

QUESTIONS LODGED PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER NO.16 FOR REPLY AT THE MONTHLY MEETING OF DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, 3rd FEBRUARY 2020

Q.1 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive if he will respond to the points regarding public lighting posts on Shelbourne Road as outlined in the email extract **(details supplied)**.

Q.2 COUNCILLOR HAZEL DE NORTÚIN

To ask the Chief Executive what steps has the waste management enforcement taken to deal with the illegal dumping on Labre Park? How many formal complaints have been made since 2015? How many notices have been issued to residents? How many convictions has there been? Does DCC have access to the CCTV positioned into Labre Park? Do they use this camera to catch people illegally dumping? How much has been spent on removing illegal rubbish in Labre Park since 2015?

Q.3 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive that the crèche in **(details supplied)** be given an overhaul i.e. new windows, brick work cleaned, new electrics to be installed and the large timber box's outside the building be removed.

Q.4 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive that extra litter wardens be placed in the North Inner City given the latest IBAL report.

Q.5 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive what action thus far Dublin City Council has taken against the receiver whose property in Seville place has been the subject of large amounts of rubbish on the pathway. Given that Dublin City Council had to remove the rubbish on health grounds and what was the cost to Dublin City Council to carry out the work?

Q.6 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive if the Department of Environment have continued to provide funding for the development of **(details supplied)**.

Q.7 COUNCILLOR NIAL RING

To ask the Chief Executive, having regard to the precarious state of the City Council finances, exemplified so clearly in report 31/2020 presented to members last month in which the Chief Executive listed some of the "family jewels" he proposed to sell off to enable DCC to fund capital projects, can the Chief Executive confirm that DCC will pursue all amounts owing to it by third parties?

In this regard, I refer to my various questions (e.g. Q48 (Nov 2014), Q68 (Dec 2014), Q52 (Mar 2015), Q69 (Jun 2015), Q81 (Jan 2016), Q69 (Jun 2016), Q76 (Oct 2016) and Q17 (Jun 2018)) which relate to loss of income suffered by DCC for which the Chief Executive has indicated in replies would be pursued. Therefore, can the Chief Executive give me an update on the discussions relating to compensation for DCC from NTA in relation to the loss of income to DCC from the permanent loss of car parking spaces due to the Luas Cross City works?

As the Chief Executive is aware, the answers give to date all mentioned ongoing discussions etc. but the answer to my question of October 2016 confirmed that a "final settlement will be agreed on completion of the project" and the answer to my question in June 2018 indicated that the "matter is being pursued and the Councillor will be advised of the position once clarified". The Luas Cross City project is now complete

and therefore a settlement figure reflecting the loss of approx. €1.8m per year in perpetuity should now be finalised, in the final negotiation stages or at the very least the position should now be "clarified" as it is over 18 months since this was indicated. Can the Chief Executive confirm this is the case and confirm that the issue has been finalised or is near finalisation?

Can the Chief Executive also confirm that the loss of income now stands at over €10, given the initial €1.8m per annum loss since 2014. The rise in charges and further loss of spaces to Luas cross city since then?

Q.8 COUNCILLOR NIAL RING

To ask the Chief Executive, having further regard to the precarious state of the City Council finances, exemplified so clearly in report 31/2020 presented to members last month in which the Chief Executive listed some of the "family jewels" he proposed to sell off to enable DCC to fund capital projects, can the Chief Executive confirm that DCC will pursue all amounts owing to it by third parties?

In this regard I feel it necessary to ask the Chief Executive to again revisit my question to the City Council of October 2009 and follow up questions culminating in the answer to my question 41 in September 2017. The questions relate to the fact/possibility that there are outstanding funds due from the NRA under the agreements entered into to facilitate the Port tunnel works in Fairview Park. It would seem that €8.5m was sought from the NRA but only €6.0m was received and there also appears that there was a further claim for €1.6m. Furthermore, there may have been outstanding works commitments still due to DCC from the NRA under the agreements which may or may not have been carried out by the NRA, or indeed carried out at DCC's expense.

