

**COMHAIRLE CATHRACH CHORCAÍ
HALLA NA CATHRACH
CORCAIGH**



**CORK CITY COUNCIL
CITY HALL
CORK**

Bíodh a fhios agat go dtionólfar cruinniú de Chomhairle Cathrach Chorcaí ar an dáta thíosluaite, ar a **5.30 A CHLOG I.N., I SEOMRA NA COMHAIRLE, HALLA NA CATHRACH, CORCAIGH** chun na gnóthaí seo a leanas a dhéanamh:-

Take notice that a Meeting of Cork City Council will be held on the undermentioned date, at the hour of **5.30 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, CORK** for the transaction of the following business:-

GNATHCHRUINNIU – DÉ LUAIN, 12^ú NOLLAIG 2016

ORDINARY MEETING – MONDAY, 12th DECEMBER 2016

1. Votes of Sympathy.
2. Votes of Congratulations/Best Wishes.

3. **LORD MAYOR'S ITEMS**

To consider any item the Lord Mayor may wish to raise.

4. **CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S ITEMS**

To consider any item the Chief Executive may wish to raise.

5. **MINUTES**

To consider, and if so decided to approve as correct record and sign Minutes of:-

- Ordinary Meeting of An Chomhairle held 14th November 2016 (as amended).
- Ordinary Meeting of An Chomhairle held 28th November 2016.

6. **QUESTION TIME**

Questions submitted enclosed.

7. **PARTY WHIPS – 28th NOVEMBER 2016**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Party Whips, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 28th November 2016.

7.1 **MEETINGS SCHEDULE 2017**

Party Whips considered the Meeting Schedule 2017

Decision of Party Whips

Party Whips agreed to refer the Meetings Schedule 2017 to An Chomhairle for approval.

7.2 **USE OF THE COUNCIL CHAMBER FOR A SITE SPECIFIC PIECE OF THEATRE DURING THE MIDSUMMER FESTIVAL**

Mr. P. Moynihan updated the Party Whips on an application received from the Granary Theatre relating to the proposed use of the Council Chamber for a site specific piece of Theatre during the Midsummer Festival, in June 2017.

Decision of Party Whips

Party Whips agreed to refer to An Chomhairle for approval.

8. **PARTY WHIPS – 5th DECEMBER 2016**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Party Whips, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 5th December 2016.

8.1 **CIVIC RECEPTION**

Lord Mayor proposed the holding of a Civic Reception in mid January 2017 recognising the contribution of Michael Murphy, President of University College Cork to the City.

Decision of Party Whips

Party Whips approved the holding of a Civic Reception and agreed to refer to An Chomhairle for approval.

8.2 **DESIGNATED OFFICIAL BE APPOINTED**

Party Whips considered the following motion referred from the meeting of An Chomhairle dated 28th November 2016.

‘That a designated official be appointed to ensure that decisions made by Council are promptly implemented.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O’Driscoll 16/330)

Decision of Party Whips

Following a discussion, Party Whips agreed that the Chief Executive was the designated official, and to refer to An Chomhairle for noting.

8.3 **HELD IN COMMITTEE**

8.3.1 **QUESTIONS TO THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE**

The Party Whips considered the Report of the Chief Executive dated 24th November 2016.

Decision of Party Whips

Following a detailed discussion, Party Whips agreed that the Chief Executive would address the “Questions to the Chief Executive” in the manner she deemed effective and appropriate. Party Whips agreed to refer to An Chomhairle for noting.

9. **ENVIRONMENT & RECREATION STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 28th NOVEMBER 2016**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Environment & Recreation Strategic Policy Committee from its meeting held 28th November 2016.

10. **TOURISM, ARTS & CULTURE STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 5th DECEMBER 2016**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Tourism, Arts & Culture Strategic Policy Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 5th December 2016.

10.1 **TOURISM STRATEGY 2017**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services 2nd December 2016 on the Tourism Strategy 2017.

Decision of Committee

Members agreed to refer the report of the Director of Services to An Chomhairle for approval.

10.2 **SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS TOURISM, ARTS AND CULTURE SPC 2017**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services dated 28th November 2016 on the Schedule of Meetings for 2017.

Decision of Committee

Members agreed to refer this report of the Director of Services to An Chomhairle for information.

