



**MINUTES OF THE TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT SPC MEETING**

**HELD ON WEDNESDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 2022**

- 1 Minutes of Traffic & Transport SPC Meeting held on 08th June 2022

CR and JH noted two items were listed for this Agenda and did not appear. If an items was due to go an Agenda for a particular date and the report cannot go on that Agenda for whatever reason, that members be notified in advance and be given a date on when it will appear on the Agenda.

**Agreed.**

- 2 Minutes of Public Transport Sub-Committee held on 10th February 2022

**Agreed.**

- 3 Minutes of Walking & Cycling Sub-Committee held on 28th February 2022

**Agreed.**

- 4 Minutes of Zebra Crossing Working Group help on 23rd May 2022

Lord Mayor Caroline Conroy advised that her name was incorrect on the minutes of this group. MH to correct minutes.

**Agreed.**

- 5 Members to agree on how future meetings will be held, hybrid or fully remote. Cllr. Noeleen Reilly

Members agreed to hold hybrid meetings, option for members to attend City Hall in person or attend remotely.

**Agreed.**

- 6 Public Transport Sub-Committee - Three City Council member vacancies - Cllr. Deirdre Conroy

Cllr. Conroy advised that three Councillors had resigned from the Public Transport Sub-committee and sought nominations from Councillor members of the Traffic and Transport SPC. As no other Councillors on the Traffic and Transport SPC are available to go on the Public Transport SPC it was agreed that an invitation be extended to all City Councillors.

**Agreed.**

- 7 College Green verbal update - Patricia Reidy Senior Engineer City Centre Projects

Patricia Reidy Project Manager for the College Green Project gave a presentation and update on the College Green Project. With the extension of the project to include a wider area following public consultation in favour of a larger footprint, it was necessary due to procurement rules to go to tender again for design consultants. More definitive timelines in relation to the project will be given once the design consultants have been appointed, hopefully in early 2023. Patricia Reidy and Brendan O'Brien answered questions by members in relation to delays, communications issues, procurement, timelines accessibility, bus routes, bus stops etc.

**Noted.**

- 8 School Mobility Report - Niamh Ni Cholmain, Schools Mobility Outreach Officer.

Niamh Ni Cholmain, Schools Mobility Outreach Officer gave an update report and presentation on Scholl Mobility project.

Members acknowledged the amount of work done by Niamh and Antonia Martin in relation to school zones. Any additional questions that Members may have can be emailed to [Niamh.nicholmain@dublincityt.ie](mailto:Niamh.nicholmain@dublincityt.ie) for reply.

Presentation to be circulated to members.

Members requested that this SPC group write to An Garda Síochána for their support in relation to the schools zones project.

**Noted.**

- 9 Report from Active Travel Office - Chris Manzira, Deputy Director for the Active Travel Programme.

Chris Manzira Deputy Director for the Active Travel Office updated members with a presentation on Active Travel Programme. CM advised that Active Travel Office will be launching their communications strategy on 14<sup>th</sup> October with more detailed information on projects.

Members were asked to email CM with any questions they have on the presentation to [activetravel@dublincity.ie](mailto:activetravel@dublincity.ie) and replies would be circulated to members. MH to circulate the presentation to members.

**Noted.**

- 10 Presentation by Metro South West Group - Seán Ward Metro South West Group.

Séan Ward member of the Metro South West Group who represents 39 residents groups between red and green line gave a presentation which was given to Min. Eamon Ryan previously in May 2022 outlining their issues and concern regarding the current Metro Link interchange at Charlemont. The presentation outlined the benefits in requesting that the government direct TII to amend their plans and change the interchange from Charlemont to St. Stephen Green East

Cllr Conroy requested the information be held by Dublin City Council and brought to the attention of NTA and metro link as this is a major project affecting the Capital City.

**Noted.**

11 Proposed Dates for SPC Meetings 2023\_2024

**Deferred to next Traffic and Transport Meeting in November.**

12 Motion in the name of Cllr. Ciaran Perry.

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13 AOB

**N/A**

**Councillor Noeleen Reilly**  
**Chairperson**  
**Wednesday 7 September 2022**

**ATTENDANCE:**

**SPC Members:**

Chair Cllr. Noeleen Reilly, Lord Mayor Caroline Conroy, Cllr Deirdre Conroy; Cllr. Mannix Flynn, Cllr. Anne Feeney, Cllr Keith Connolly; Cllr Janet Horner; Cllr. Carolyn Moore. Cllr. Larry O'Toole, Cllr Paddy McCartan, Cllr. Daniel Ceitinn.

Mr Martin Hoey, Public Participation Network; Mr Colm Ryder, Dublin Cycling Campaign; Mr Keith Gavin, Irish Parking Association; Mr. Gary Kearney Public Participation Network, Richard Guiney Dublin Town, Declan Gray Dublin Chamber.

**Absent:** Cllr. Jane Horgan Jones,

**Dublin City Council Staff:**

Brendan O'Brien, Head of Technical Services , Maggie O'Donnell, Senior Transportation Officer, John Flanagan City Engineer, Patricia Reidy, Senior Engineer College Green Project, Niamh Ni Cholmain Schools Outreach Officer, Chris Manzira Deputy Director Active Travel Office, Bernard Lester, Senior Executive Engineer, Martina Halpin Senior Staff Officer; Mary Boyle, Staff Officer; Mr Michael Mann, Staff Officer; Mr Fergal McKay, Assistant Staff Officer.

**Non-Members:**

Cllr Donna Cooney, Cllr Cieran Perry.