The receipt or otherwise of these amounts is questioned again in light of the DCC report circulated at a City Council Meeting of 7th September 2009 that DCC is "...rigorously pursuing the NRA to fulfil their commitments with regard Fairview Park" which strongly indicate suggests some issues were still outstanding at that time and were being "rigorously pursued" by DCC.

While noting that the answer to my question in September indicates that "any historical queries will require someone to access those archives which may be a lengthy process" I believe it is incumbent on us to get clarity on this matter. Therefore, can the Chief Executive confirm that, in light of the city council finances and the unanswered questions above, he will now instigate an investigation into this matter, get the files reopened and confirm to us whether, or not, the final account was correctly signed off and if there are sums due to DCC from the NRA.

Q.10 COUNCILLOR NIAL RING

To ask the Chief Executive to detail the number, and location if possible, of properties targeted by DCC for acquisition under the Derelict Sites Act/CPO through the buy and Renew Scheme for 2020. Also, in relation to the 21 properties acquired in 2019 can the Chief Executive detail the cost of acquisition of each property and the estimated refurbishment cost of each one and confirm whether, or not, such acquisition and refurbishment funding is fully or partly provided by the Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government.

Q.11 COUNCILLOR CRÍONA NÍ DHÁLAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive for a copy of the maintenance audit that was carried out on (details supplied). If one was not carried out could one be done and a copy of findings sent to me please? The condition of this dwelling needs to be addressed especially the windows. The frames are black with mould as are the blinds. Vents were to be

installed but the tenant feels that putting vents into damaged windows will not help. She needs new windows with vents in them. The bedroom walls are damp even though she regularly paints them with special paint. She complains of an awful damp smell in the bathroom.

The bedroom has 2 teenagers a boy and a girl sharing the one room.

Q.12 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to advise what Dublin City Council developments are taking place around the city currently, can I receive a report on same please?

Q.13 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive when will ramps/footpaths be installed in Parkside Woods please.

Q.14 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to make contact with (**detail supplied**). This man wishes to assist the council with regard to the large amount of Voids around the city. His company has the ability to restore kitchens, bathrooms, furniture etc. to new at a fraction of the cost currently. He would like to make a presentation.

Q.15 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive what the update is on the Oscar Traynor Lands and can a report be circulated on same please.

Q.16 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive if his attention has been brought to an article in The Sunday Times of the 12th January 2020 regarding new methods of tunnelling for roads and if he will discuss same with the National Transport Authority in the context of the Development Plan objective of a Southern Port Access Route and report on same to the Council.

Q.17 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive if he produced a report on any actions that took place stemming from the Sandymount Village Design Statement published some years ago.

Q.18 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive if there has been any response from the owner of the Martello Tower in Sandymount to a request to engage with the Council on its future use and to further ask the Chief Executive if the current additions to the Tower are all compliant with planning permissions.

Q.19 COUNCILLOR JAMES GEORGHEGAN

To ask the Chief Executive if the installation by the Parks Department of self-locking gates that would be accessible for disabled persons and wheelchairs for Sandymount Green, Dublin 4 can be considered.

Q.20 COUNCILLOR JAMES GEORGHEGAN

To ask the Chief Executive if he could set out in detail the current timeline in respect of the introduction of the Sutton to Sandycove Promenade and Cycleway; if he could detail when the next meeting of the Sutton to Sandycove Joint Committee shall take place.

Q.21 COUNCILLOR JAMES GEORGHEGAN

To ask the Chief Executive if he could provide an update on the Sandymount Traffic Management plan specifying precise timelines for its full introduction.

Q.22 COUNCILLOR JAMES GEOGHEGAN

To ask the Chief Executive further to question 87 on the 4th of November 2019 whether in light of the imminent permanent ban on swimming at Merrion Strand in Dublin if he will resource the procurement of an independent appraisal of both how Dublin City Council carries out its regulatory responsibilities for bathing water quality and how these powers could be strengthened to both preserve existing bathing waters and increase public awareness of the factors contributing to its diminution.

