

**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:-

GNÁTHCHRUINIÚ – DÉ LUAIN, 12^ú FEABHRA 2018

ORDINARY MEETING – MONDAY, 12th FEBRUARY 2018

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 22nd January 2018.
- Special Meeting of An Chomhairle held 18th December 2017.

6. **QUESTION TIME**

Questions submitted enclosed.

7. **PARTY WHIPS – 5th FEBRUARY 2018**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Party Whips, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 5th February 2018.

7.1 **LORD MAYOR ITEMS**

7.1.1 **ITEM REFERRED FROM MEETING OF AN CHOMHAIRLE 8th JANUARY 2018**

The Chief Executive’s Monthly Management Report was referred to the Party Whips from the Meeting of An Chomhairle held on the 8th January 2018.

Decision of Party Whips

Following consideration of this Item, it was agreed that the Chief Executive’s Monthly Management Report would be located later in the Council Meeting Agendas and would be referred to An Chomhairle for approval.

7.1.2 **FORMER FREEMAN OF CORK THOMAS “TIP” O’NEILL**

Lord Mayor advised that Cork City Council and University College Cork are looking to recognise the former Freeman of Cork Thomas “Tip” O’Neill by holding an Annual Tip O’Neill Event.

Decision of Party Whips

It was agreed that this Item would be referred to An Chomhairle for information.

7.2 **CHIEF EXECUTIVE ITEMS**

7.2.1 **SENIOR STAFF TELEPHONE DIRECTORY**

The Senior Staff Telephone Directory was circulated to Party Whips. It was agreed that copies of the Directory would be included with the Council Documentation scheduled for issue on Thursday, 8th February 2018.

Decision of Party Whips

Party Whips agreed that this matter would be referred to An Chomhairle for information.

7.3 **DISPOSALS APPEARING ON HOUSING AND COMMUNITY FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE AGENDAS**

Party Whips considered the “Disposals appearing on Housing and Community Functional Committee Agendas”.

Decision of Party Whips

Following a discussion, Party Whips agreed that this matter would be more appropriate to be included within the Finance and Estimates Functional Committee. It was further agreed that this matter would be referred to An Chomhairle for approval.

7.4 **MOTIONS REFERRED FROM ORDINARY MEETING OF AN CHOMHAIRLE HELD 8th JANUARY 2018**

Party Whips considered the following Motion:-

7.4.1 **COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS IN KNOCKNAHEENY AND HOLLYHILL**

‘That Cork City Council will engage with interested parties with the aim of establishing a Community Association serving the Knocknaheeny & Hollyhill area.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 18/012)

Decision of Party Whips

Party Whips agreed that this matter would be referred to the Cork City North West Ward Members for their consideration. It was further agreed to refer this matter to An Chomhairle for information.

7.5 **MOTIONS REFERRED FROM ORDINARY MEETING OF AN CHOMHAIRLE HELD 22nd JANUARY 2018**

Party Whips considered the following Motion:-

7.5.1 **LOAN FROM THE EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK**

‘That Cork City Council will consider applying for a loan from the European Investment Bank (EIB) for the purpose of building social and affordable-type housing, this would be advantageous in the context of the boundary extension.’

(Proposers: Cllr. M. Nugent, Cllr. T. Gould, Cllr. F. Kerins, Cllr. H. Cremin 18/035)

Decision of Party Whips

Party Whips agreed that this matter should be referred to the Finance and Estimates Functional Committee for their consideration. It was further agreed to refer this matter to An Chomhairle for information.

8. **JOINT MEETING OF THE STRATEGIC PLANNING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & ENTERPRISE STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 29th JANUARY 2018**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Joint Meeting of the Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise Strategic Policy Committee and the Housing and Community Services Strategic Policy Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 29th January 2018.

8.1 **CORK CITY SUSTAINABLE ENERGY AND CLIMATE ACTION PLAN**

A presentation was given to the joint Committees on the sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan by Mr. Coghlan, Mr. Dubuisson & Mr. Curtin.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to recommend the Cork City Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan to An Chomhairle for approval.

9. **TOURISM, ARTS & CULTURE STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 7th FEBRUARY 2018**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Tourism, Arts and Culture Strategic Policy Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 7th February 2018.

9.1 **FINAL DRAFT OF THE CORK CITY CREATIVE IRELAND PLAN FOR 2018 – 2022**

Members considered the amended Draft Creative Ireland Programme Cork City Council – Culture and Creativity Strategy 2018 – 2022 tabled at the meeting.

Decision of Committee

Following discussion and on the proposal of Comhairleoir K. McCarthy seconded by Comhairleoir S. Cunningham, the members agreed to forward the amended Draft for the Creative Ireland Programme Cork City Council – Culture and Creativity Strategy 2018 – 2022 to An Chomhairle for approval.

10. **ENVIRONMENT & RECREATION STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE - 22nd JANUARY 2018**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Environment and Recreation Strategic Policy Committee from its meeting held 22nd January 2018.

11. **ENVIRONMENT & RECREATION FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 5th FEBRUARY 2018**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Environment and Recreation Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held on 5th February 2018.

11.1 **CORK CITY COUNCIL SCOUTING /GUIDES SMALL CAPITAL GRANTS SCHEME 2017**

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was considered.

Decision Of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report with amended grant amounts and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval.