11. **STRATEGIC PLANNING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & ENTERPRISE STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 5th DECEMBER 2016**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Strategic Planning, Economic Development & Enterprise Strategic Policy Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 5th December 2016.

11.1 **PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT PLAN VARIATION NO. 4 (VACANT SITES)**

The Committee considered the revised report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development & Enterprise dated 30th November, 2016 in relation to the Proposed Development Plan Variation No.4 (Vacant Sites).

Decision of Committee

The Committee considered the report of the Chief Executive dated 5th December 2016 in relation to submissions received on the Proposed Variation No. 4 of the Cork City Development Plan 2015-2021. The proposed Variation had been subject to public consultation. Three submissions were received in support of the proposal. On the proposal of Comhairleoir T. Moloney, seconded by Comhairleoir T. Tynan, the committee recommend to An Chomhairle that it formally make Variation No. 4 of the Cork City Development Plan 2015-2021 and adopt the following resolution:

‘Having considered the Proposed Variation No.4 of the Cork City Development Plan 2015-2021 and the Chief Executive’s report on the public consultation, dated 5th December 2016, and having regard to the proper planning and sustainable development of the area, the statutory obligations of Cork City Council as local authority and any relevant policies and objectives of the Government or Ministers of the Government, it is hereby resolved to make Variation No.4 to the Cork City Development Plan 2015-2021.’

11.2 **CENSUS 2016**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development & Enterprise dated 30th November, 2016 in relation to the Census 2016 Report.

Decision of Committee

The Committee approved the report of the Director of Services in relation to the Census 2016 Report and agreed to refer it to An Chomhairle for information.

11.3 **CASP POLICY COMMITTEE REPORT OCTOBER 2016**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development & Enterprise dated 30th November, 2016 in relation to the CASP Policy Committee Report October, 2016.

Decision of Committee

The Committee approved the report of the Director of Services in relation to the CASP Policy Committee Report October 2016 and agreed to refer it to An Chomhairle for information.

12. **ROADS & TRANSPORTATION STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 28th NOVEMBER 2016**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Roads & Transportation Strategic Policy Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 28th November 2016.

12.1 **REPORTS CONSIDERED**

12.1.1 **SPEED LIMIT REVIEW**

In November 2013 the Minister for Transport Tourism and Sport published a Speed Limit Review Report and associated Guidelines for the setting and managing speed limits in Ireland.

Committee Decision

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for information and endorsement.

13. **ROADS & TRANSPORTATION FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 5th DECEMBER 2016**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Roads & Transportation Functional Committee and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 5th December 2016.

13.1 **ROADWORKS PROGRAMME**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated 1st December 2016 on the progress of the ongoing Roadwork's Programme for the month ending October 2016.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.2 **LOCAL AREA TRANSPORT PLAN**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding the Local Area Transport Plan.

‘That a Local Area Transport Plan be carried out by Cork City Council for the South Parish, Evergreen, Greenmount Road network. The plan to look at one way system pedestrian crossing and junctions.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 16/228)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.3 **PLAQUE ON KEMP STREET**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 3rd November 2016 regarding the Plaque on Kemp Street.

‘That Cork City Council put a plaque on Kemp Street, i.e., the unmarked street between Sawmill Street and South Terrace.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 16/229)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.4 **FOOTPATH OUTSIDE NO. 28 SILVERHEIGHTS DRIVE**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding the Footpath Outside No.28 Silverheights Drive.

‘That Cork City Council carry out immediate repairs to the footpath outside No. 28 Silverheights Drive as the ecoflex surface laid by council has deteriorated seriously and has left serious flaws to the footpath such as to be a danger to pedestrians , young and elderly.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 16/291)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.5 **RESURFACE CARPARK OF PEARSE SQUARE SHOPPING CENTRE**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding to resurface the carpark of Pearse Square Shopping Centre.

‘That the Carpark at the Northern end of Pearse Square Shopping Centre in Ballyphehane be resurfaced as parts of it are in very poor condition.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T O’Driscoll 16/303)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.6 **ROAD IMPROVEMENTS FOR BALLYVOLANE**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding the road improvements for Ballyvolane.