Q.23 LORD MAYOR PAUL MC AULIFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to repair **(details supplied)**. Residents reported the need for repair on this road two years ago. I understand that it has been put on the list of works, however, it has been a tripping hazard and is in urgent need of repair.

Q.24 LORD MAYOR PAUL MC AULIFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to call for an inspection of **(details supplied)**. There are a number of path and road defects in the area along with significant damage to public fencing.

Q.25 LORD MAYOR PAUL MC AULIFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to repair the path at **(details supplied)**. This path has been reported twice for very poor conditions however, there has been no update on the matter from the council. A resident has reported that the hole in the path is still there and has become a serious hazard for pedestrians and cyclists.

Q.26 LORD MAYOR PAUL MC AULIFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to call for inspection regarding illegal dumping on **(details supplied)**. Residents report a serious increase of this problem since Christmas.

Q.27 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY

To ask the Chief Executive details of those on the HAP Transfer list for housing allocations in 2019 across each area as a % of overall allocations.

Q.28 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY

To ask the Chief Executive to steam clean the footpaths at the Poppintree shops in Ballymun.

Q.29 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY

To ask the Chief Executive that public consultation start with residents on the Church of Annunciation site in Finglas West.

Q.30 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY

To ask the Chief Executive for an update on traffic plans for Finglas village.

Q.31 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE

To ask the Chief Executive to afford Medical/Welfare housing priority to this family. **(details supplied)** live in HAP accommodation with their two sons, aged six and one, the eldest who is autistic. This boy attends special school in Donaghmede.

Q.32 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE

To ask the Chief Executive to indicate when this applicant **(details supplied)** currently on the homeless list will be offered suitable accommodation.

Q.33 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive to have the graffiti on DCC owned wall removed at the Pump House off London Bridge road where it looks onto Stella Gardens/Aikenhead Terrace.

Q.34 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive for the trees to be cut back along the green bank close to the dodder in Stella Gardens.

Q.35 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange to replace the wooden seats and tables in the Bishop Street Play area as they are damaged/rotting. In damp wet weather they can't be used.

Q.36 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive following on from previous discussions and commitments to residents can the manager have new and higher railings around Digges Street and Cuffe Street flats in order to increase security for residents as a matter of urgency?

Q.37 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for the size of the disabled space in the Car park at bottom of Finglas Village to be increased as it is of similar size to rest of car park and people utilising it have difficulty when parking there. Can the surface be inspected with a view to repairing any defects and repainting any parking space lines.

Q.38 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for an inspection of the gutter and downpipes at **(details supplied)**. The resident has reported that there are holes along the system.

Q.39 COUNCILLOR CRIONÀ NÌ DHALAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive regarding the dwelling at **(details supplied)**.

- a) Was the previous tenant transferred on maintenance grounds.
- b) Is there historic maintenance issues with this dwelling and if so, have they been resolved.
- c) The existing tenant has become seriously ill since moving in with respiratory problems.
- d) There is a constant leak from the ceiling/roof - that has not been addressed.
- e) The council said that they would put in vents and advised this lady to keep the windows opened to help with the dampness. She informs me she can't do this due to her respiratory problems

Q.40 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE CONROY

To ask the Chief Executive that a number of unsafe junctions for pedestrians in the Crumlin and South Circular Road are to be upgraded to sequential, four-way pedestrian crossings and that the Council actively performs safety audits on pedestrian crossings. There are no pedestrian lights on 3 sides of the junction (2 sides at SCR) making it impossible to cross safely. There are similar issues at the junction of Clogher Road/Sundrive Road and Sundrive Road/Stannaway Road.

Q.41 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE CONROY

To ask the Chief Executive that appropriate trees would be planted on the residential roads of Kimmage and Crumlin areas. In particular, but not limited to Captain's Road, Stannaway Road and surrounding roads.

A proper tree programme is requested by the local resident group, can this be delivered from Parks Department?

Currently many of the streets lack any trees, especially Crumlin Road, and this increases carbon emissions on humans in the area. Trees improve air quality, dampen the noise of motorised traffic, provide habitats for birds and absorb carbon.

