

Motions on Notice

City Council Meeting 17th June 2019

1) Councillor Mannix Flynn

Submitted: 22nd May 2019

The City Council shall undertake an immediate review of the Poolbeg West Strategic Development Zone Planning Scheme as approved by An Bórd Pleanála on the 9th of April, 2019, specifically in respect of the John Bissett Engineering Ltd property. The purpose of the review is to consider the most appropriate future use and development of this property in the context of the approved Planning Scheme, having regard to the existing structures and use on this site in particular.

2) Councillor Tina MacVeigh

Submitted: 27th May 2019

This Council agrees that waste management in Dublin City should be re-municipalised.

3) Councillor Chris Andrews

Submitted: 4th June 2019

That this City Council agrees that in all future Local, General and European Elections the number of posters advertising each candidate will be limited in numbers and only permitted in designated areas to a maximum of 5 designated areas in each constituency and each poster be bio-degradable and the Protocol Committee determine the details of this proposal.

4) Councillor Criona Ní Dhalaiagh

Submitted: 4th June 2019

That this Council agrees to pilot a participatory budget instead of a discretionary fund in one of our 5 areas. A participatory budget would facilitate citizens in local communities to directly decide how to spend the discretionary budget in their area. It would give citizens the direct power to determine spending priorities to improve their community/area.

Participatory Budgeting gives people the power to improve their area and it is empowering, civic minded, educational, fair and transparent. Participatory budgeting is recognised internationally as a way for people to have a direct say in how local money is spent. I believe that it would be a tool for community engagement and for developing participatory democracy in our city. It was done as a pilot in areas of South County Dublin Local Authority, and proved very successful. We could follow their model or tweak to suit us.

5) Councillor Deirdre Heney

Submitted: 4th June 2019

That this City Council ensures the protection of animals, (including carriage horses) in our city and makes every effort to bring about compliance with the law by all concerned in this regard, and further makes every effort to ensure that the required legislation to regulate the operation of carriage horses is put in place and that a report be provided on same.

6) Councillor Micheal MacDonccha

Submitted: 4th June 2019

Dublin City Council calls on the Minister for Housing Eoghan Murphy to provide additional planning and enforcement staff to this Council to implement the new short-term letting regulations that will come into force on 1 July.

7) Councillor Rebecca Moynihan

Submitted: 4th June 2019

This City Council asks that the Chief Executive to begin the process of taking the Iveagh Markets back into the full control of Dublin City Council. The terms of the lease granted to Mr Keane, first in 1997 and then again in 2004 under report number 218/2004 have been frustrated by the actions of the developer.

Report number 218/2004 clause 7 states that "Mr Keane or his nominee shall, within 36 months of the execution of the Agreement for Lease, have completed the redevelopment work on the market buildings and the construction of the hotel in the case of delay due to strikes, lockouts or any other circumstances outside the control of Mr Keane or his nominee. Such longer period if required to be agreed with Dublin City Council at the time the delay occurs. Mr Keane or his nominee shall not use the premises for any purpose other than redevelopment as a commercial market and the construction of a hotel".

The terms of this extension of the lease have not been met and so Dublin City Council should begin the process to transfer the markets back into their full control with a view to developing the Iveagh Market.

8) Councillor Tom Brabazon

Submitted: 4th June 2019

That this Council calls upon the Chief Executive to take over the domestic waste collection service in Dublin City.

9) Councillor Daithí Doolan

Submitted: 5th June 2019

That Dublin City Council is committed to the remunicipalisation of domestic waste collection and will work to ensure this happens during the current 5 year term.

10) Councillor Deirdre Conroy

Submitted: 5th June 2019

That this City Council agrees to establish a Transport sub-committee to address the National Transport Authority Key Bus Connects issues throughout city suburbs, including tree removal, architectural heritage impact, cycle routes, community segregation. The sub-committee should include a number of Councillors from the affected areas, as well as officials. It is a priority as Round 2 on bus routes is due to be issued in September.

11) Councillor Joe Costello

Submitted: 5th June 2019

That a moratorium be placed on the sale of public lands in the ownership of Dublin City Council while the housing crisis remains.

12) Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

Submitted: 5th June 2019

The elected members of Dublin City Council note with disappointment the lack of progress with the redevelopment of Phibsborough Shopping Centre. We call on the City Manager to invite the developers of the Shopping Center, Tesco, Dalymount Stadium and City Council Development office to meet and identify a solution to progress and commence redevelopment of this prime urban site without any further delay.

13) Councillor Nial Ring

Submitted: 5th June 2019

That this Council recognises the selfless commitment of the Irish Defence Forces (Navy, Army and Air Corps) to the people of Ireland in defence of our nation and in the protection of the internal security of the State. In particular, it acknowledges the role played by the Defence Forces in multinational peacekeeping (600 personnel in 13 countries), humanitarian relief (18,000 refugees rescued in the Mediterranean), maritime security and fishery protection.

This Council, in its support for the campaign for Respect and Loyalty, calls on the Government to immediately take action to resolve the issues relating to the pay and conditions of service of Defence Forces Members as they are seriously impacting retention and recruitment.

This council also recognises that Military personnel are the lowest paid in Civil Sector, are subject to military law and will not withdraw labour notwithstanding that they are personally subject to unlimited liability, do not have a union and that their loyalty to serving the state cannot and would never be questioned.

14) Councillor Sophie Nicoulaud

Submitted: 5th June 2019

That this Council expands the 30km/h speed limit zones throughout Dublin City.

15) Councillor Danny Byrne

Submitted: 5th June 2019

That this Council declares a climate emergency. That we create a group to tackle #climatechange & set a target date for the city to become carbon-neutral. That DCC follow the lead of An Post which is investing in 750 electric vehicles - delivery vans and cycles - to replace its urban fleet by 2022, with 200 of these on the streets this year.

16) Councillor Donna Cooney

Submitted: 5th June 2019

That Dublin City Council identifies all council and public owned lands that could be used to build Vienna housing model cost rental homes.