‘That Cork City council expedite the proposed road improvements already agreed under a previous Part 8 for Ballyvolane as the roads and footpaths from Gordons Hill to its junction with the so called north ring road are in such a bad condition as to lead to road accidents likely to cause death or serious injury.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T Brosnan 16/304)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.7 **DISABLED CAR PARKING SPACE ON AVENUE DE RENNES**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding a disabled car parking space on Avenue De Rennes.

‘Can the roads department assess the possibility of painting a disabled car parking space on Avenue de Rennes.’

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O’Keeffe 16/307)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.8 **ASSESSMENT OF THE JUNCTION OF COMMONS ROAD AND POPHAM'S ROAD**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding the assessment of the junction of Commons Road and Popham's Road.

'That Cork City Council would carry out a traffic and roads assessment of the junction of the Commons Road and Popham's Road by Dino's Restaurant to install an additional road lane off Brother Delany Road on to Popham's Road. This would allow more cars leave Dunne Stores and reduce traffic congestion. Also to install a slip road at the bottom of Fairfield Avenue on to the Commons Road above the Topaz Garage.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Gould 16/310)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. It was further agreed to examine the feasibility of the installation of an additional lane at Brother Delaney Road.

13.9 **PEDESTRIAN CROSSING FOR THE STONERIDGE ESTATE, BLARNEY ROAD**

Members considered Report of Director of Services dated 1st December 2016 regarding the pedestrian crossing for the Stoneridge Estate, Blarney Road.

'That Cork City Council report on progress on commencing works for a pedestrian crossing and associated traffic-calming measures for the Stoneridge est, Blarney rd and timeline for same?'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 16/311)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.10 **ENTRANCE TO THE NORTH MONASTERY ON NORTH MONASTERY ROAD**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding the entrance to the North Monastery on North Monastery Road.

'That Cork City Council would widen the entrance to the North Monastery on North Monastery Road and install pedestrian gates and footpaths for use by the pupils of the three North Monastery Schools. At the moment the current entrance is dangerous for students and motorist alike. Also for Cork City Council to install traffic calming measures outside the North Monastery entrance on Fairhill.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Gould 16/315)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.11 **GREEN TO PARKING ON CONNOLLY ROAD AND PEARSE ROAD**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding covering the green to parking on Connolly Road and Pearse Road.

‘That Cork City Council put a budget in place that would allow it to carry out a rolling programme of Green to Parking on Connolly Road and Pearse Road. These are two wide streets/Roads with exceptionally wide footpaths. It would tidy up the public realm and legitimize the practice in these roads of parking on the footpaths.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 16/231)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.12 **REPAIR THE PUSH BUTTON PEDESTRIAN LIGHT ON SUNDAYS WELL ROAD**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding repair of the push button pedestrian light on Sundays Well Road.

‘That Council repair the push button pedestrian light on Sundays Well road for the safety of local residents and visitors to the City Gaol.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 16/298)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.13 **CLEAR ALL STREET GULLIES IN THE CITY**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding the clearing of all street gullies in the city.

‘That Cork City Council would seek to initiate a programme to clear all street gullies in the City immediately as blocked gullies are a major cause of local flooding all over the city.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 16/305)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.14 **STEPS TO CASTLEVIEW TERRACE ON LOWER GLANMIRE ROAD**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding the steps to Castleview Terrace on Lower Glanmire Road.

‘That Cork City Council resurface and refurbish the steps leading up to Castleview Terrace on Lower Glanmire Road. As these steps are quite steep and the residents are elderly can a handrail also be put in place as a safety measure.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 16/320)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.15 **CHANGES TO THE 203 BUS ROUTE**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding changes to the 203 bus route.

‘That Cork City Council acknowledges that a number of public meetings have taken place in Farranree recently to discuss changes to the 203 bus route and that the overwhelming view of residents was the original long-standing route be restored, which Bus Éireann are agreeable to. Recognising this, and my previous motion, Council will facilitate the process by securing funding from the NTA to install parking outside retail units on Pophams rd to allow buses to traverse the road once again with greater ease.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 16/322)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.16 **PARKING PERMITS FOR HEALTH CARE WORKERS**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding parking permits for health care workers.