Q.43 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to issue a full update with regard the progress on the order of protected structure for Henrietta Street and its curtilage.

Q.44 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to issue a full report with regards how much money has been accumulated in the past five years with regard to rent credit and rent paid up front. Further, that this report give a clear understanding of the legislation that governs this kind of finance within Dublin City Council.

Q.45 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to issue a full report with regards how much financial assistance has been given to the Peter Mc Verry Trust with regard to the contractual arrangements and renting of the Avalon House Hostel? Further that this report include a full breakdown of all monies from Dublin Regional Homelessness Services that were allocated to the Peter Mc Verry Trust over the past five years under service level agreements?

Q.46 COUNCILLOR COLM O'ROURKE

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for the full replacement of an existing speed ramp on Glenbeigh Road in Dublin 7 (last speed ramp at the McKee Barracks end) due to its condition.

Q.47 COUNCILLOR COLM O'ROURKE

To ask the Chief Executive for an update to my request for road markings to be painted and for signs to be replaced on the Cabra Road to clearly show the existence of the Taxi Rank there and to prevent cars illegally parking in the rank.

Q.48 COUNCILLOR COLM O'ROURKE

To ask the Chief Executive with regard to the lane adjacent to White's Lane in Phibsborough, Dublin City Council have committed to an artificial ivy to be fitted to the fence to screen off the laneway. However, due to the serious issue of illegal dumping at this location, can a tall and solid fence be erected to deal with the issue?

Q.49 COUNCILLOR COLM O'ROURKE

To ask the Chief Executive to implement measures to tackle the ongoing issue of dog dirt at Bannow Road in Cabra and for the Dog Warden to knock door to door to houses on Bannow Road to raise awareness of the issue.

Q.50 COUNCILLOR LAWRENCE HEMMINGS

To ask the Chief Executive if the commercial property owners in Clongriffin are paying rates on the vacant units and what the total value of the rates collected in 2019 was including the sum yielded from vacant units compared to occupied units.

Q.51 COUNCILLOR MARIE SHERLOCK

To ask the Chief Executive what efforts, if any, are made by City Council to offer recycling or brown bin facilities to organisers of sporting and other outdoor events hosted in this city and if not, to ask him to put in place a system to offer such facilities.

Q.52 COUNCILLOR MARIE SHERLOCK

To ask the Chief Executive to expedite road resurfacing works on Home Farm Road in Drumcondra, an area of medium traffic flows, where large pot holes are currently posing a serious danger to cyclists and motorists.

Q.53 COUNCILLOR MARIE SHERLOCK

To ask the Chief Executive for a list of planning applications submitted since January 2018 for each of the following; shared accommodation, student accommodation and co-living residential developments and to detail the number of which have been granted or refused permission.

Q.54 COUNCILLOR CRIONÀ NÌ DHALAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive why the inspection reports findings by Energia on this dwelling **(details supplied)** have not been followed up on? It has been inspected a few times but the tenant is still waiting on the recommended improvements. As DCC purchased this house under RAS exit surely it should be brought up to standard for our tenant.

The bathroom is very damp. She has painted it a few times but the mould and dampness still comes back, light switches in the bedroom does not work so they have to use lamps, the back bedroom window is completely rotten, extractor promised for bathroom but still waiting, back door needs to be placed, needs new boiler & it was recommended that the front of the house be insulated

Q.55 COUNCILLOR DAITHI DOOLAN

To ask the Chief Executive to ensure repairs are carried out at **(details supplied)**.

Q.56 COUNCILLOR DAITHÍ DOOLAN

To ask the Chief Executive to ensure the application **(details supplied)**, is processed as soon as possible avoiding any undue hardship.

Q.57 COUNCILLOR DAITHÍ DOOLAN

To ask the Chief Executive for an update on the following issue: I contacted DCC about 3 weeks ago concerning dampness in **(details supplied)**. I am wondering do you have any update on action that will be taken.

