at the meeting: -

- Continuous high levels of ASB in the Thomas Street area
- The effectiveness of barring orders was discussed
- Residents in the SWIC area do not feel safe going to local churches with aggressive begging and ASB taking place outside
- Expansive CCTV coverage is provided by Dublin City Council; making this footage available directly to the new Kevin Street Garda Station was discussed
- The issue of unlicensed carriage horses, danger caused by horses being manoeuvred on streets by children or irresponsible adults, horse welfare in general were all discussed by the members
- Large groups of youths had organised fights on social media between the Dublin 12 and 10 areas recently; could this kind of activity be monitored by An Garda Síochána online? Groups of youths on bikes and loitering around shops/lanes, crossing Garda districts and engaged in ASB
- The issue of Garda checkpoints not happening as frequently any more and resource issues were discussed
- More visible Garda presence requested for Le Fanu Park during the week when up to 200 people might be training and playing matches there, and ASB/ intimidation had taken place around changing rooms etc.

2) Anti-social Behaviour

Dublin City Council Estate Management Reports from: -

1. Ballyfermot Area Office
2. Crumlin Area Office
3. South West Inner City Area Office

Order: Report noted. The following issues were raised and a response was given by Dublin City Council Officials:

- Training has been requested for the Councillors on Evictions/ASB Procedures, so far only DCC staff have received this training
- The issue of dangerous breed of dogs and unlicensed ponies, kept as pets by DCC tenants was also discussed.

Councillor Vincent Jackson

Chairperson

17th April 2019

Apologies:

Deputy Joan Collins, Councillor Daithí Doolan, Councillor Paul Hand, Eddie Darcy

Deputies:

Deputy Aengus Ó Snodaigh

Councillors:

Councillor Pat Dunne, Councillor Criona Ní Dhálaigh, Councillor Vincent Jackson, Councillor Greg Kelly, Councillor Daithí De Róiste,

Councillor Mannix Flynn also attended.

Gardaí:

Chief Superintendent Kevin Gralton, (Crumlin), DMR South.

Chief Superintendent Lorraine Wheatley (Kevin Street and Kilmainham) DMR South Central

Superintendent Brendan Connolly, (Clondalkin/Ballyfermot/Blanchardstown), DMR West.

Superintendent John Gordon (Kevin Street and Kilmainham) DMR South Central

Community Representative:

Joe Donohoe, Joyce Reid, Aoife Carragher

Officials:

Mary Taylor, Area Manager, South Central Area;

Bruce Phillips, Senior Executive Officer, South Central Area;

Tony Smithers, Acting Area Housing Manager, South Central Area Office;

Chris Butler, Area Housing Manager, Crumlin Area Office;

Paul White, Project Estate Officer, South Central Area;

Rea Lavelle, Administrative Officer, South Central Area.

Kay Noonan-Cork, Acting Senior Executive Officer, Ballyfermot Area Office;