‘That Cork City Council reviews its parking policy to allow permits for health care workers who are engaging in emergency care in local communities.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O’Driscoll 16/323)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13.17 **KIOSK AT ST LUKES CROSS**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 1st December 2016 regarding the Kiosk at St Lukes Cross.

‘That Cork City Council undertakes the repainting and Windows repaired on the kiosk at St Lukes Cross.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 16/325)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

14. **HOUSING & COMMUNITY FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 5th DECEMBER 2016**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Housing & Community Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 5th December 2016.

14.1 **MONTHLY REPORT**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services on Housing for November 2016.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

14.2 **DISPOSALS**

Members considered the reports of the Deputy Chief Executive dated 1st December 2016 on the following disposals:

- a. Disposal of freehold interest in premises known as “The Angelus”, No. 35, Colmcille Avenue, Iona Park, Mayfield, Cork, (also known as Site B12), to Bernadette Naughton, c/o Timothy J. Hegarty & Son, Solicitors, No. 58, South Mall, Cork for the sum of €76.16 together with costs in the sum of €460.00 plus VAT.
- b. Disposal of properties known as Nos. 1 & 2, Bridge House, Off High Street, Cork to Good Shepherd Cork, having its registered office at Bruac Eile, Redemption Road, Cork and c/o O’Flynn Exhams, Solicitors, No. 58, South Mall, Cork by way of lease for a term of 4 years and 9 months at a rent of €250.00 per annum.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to recommend the above disposals to An Chomhairle for approval.

14.3 **HOUSING UNITS AT SHERIDAN PARK, TRAMORE ROAD**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 in relation to the purchase of housing units at Sheridan Park, Tramore Road, Cork.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for information.

14.4 **TÚATH HOUSING ASSOCIATION – ACCOMMODATION AT ARD SIONNACH, SHANAKIEL, CORK**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 in relation to the provision of 1 unit of accommodation at No. 12, Heather Walk, Ard Sionnach, Shanakiel, Cork by Túath Housing Association.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. It was further agreed that, on the proposal of Comhairleoir T. Gould, seconded by Comhairleoir P. Dineen, the following resolution be referred to Council for adoption:

“Resolved that, pursuant to the provision of Section 6 of the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1992, a loan facility not exceeding €23,800 be granted to Túath Housing Association in respect of the provision of 1 unit of accommodation at No. 12 Heather Walk, Ard Sionnach, Shanakiel, Cork, subject to the terms of the Capital Advance Leasing Facility Scheme”.

14.5 **CHOICE BASED LETTING SCHEME**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 in relation to an update on the Choice Based Letting Scheme.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for information.

14.6 **CHOICE BASED LETTING SCHEME – PHASE II**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 in relation to the development of Choice Based Letting Scheme – Phase II.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for information.

14.7 **INCREMENTAL TENANT PURCHASE SCHEME 2016**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 in relation to an update on the Incremental Tenant Purchase Scheme 2016.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for information.

14.8 **NASH'S BOREEN, FAIRHILL**

Members further considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 3rd November, 2016 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

‘That Cork City Council will report on a site it owns on Nash's Boreen, Fairhill where an extended Traveller family have been living for several years. The report should outline whether the families accommodation needs are to be considered in the forthcoming Traveller Accommodation Plan. In the interim period can the Council facilitate the families with electricity and improved sanitation.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 16/248)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. Comhairleoir M. Nugent requested that it be noted that he expressed reservations in terms of some of the contents of the report.

14.9 **BOUNDARY WALLS AT COPPINGERS ACRE**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

‘That Cork City Council undertake the Painting and repairs to the boundary walls at Coppingers Acre.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 16/268)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

14.10 **DRAINS AT FAIRFIELD COURT**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

‘That Cork City Council clear all of the drains at Fairfield Court Farranree.’

(Proposer Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 16/288)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

14.11 **VICARS ROAD/VICARS COURT**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

‘That City Council would provide a full report to the Housing Functional Committee on the present condition of the roofs on our properties at Vicars Rd. / Vicars Court. Residents are very concerned about the present conditions of these roofs as these are only painted corrugated sheeting that were put in place back in the 80's. Some of these residents in our properties are now seeing that the paintwork is now deteriorating thus leaving this corrugated sheeting

exposed to the elements which is resulting in signs of rusting near the fascit soffit boards. A maintenance programme will have to be put in place to rectify this to prevent it escalating to something more serious.’