Q.58 COUNCILLOR DAITHÍ DOOLAN

To ask the Chief Executive what action will be taken to alleviate the traffic congestion around Bluebell Community Centre when there are football matches taking place in the all-weather.

Q.59 COUNCILLOR MARY CALLAGHAN

To ask the Chief Executive if he will outline the turnaround time for urgent repairs, e.g. heating, hot water, for elderly vulnerable council tenants; whether there is a system in place to ensure that urgent repairs are carried out quickly and also that vulnerable tenants can be kept closely in the loop via ongoing daily telephone call-backs in terms of when works will be carried out, so as not to cause unnecessary stress and worry to tenants and their families?

Q.60 COUNCILLOR MARY CALLAGHAN

To ask the Chief Executive to ensure the signage in the new 30kph zones is fit for purpose and the council does not replicate the mistakes made in the 30kph zones in the Ballymun-Finglas area where the signage is invisible to cars that turn left into the 30kph zone. The height and position of the signs so close to the junction means that is not physically possible for drivers to see the sign as the line of sight is blocked by

their car roof and rear view mirror. This seems to be a serious design flaw which currently affects many roads and it is important that it is rectified and not replicated in the rollout of the new 30kph zones.

Q.61 COUNCILLOR ALISON GILLILAND

To ask the Chief Executive to indicate the penalties applied to building sites that break planning enforcement orders on three or more occasions.

Q.62 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON

To ask the Chief Executive to improve the street lighting around Parnell St and the Garden of Remembrance. Particularly for cyclists, the area is too dark in the evenings.

Q.63 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON

To ask the Chief Executive to clean and restore the monument to the Miami Showband on Parnell Square.

Q.64 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON

To ask the Chief Executive to have fixed the side entrance to **(details supplied)**. This issue is ongoing issue that is source of anxiety to the tenant.

Q.65 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON

To ask the Chief Executive to at least trial a cycle route along the Liffey. This route is just too dangerous and lives have, and will continue to be lost unless it's addressed with urgency.

Q.66 COUNCILLOR KEITH CONNOLLY

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for the replacement of the boiler at **(details supplied)**. The current boiler is over 18 years old and numerous visits by council staff have recommended a replacement.

Q.67 COUNCILLOR KEITH CONNOLLY

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for a camera to inspect to the drains at **(details supplied)**. The drains have been blocked up at this row of houses 3 times in a year.

Q.68 COUNCILLOR KEITH CONNOLLY

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for a Children at Play sign to be placed at **(details supplied)**. There is a small sign in the cul-de-sac area at present but the estate has over 150 houses.

Q.69 COUNCILLOR KEITH CONNOLLY

To ask the Chief Executive to review the decision not to prune the trees beside **(details supplied)**. These trees have a massive impact on the amount of natural light coming into the property.

Q.70 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON

Due to the large amount of interest from residents in the Ballyfermot / Bluebell area can the Chief Executive please indicate if forms are available form older persons who wish to sell their homes back to DCC in consideration for an older persons unit & a financial contribution? In addition have we any indication if and when residents in our houses for many years may be able to buy their homes from DCC. Due to problems with succession rights going forward some residents are anxious if a son or daughter is living with them they may not have a home or if someone has a disabled son / daughter.

Q.71 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON

To ask the Chief Executive for an update in relation to my question in December relating to **(details supplied.)**

Q.72 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON

To ask the Chief Executive to look into the following housing need as per **(details supplied.)**

Q.73 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON

To ask the Chief Executive to call upon the Minister for Justice, Equality & Law Reform & the Garda Commissioner to make available the necessary resources to allow the Gardai in Ballyfermot / Inchicore to deal with the serious escalation in criminal activity, offences against the person, racism which is now a daily feature in some parts of our community. The sense of powerlessness's law-abiding people feel is shocking in a democracy. I cannot listen as numbers are increasing, when there is zero visibility most of the time and response times of hours when people report crime must people start to operate vigilantes in our communities as I can see this if something is not done soon enough.

I would welcome the Garda Commissioner being invited to a City Council Meeting to outline his plans to respond to the concerns of our communities.

