

NORTH WEST AREA COMMITTEE

MINUTES

TUESDAY 19th JULY 2022

NWA/72/2022 Minutes of the North West Area Committee Meeting held on Tuesday 21st June 2022.

Order: Noted

NWA/73/2022 Questions to the Area Manager

Order: Noted.

NWA/74/2022 Finglas Area Report, Mick Carroll, Area Manager

Order: Noted. The Councillors thanked the Community Section for Opera Night held in St. Canice's Church

NWA/75/2022 Ballymun Area Office Report, Jackie O'Reilly, Area Manager

Order: Noted. The Councillors commended the Community Section for the success of Inclusion Day in Muck & Magic.

NWA/76/2022 With reference to the proposed grant of a 3 year Short Term Business Letting of Workshop 3 & 4 Poppintree Neighbourhood Centre, Ballymun, Dublin 9 to Poppintree Environmental Project Limited. Nicola Finegan, Administrative Officer

Order: Recommend to City Council

NWA/77/2022 Report under Part 8 Planning and Development Regulations 2001 Proposed development of Site at Shangan Road. Gareth Rowan Project Manager/SEO, Glen Murray Assistant Project Manager

Order: Recommend to City Council

NWA/78/2022 **Motion in the name of Councillor Noeleen Reilly**

That this Area Committee address the issue with the gates in Poppintree Park blocking Wheelchair and Mobility Scooter Access. It is unfair that people with mobility issues cannot use the park due to fear of anti-social behaviour with scramblers.

Order: Noted Report to Councillor. The Area Manager and Parks Services will contact and meet with Ballymun Active Disability Group to try and find a workable solution to this problem.

NWA/79/2022 **Motion in the name of Councillor Keith Connolly**

That this Area Committee condemns the recent changes to the grass cutting contract and calls for an immediate contingency plan to be put

in place for situations where individuals cannot cut the grass outside their home.

Order: Noted. Report to Councillor. Review being carried out with report for the NWAC in September.

NWA/80/2022 Election of Chair

Order: Councillor Noeleen Reilly was nominated and elected

NWA/81/2022 Election of Vice Chair

Order: Councillor Briega MacOscar was nominated and elected

NWA/82/2022 Public Domain Report, Robert Ingram, A/Public Domain Officer.

Order: Noted

NWA/83/2022 Traffic Service Request, Status Report

Order: Noted

NWA/84/2022 Minutes of the Traffic Advisory Group (TAG) Meeting

Order: Noted

NWA/85/2022 Road Maintenance Report

Order: Noted

NWA Councillors: Keith Connolly, Mary Callaghan, Caroline Conroy, Anthony Connaghan, Noeleen Reilly, and Briega MacOscar.

Officials: John Flanagan, (Assistant City Manager), Derek Kelly (Director of Services-North West Area), Mick Carroll (Area Manager – Finglas), Jackie O’Reilly (Area Manager-Ballymun), Robert Ingram (A/Public Domain Officer), Leona Harrison, (Senior Staff Officer) Mary Bellew (Staff Officer),), Derek Healy (Housing Manager – Finglas), Ciaran Mahony (A/Community & Social Development Officer), Fergus O’Carroll (Senior Executive Parks Superintendent), Stephen Groome (NW District Parks Superintendent), Les Moore, City Parks Superintendent, Andy Walsh, Executive Manager/Director of Active Travel, Christopher K. Manzira, Senior Transportation Officer/Deputy Director of Active Travel, Grainne O’Brien, Senior Engineer and Padraig O’Brien, Senior Executive Engineer. Gareth Rowan Project Manager/SEO, Glen Murray Assistant Project Manager. Nicola Finegan, Administrative Officer

**Councillor Noeleen Reilly
Chairperson**

The meeting concluded at 4.20 pm