# DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL SOUTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE <u>17<sup>th</sup> July 2019</u>

# Q 1 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh

To ask the Area Manager to address the constant floods caused by the overflow pipe outside (*details supplied*).

# Q2 Councillor Michael Watters

To ask the Area Manager if it is possible to investigate the possibility of installing a garden or green space on the 'pitch' at the junction of Devoy Road and Kickham Road, Inchicore, Dublin 8, as a number of residents have been in touch.

# Q3 Councillor Michael Watters

To ask the Area Manager to please refer to the large tree outside *(details supplied),* the roots of which have caused the footpath to crack leaving a hazardous situation for many vulnerable pedestrians living in the locality and say if she can arrange to have the footpath properly reinstated.

# Q4 Councillor Michael Watters

To ask the Area Manager if it is possible to investigate the possibility of installing a pedestrian crossing at Rialto Bridge, along Herberton Road and across Dolphin Road, to provide pedestrians with a safe crossing, as this is currently a dangerous crossing for pedestrians.

# Q5 <u>Councillor Michael Watters</u>

To ask the Area Manager to ask if it is possible to investigate the possibility of installing CCTV at the corner of South Circular Road and Haroldville Avenue, Dublin 8, to provide a deterrent for anti-social behavior in the area, as a number of residents have been in touch.

# Q6 <u>Councillor Michael Watters</u>

To ask the Area Manager if it is possible to investigate the possibility of installing more public lighting on Hamilton Street, Dublin 8, as a number of residents have been in touch.

# Q7 Councillor Michael Watters

To ask the Area Manager to ask if it is possible to investigate the possibility of installing more public lighting on John Street South, Dublin 8, as a number of residents have been in touch.

# Q8 <u>Councillor Michael Watters</u>

To ask the Area Manager if it is possible to investigate the possibility of installing a public waste bin on the corner of Southern Cross Avenue and Bulfin Road, Inchicore, Dublin 8, in order to reduce litter levels in the area.

# Q9 <u>Councillor Michael Watters</u>

To ask the Area Manager if it is possible to investigate the possibility of resurfacing the roads surface in the Rialto Cottages area, Rialto, Dublin 8, as a number of residents have been in touch.

# Q10 Councillor Michael Watters

To ask the Area Manager if it is possible to investigate the possibility of extending the Dublin Bikes scheme to Rialto and The Tenters, Dublin 8, as a number of residents have been in touch.

#### Q11 Councillor Michael Watters

To ask the Area Manager if it is possible to investigate the possibility of allowing electric vehicles to park in a paid parking bay, beside an electric vehicle charge point, for free, for a period of up to 2 hours in order to charge. This could act as an incentive for electric vehicles.

#### Q12 Councillor Michael Watters

To ask the Area Manager what plans Dublin City Council have in place to manage the flood risk of the Camac River in Inchicore and Kilmainham? Please provide any and all information on this matter.

#### Q13 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh

To ask the Area Manager to report on the following (*details supplied*).

# Q14 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh

To ask the Area Manager to list for the last 2 years the following for area J, K, and L:-The place on list for those housed. I understand you cannot name applicants but I am just looking for the place on list for each applicant for each area from each list.

#### Q15 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh

To ask the Area Manager (details supplied).

# Q16 <u>Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh</u>

To ask the Area Manager (details supplied).

# Q17 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh

To ask the Area Manager with regard to my motion unanimously passed at February Area Committee Meeting regarding the Quaker burial site in Cork St, can the Manager request from the HSE when will the archaeological conservation study be published and the requested improvements carried out.

# Q18 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager to outline what is the Council's strategy to tackle weeds in Dublin South Central?

# Q19 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager for an update on the Drimnagh Task Force established to tackle the causes and consequences of anti-social behaviour?

# Q20 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager for a progress report on the proposed development of the former Scoil Eanna and adjoining site on the Crumlin Road?

#### Q21 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager does DCC have a programme for pruning trees in DSC and if so can she please give details?

# Q22 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager to outline the time frame for the Part 8 Housing and Scout Hall development in the Springvale site.

# Q23 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager how many families are waiting to access the family hubs on Sarsfield Road and Crumlin?

# Q24 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager to ensure that the grass in Liffey Gaels, Sarsfield Road is regularly cut.

## Q25 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager to outline what plans are in place to tackle illegal dumping on the green at Cherry Orchard Parade and has any advancement been made on the construction of a concrete plinth around the green to prevent access for dumping?

#### Q26 Councillor Daithi Doolan

To ask the Area Manager what contacts has there been between DCC and the owners of De La Salle lands in the last 2 months and has a date been agreed to meet with residents to discuss proposed developments of this site?

# Q27 <u>Councillor Vincent Jackson</u>

To ask the Area Manager (details supplied).

#### Q28 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to ensure the footpath outside (*details supplied*) is repaired after the installation of a new water stop cock by DCC / Irish Water a few months ago. The resident came home to find the area all dug up without any prior notice. He is now anxious that the area is left in the condition it was found in.

#### Q29 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to request that the Parks Dept. meet with a few Ballyfermot Residents and myself in mid / late September to look at areas of the Lawns Park, Ballyfermot, Dublin 10, for which the history and development of the area can be included in the redevelopment of the Park, the Castle, Graveyard, Church and the farmhouse. All are windows of the past which need representation in the redevelopment of the area.