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 16/309)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

14.12 **OVERGROWN LAND TO THE SOUTH OF LAGAN GROVE**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 1st December, 2016 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

‘That Cork City Council would in consultation with Mayfield East Community Association block off the overgrown land to the south of Lagan Grove, Mayfield and convert it for use as allotments for local residents.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 16/211)

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

15. **CORRESPONDENCE**

An Chomhairle to note correspondence, if any.

16. **CONFERENCE/SEMINAR SUMMARIES**

An Chomhairle to note summaries by Members of Conferences/Seminars attended, if any.

17. **CONFERENCES/SEMINARS**

An Chomhairle to approve attendance at Conferences/Seminars tabled on the night, if any.

18. **TRAINING**

An Chomhairle to approve attendance at training tabled on the night, if any.

19. **MOTIONS**

To approve the referral to the relevant Committee of the following motions, due notice of which has been given:-

19.1 **ROAD MARKINGS IN SOUTH CENTRAL WARD**

‘That a survey on the road markings in South Central Ward be carried out and those that have disappeared be included in a renewal programme of work.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 16/259)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.2 **TRAFFIC CALMING PROGRAMME**

‘That Cork City council include Sundays Well road in the traffic calming programme.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 16/341)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.3 **TRAFFIC CALMING SPEED RAMPS IN MAYFIELD**

‘I propose to the Council that traffic calming speed ramps be installed on Silversprings lawn, Upper Silversprings Court, Silverheights Road, Upper Lotabeg Road and Boherboy Road, Mayfield.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 16/354)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.4 **DISC PARKING OUTSIDE VESTA PLACE AND ST. JOSEPHS VILLAS**

‘That because of chronic overparking by those who drop cars there for the day, disc parking is introduced on the small stretch of Blackrock Road outside Vesta Place, and St Josephs Villas (across from Ashton) to facilitate local residents.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 16/355)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.5 **SUPPORT OF THE RED HEAD CONVENTION**

‘In view of the world wide publicity the Red Head Convention receives, that Cork City Council explore ways to try and Support this unique festival.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 16/357)

Tourism, Art & Culture Functional Committee

19.6 **STREET LIGHTS AT ARD PATRICK CLOSE**

‘That Cork City Council would assess Ard Patrick Close where numerous street lights without pole numbers are not working with a view to repairing same’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 16/358)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.7 **ROAD RESURFACING ON ROMAN ST, GERALD GRIFFIN ST, WOLFE TONE ST, CATHEDRAL WALK, CATHEDRAL RD, UPPER JOHN ST AND OLD COMMONS RD**

‘That Cork City would carry out road resurfacing on Roman St. Gerald Griffin St, Wolfe Tone St, Cathedral Walk, Cathedral Rd, Upper John St, Old Commons Rd and surrounding areas because these roads are in terrible condition following recent works and they require urgent action.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Gould 16/359)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.8 **LOCAL TRANSPORT PLAN FOR BISHOPSTOWN**

‘That Cork City Council would develop a local transport plan for Bishopstown in the context of it being a large employment area with CIT and CUH as well as being an access point for the city from West Cork.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 16/360)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.9 **STRATEGY TO BRING OPEN AIR CONCERTS TO CORK**

‘That Cork City Council would develop a strategy and policy of engagement with relevant stakeholders to bring large open air concerts to Cork on an annual basis.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 16/361)

Tourism, Art & Culture Functional Committee

19.10 **INCLUDE SILVERHEIGHTS DRIVE, SILVERSPRINGS LAWN, SILVERSPRINGS COURT AND SOUTHRIDGE IN THE 30 KPH ZONE**

‘That Cork City Council extend the recently introduced 30 kph zone to include Silverheights Drive, Silversprings Lawn, Silversprings Court and Southridge in the interest consistency and the health and safety of residents.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 16/362)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.11 **NAMEPLATES ON SUMMERHILL**

‘That Cork City Council erect nameplates on Summerhill to reflect the correct name of the area and remove the signs which incorrectly name the area as Summerhill North. For the information of all can officials outline in their response the procedure which must be followed to properly effect a name change as there would appear to be a widespread mis naming of streets in nameplates erected by Council.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 16/363)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.12 **SAFETALK HALF-DAY TRAINING COURSE IN CITY HALL**