Q.74 COUNCILLOR SÉAMAS MC GRATTAN

To ask the Chief Executive to outline what measures DCC takes to ensure animals are being properly treated in Ashton Dog Pound and when was the last unannounced inspection carried out.

Q.75 COUNCILLOR SÉAMAS MC GRATTAN

To ask the Chief Executive to take the necessary steps to change the status of roads in the City to National Regional Roads to allow DCC apply for additional funding from Central Government.

Q.76 COUNCILLOR SÉAMAS MC GRATTAN

To ask the Chief Executive if Dublin City Council still owns the fee simple of **(details supplied)** or does it have any hold on the property?

Q.77 COUNCILLOR SÉAMAS MC GRATTAN

To ask the Chief Executive with the recent announcement of funding from the Government, what is the timeline for works to begin at Dalymount.

Q.78 COUNCILLOR ALISON GILLILAND

To ask the Chief Executive to outline what compliance and enforcement measures are put in place to ensure industrial relations agreements including worker contracts, pay, pension, sick leave, etc and Health & Safety safeguards are in place and implemented on all procured work contracts.

Q.79 COUNCILLOR JANET HORNER

To ask the Chief Executive for details regarding the current schedule and strategy for street cleaning in the North Inner City, and any plans to increase it in light of the high level of illegal dumping?

Q.80 COUNCILLOR JANET HORNER

To ask the Chief Executive if there has been a change of policy relating to the videos in the traffic control resulting in them being taken offline?

- Q.81 **COUNCILLOR JANET HORNER**
To ask the Chief Executive for a list of all types and numbers of emergency accommodation provided by DCC or which DCC work with?
- Q.82 **COUNCILLOR JANET HORNER**
To ask the Chief Executive what specific information is given to a proposed tenant in assisting them in making an informed choice on offer of accommodation by an approved housing body to a family/individual coming off the council list.
- Q.83 **COUNCILLOR NEASA HOURIGAN**
To ask the Chief Executive whether they will be applying for the climate action fund from DCCAE and whether they will be seeking to gain funds for retrofitting council accommodation , sustainable transport, and developing parks, green spaces and biodiversity in the city.
- Q.84 **COUNCILLOR NEASA HOURIGAN**
To ask the Chief Executive whether the pilot project due to commence in the next months in the Central Area, where caretaking staff will move to a squad based system rather than attached to specific locations has been reviewed in terms of our climate commitments and the proposed squads will use diesel vehicles to move around the city.
- Q.85 **COUNCILLOR NEASA HOURIGAN**
To ask the Chief Executive what the proposed level of funding from central government is for the “Buy to Renew” scheme and how many properties are scheduled for purchase and upgrade.
- Q.86 **COUNCILLOR JOE COSTELLO**
To ask the Chief Executive to examine the feasibility of developing pedestrian/cycling linkages at **details supplied** as per the attached maps.
- Q.87 **COUNCILLOR JOE COSTELLO**
To ask the Chief Executive to outline the procedure to have streets at (**details supplied**) currently in green parking zone rezoned as yellow parking zone in line with streets at (**details supplied**.)
- Q.88 **COUNCILLOR JOE COSTELLO**
To ask the Chief Executive if he will review the clamping arrangements for vehicles parked illegally in the Drumcondra area when there are major matches and events in Croke Park stadium. Residents are concerned that the illegally parked vehicles of those attending Croke Park are never clamped while residents’ vehicles are targeted regularly by clampers.
- Q.89 **COUNCILLOR JOE COSTELLO**
To ask the Chief Executive to install traffic lights at details supplied as per the attached map to prevent rat-running through (**details supplied**.)
- Q.90 **COUNCILLOR CLAIRE BYRNE**
To ask the Chief Executive how much money Dublin City Council spent supporting the Christmas market in Dublin Castle last December in association with the OPW and can he clarify from which section these funds came from. Can the CEO also provide footfall figures for the duration of the market?