#### Q30 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to please look at the following concerns from the recent Walkinstown Residents Association AGM I attended:-

a. Need for more 30 km signs in the area to reduce the incidence of speeding in the area.

b. Road Ramps need to be increased to become relevant, as the current ones in the area are not severe enough to reduce speed.

c. Grass cutting on large play areas not taking place on a regular basis leaving the place left very unkempt. Many residents felt the area maintenance has regressed since the introduction of private operators.

Can we arrange a meeting with the Residents Association in Mid / Late Sept to hear at first hand the concerns of the local community?

## Q31 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to look into the following housing application (*details supplied*).

# Q32 Councillor Vincent Jackson

Can the Area Manager please give me an update of the following (details supplied).

# Q33 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to look at providing at putting a small ramp in the cul de sac at Rossmore Drive, Ballyfermot Dublin 10, to allow those with limited mobility an opportunity to access Le Fanu Road, Ballyfermot, Dublin 10 in a reasonable time / distance. Two residents in the area cannot access the footsteps due to mobility issues and are in wheelchairs, one lady is 93 years of age, another is in her late 70's. There are steps there however they are only good for people with full mobility.

# Q34 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to please look into having slow down signs erected on the Decies Road Area of Ballyfermot in order to deter speed in addition when are we going to bring in new bye laws in the suburbs to deter speeding by reducing the speed limits.

# Q35 <u>Councillor Vincent Jackson</u>

To ask the Area Manager to please report on the following (details supplied)

# Q36 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager that Dublin City Council please look into the following *(details supplied)*.

# Q37 Councillor Vincent Jackson

To ask the Area Manager to please give me their thoughts on why people are waiting 15 to 20 years for a transfer to go into certain areas and why I regularly see people wishing to be housed in any area going into these high demand houses. If I need to be housed in say area J, I feel unless specific circumstances prevent been housed in that area, the older house or at least some should be offered to those awaiting a transfer and I feel they are forgotten in this housing crisis.

# Q38 Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh

To ask the Area Manager to investigate complaints I have received regarding the needles and glass discarded in *(details supplied)*. Can this please be addressed? How often is *(details supplied)*.cleaned?

#### **Q39** <u>Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh</u> To ask the Area Manager what are the future plans for (*details supplied*).

# Q40 <u>Councillor Críona Ní Dhálaigh</u>

To ask the Area Manager (details supplied).

# Q41 Councillor Hazel de Nortúin

To ask the Area Manager to request that the grass way along the left hand side of the Liffey Gales park at the pedestrian gate be cut back? Residents have raised concerns regarding the limited visibility with the way the grass etc. has grown so high.

# Q42 <u>Councillor Hazel de Nortúin</u>

To ask the Area Manager to request that the trees growing through the wall under the bridge on Sarsfield Road be cut back for general Health and Safety?

# Q43 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Area Manager when the new Bluebell allotments will receive enough top soil for the garden to serve its purpose, so gardeners can dig holes to do any planting? As it is now, there is only a thin surface of top soil covering construction rubble.

# Q44 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Area Manager to add double yellow lines on Latouche Road in Bluebell in front of the shops. Cars park on both sides and it does not allow for an emergency vehicle to go through. This is a good example of good quality public space where we need to remove as many cars as possible: the way it now cars have a negative effect on a good quality public space. Residents, rightly so, demand less cars there.

# Q45 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Area Manager what can be done concerning very low water pressure in public and private houses in the old part of Bluebell (Bluebell Road, Drive and around). Residents would like to have a survey done on private and public dwellings.

# Q46 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Area Manager if a yellow box can be added to the junction of Glenaulin and Lucan Road in Chapelizod. There are about 35 houses, one block of apartments with a minimum of six apartments and the Glenaulin nursing home with an occupancy of 87 residents at the end of the cul de sac and the daily traffic of truck delivery and private bus transportation that comes with it and around 27 car parking spaces belonging to the nursing home.

## Q47 <u>Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud</u> WITHDRAWN

# Q48 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Area Manager to give a statement with regards to asbestos on the site at the old Clayton Love on Jamestown Road in Inchicore. There was a fire there some time ago and residents are concerned for their health and the health of their children as there was asbestos in the building.

# Q49 <u>Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud</u>

To ask the Area Manager what will be done to secure safety and access to pedestrian crossing at the junction of Cooley Road and Slievemore Road where cars park on double yellow line and obstruct access to pedestrian crossing. Wheelchairs, people with low mobility and elderly people need full access. Residents have asked for bollards.

# Q50 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask the Area Manager to review the situation of DCC car park at corner of Cromwellsfort Road and St Agnes Road, Crumlin Cross. There is a big underground car park across the street at the Ashleaf Shopping Centre, so keeping this small one seems redundant. This parking is not maintained and offers a chaotic system for drivers. After hours, cars cut through the parking lot to avoid waiting at the traffic light which represent a huge danger for pedestrians. Tree planting would offer a solution there to counteract air pollution from heavy traffic going through this intersection and air pollution from more cars at the Applegreen gas station on St Agnes Road. A green area there is needed to transform this intersection into a pleasant environment for non-car users.

# Q51 Councillor Sophie Nicoullaud

To ask Area Manager if there is a plan to add more cycling lane on St Agnes Road. It is a very dangerous environment for cyclists. An effort has been made to add a cycling lane in Crumlin Village on St Agnes Road but there is no cycling lane north and south of this small section of cycling lane.