‘That in the context of ongoing Inter-Agency work on suicide, Cork City Council in the new year will assist the process by hosting in City Hall; The safeTALK half-day training course on a number of dates for staff and elected members a number of performances of the 'Bring Me Back Alive' play, a thought provoking piece about suicide awareness, targeted at secondary school transition year students and the general public Council will continue to engage with all the relevant agencies and community based groups wherever possible in addressing the issue of suicide in our city.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 16/365)

Party Whips

19.13 **TRAFFIC / PEDESTRIAN STUDY ON VICARS ROAD**

That City Council would carry out a traffic / pedestrian study with the intentions of improvements to the public realm, and safety and access for pedestrians on Vicars Road. There is a need to make the road safer. In particular, I believe that there is a need for a zebra crossing on Vicars Road, and to get the pedestrian crossing on Togher Road improved. This is particularly important given that Vicars Road is home to the QDS day Service, Cope Foundation, and many of those accessing this facility have Visual Impairments, mobility issues

and are wheelchair users. In this context it is vital that these junctions are as safe and straightforward as possible. Many walk to the facility, and it is important that it is made safe for both, people attending QDS and people in the wider community.

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 16/366)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

19.14 **PUBLIC LIGHTS ON RINGMAHON ROAD**

‘That Cork City Council reports on the status of public lights pole number 19 on Ringmahon Road & pole number 19 on Convent Road. Are there outstanding works pending for these lights.’

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O’Keeffe 16/367)

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19.15 **TRAFFIC SURVEY IN RAVENSDALE ROAD**

‘That Cork City Council roads department carry out a traffic survey in the Ravensdale Road area of Mahon with a view to assessing the feasibility of providing traffic calming measures. Residents have mentioned the increased volume of cars driving at high speed through this residential area that is a significant concern for all especially families with young children.’

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O’Keeffe 16/368)

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19.16 **TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT THE JUNCTION AT THE GARDA STATION IN BISHOPSTOWN**

‘That City Council would investigate the traffic lights at the Junction at the Garda Station in Bishopstown and consider introducing a green arrow to allow traffic to turn right onto Bishopscourt Road, drivers are taking chances here cutting across cars here to get to the local Gael Scoil with their children and some parents have approached me to mention it to the relevant Dept. and try to make it safer.’

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 16/369)

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20 **MOTIONS**

20.1 **EMERGENCY WORKS PROGRAMME**

‘That Cork City Council call on the Minister to resource Cork City Council in project management, engineering, architectural technical surveying and other skills as well as in the

community engagement staff critical to executing the emergency works programme. If the current housing situation is indeed an emergency then emergency powers must be given to housing authorities to deliver the emergency response.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 16/260)

20.2 **RENT HIKES IN CORK CITY AND ELSEWHERE**

‘Given that the Government are soon to be present their rent proposals to the Dáil, that Cork City Council write to Minister Coveney to demand that strong rent controls be introduced in light of the continuation of rent hikes being experienced in Cork City and elsewhere.’

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Ryan 16/335)

20.3 **BUS ÉIREANN TO SUPPLY MONTHLY SERVICE LEVEL REPORTS**

‘That Cork City Council would contact Bus Éireann looking for them to supply monthly service level reports on the bus service in Cork City (if buses arrive on time and if any buses were cancelled or if buses broke down). That this information would be available to the public so that the public can check the information, comment or log a complaint if they wish to do so. I have received a number of complaints from members of the public in relation to bus service being up to an hour late or not turning up at all and this type of service is not acceptable especially at a time when we are encouraging more and more people to leave their cars at home and use public transport.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Gould 16/356)

20.4 **CONTACT EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT ON BEHALF OF IRISH CITIZEN IBRAHIM HALAWA**

‘That Cork City Council will write to An Taoiseach, Enda Kenny urging him to directly contact Egyptian President Abdel Fattah el Sisi on behalf of Irish citizen Ibrahim Halawa. Ibrahim remains imprisoned in Egypt without trial since 2013 enduring inhumane and unjust incarceration.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 16/364)

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