Q.91 COUNCILLOR CLAIRE BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive can he please provide an update on the development of the Poolbeg West Site and the agreement to deliver 900 social and affordable homes on site. Can he provide an update on the commercial agreement pertaining to these homes and whether he envisions any challenges to this with a new Government.

Q.92 COUNCILLOR CLAIRE BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive can he please provide a full list of buildings in Temple Bar currently under DCC ownership and management, the status of each of these buildings, the current or intended use of each building, and which buildings are being considered for disposal and when.

Q.93 COUNCILLOR CLAIRE BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive what discussions have taken place between Dublin City Council & Waterways Ireland and what measures will be implemented to halt the removal of homeless persons tents and belongings and to avoid a repeat of the incident last week in which a man was seriously injured during such a removal process.

Q.94 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY

In relation to the new Postering protocol can the Chief Executive explain the rationale behind the removal of the option for an applicants to avail of a payment of €100 to DCC to avoid having to have public liability insurance? This requirement will have a very negative affect on some of the smaller groups with limited access to funding and will be seen as disadvantaging these organisations. What consultations took place in relation to this change?

Q.95 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY

To ask the Chief Executive to detail the number of illegal dumping fines issued over the past 5 years? Can he provide a breakdown by area and detail the number of fines paid?

Q.96 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY

To ask the Chief Executive In relation to dog fouling to provide the number of fines that were issued per area for the last 3 years?

Q.97 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY

To ask the Chief Executive to detail the number of evictions carried out by Dublin City Council over the last five years by area and reason for eviction.

Q.98 COUNCILLOR CRÍONA NÍ DHÁLAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive what the cost would be to purchase a mobile CCTV system to be used to target illegal dumping.

Q.99 COUNCILLOR DANNY BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive the following in relation to short term lets

- What is the estimated number of properties operating as short term lets contrary to legislation in Dublin City.
- The amount of investigations initiated by Dublin City Council under this legislation since its inception in July 2019?
- The amount of prosecutions under the legislation since its inception in 2019?
- What is the amount of time between each stage, i.e. from reporting to investigation to prosecution?
- What is the target in terms of investigations in 2020 and 2021?

Q.100 COUNCILLOR DANNY BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive to urgently address the pavements surrounding Jim Mitchell Park. The pavements which are covered in moss are dangerous and slippery particularly for the elderly and the young.

Q.101 COUNCILLOR DANNY BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive to improve disabled access to Pearse Street Library.

Q.102 COUNCILLOR DANNY BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive to publish details of expenses and details of foreign travel for other Council employees in line with that required of elected Councillors.

Q.103 COUNCILLOR NAOISE Ó MUIRÍ

To ask the Chief Executive to please organise for the trees on the left-hand-side of the entrance to MIE from the Charlemont Estate entrance road to be assessed to ensure they are not a danger to passing pedestrians, cyclists and vehicles; this has already been raised by representatives of MIE with the Customer Service Centre – DCC ref 2583846

Q.104 COUNCILLOR NAOISE Ó MUIRÍ

To ask the Chief Executive to organise for the immediate repair of the pothole on the road between No. 9 and No. 10 Clontarf Park, Clontarf, Dublin 3

Q.105 COUNCILLOR NAOISE Ó MUIRÍ

To ask the Chief Executive to please respond on the specific issues raised in the correspondence below as per details supplied.

Q.106 COUNCILLOR NAOISE Ó MUIRÍ

To ask the Chief Executive Can the CEO organise for an up-to-date assessment of the installation of pedestrian lights at the church/shops on St Gabriels Road, Dollymount.

Q.107 COUNCILLOR DONNA COONEY

To ask the Chief Executive could an updated management report on Bull Island and information on all flora and fauna species, numbers be provided with concern to protecting the Skylark and Meadow Pipit, also could we investigate the reintroduction of the native Irish Mountain Hare.

Q.108 COUNCILLOR DONNA COONEY

To ask the Chief Executive to provide the councillor with a copy of Dublin City Council Parks report on planning application for 257/259 Mount Prospect Avenue planning number 3082/19. The spilt decision has been made but the report is not available online.