11.2 **INVESTIGATION DAILY OPERATIONS OF THE GOULDING PLANT AND SUTTON'S COAL YARD**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

‘That Cork City Council investigate the daily operation at the Goulding Plant on Monahan Road and Sutton’s Coal Yard also on Monahan Road. This investigation should include:-

- (i) Operating times
- (ii) Environment impact on the locality
- (iii) Noise and dust levels
- (iv) EPA Licence infractions, if any.
- (v) Suitability of their locations.

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Shannon 14/416)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.3 **AUDIT OF DANGEROUS TREES**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

‘That Cork City Council undertake an audit with regard to dangerous trees. Many homeowners may not have the resources themselves.

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O’Flynn 17/378)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.4 **CUT BACK TREES ON LOWER GLANMIRE ROAD**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

‘That the trees on Lower Glanmire Road be cut back as they are seriously overgrown and are protruding into adjacent wiring.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/381)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.5 **STRATEGY FOR THE PLANTING OF TREES AND SHRUBS**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

‘That Cork City Council would develop a strategy for the planting of trees and shrubs in public spaces.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 17/439)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.6 **BLACKROCK PIER REGENERATION PROJECT**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

‘That the trees due to be planted on the Blackrock Pier regeneration project be put in place.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 17/450)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.7 **PROGRESS ON THE NORTH WEST REGIONAL PARK**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

‘That Cork City Council will report on progress on the North West Regional Park & City North-West Regeneration Active Recreation Area.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 17/453)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.8 **CHRISTMAS TREE IN CLASHDUV PARK**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

‘To put a Christmas tree with lights in the Clashdub Park. Decoration around the park would set it off lovely as well.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Moloney 17/445)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.9 **IRISH STONE AND TIMBER TO BE USED IN THE RENEWAL OF MORRISON'S ISLAND**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

That City Council/OPW specify that only Irish Stone and timber be used in the Morrison's Island renewal in order to preserve the integrity of the heritage of the area. There is absolutely no need to import lumps of granite from the orient. The design going to Part 8 should firstly be put to the elected Council for approval before being advertised.

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/449)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. The Director of Services also noted that during construction that on site materials would be re-used where possible.

11.10 **UPGRADE PARK WAY IN KEMPTON PARK**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That the Park Way, in Kempton Park needs to be upgraded for better facilities for the Children and the elderly.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O'Flynn 17/420)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.11 **REMOVE PALM TREES AT ARRIGDEEN LAWN, TOGHER**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That once again we call on City Council to remove the palm trees at the rear of our tenants properties at Arrigdeen Lawn Togher and if this means compelling the owner of the property to carry out this work then so be it. These trees are totally out of control and are a huge obstacle for these tenants who try and keep their back gardens / pathways in a presentable and safe area but the slime and lack of light / sun ensures complete darkness / dampness the whole year round.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/442).

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

11.12 **THE LOUGH AS A NATURAL HERITAGE AREA**

The following motion recommended to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

‘That Cork City Council pursues the designation of the Lough as a Natural Heritage area, given its importance as one of the few green amenity spaces in that part of the city.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 18/001)

The Director of Services report dated 1st February 2018 was also considered.

Decision Of Committee

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

12. **STRATEGIC PLANNING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & ENTERPRISE FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 5th FEBRUARY 2018**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 5th February 2018.

12.1 **PRESENTATION – INVESTIGATING THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF CORK CITY HERITAGE OPEN DAY**

The Committee received a presentation from UCC, MSc Economic and Enterprise Students, on the Economic Impact of Cork City Heritage Open Day.

Decision of Committee

Following questions on the presentation, the Committee thanked the students for their presentation and referred the findings to Council for information.

12.2 **HOUSING ESTATES**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on Housing Estates.

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on Housing Estates and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.3 **PLANNING STATISTICS**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on the number of planning applications determined and deferred from 1st January 2017 to 31st December, 2017.

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on the number of planning applications determined and deferred from 1st January 2017 to 31st December, 2017 and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.4 **PLANNING ENFORCEMENT STATISTICS**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on the number of planning applications determined and deferred from 1st January 2017 to 31st December, 2017.

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on the number of planning applications determined and deferred from 1st January 2017 to 31st December, 2017 and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.5 **UP-DATE ON SIGNIFICANT DECISIONS**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 regarding the Up-date on Significant Decisions from 1st October 2017 to 30th December, 2017.

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on the Significant Developments and to refer it to An Chomhairle for information.

12.6 **DERELICT SITES QUARTERLY REPORT**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on the Derelict Sites Quarterly Report.

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January 018 on the Derelict Sites Quarterly Report and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.7 **REVIEW OF CORK CITY CENTRE ACTION PLAN 2017**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018 on the Review of Cork City Centre Action Plan 2017.

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January, 2018, on the Review of Cork City Centre Action Plan 2017 and to refer it to An Chomhairle for approval.

12.8 **MOTIONS REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE BY AN CHOMHAIRLE**

12.8.1 **COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER FOR 18 KERRYHALL ROAD**

‘That Cork City Council will put forward a compulsory purchase order for 18 Kerryhall Road, a site that has been abandoned and left derelict by its owner for over 8 years due to structural integrity reasons and also to minimise the anti-social behaviour the derelict site is attracting.’

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Ryan 17/424)

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January 2018 on a compulsory purchase order for 18 Kerryhall Road and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.8.2 **THE FORMER GOOD SHEPHERD CONVENT SITE IN SUNDAY’S WELL**

‘Cork City Council's elected members support the view of the Good Shepherd Convent Action Group that the former convent site in Sunday's Well is entirely unsuitable for a large scale housing development, the group believes any such development would severely impact on the local community and it's environment.’

(Proposers: Cllr. M. Nugent, Cllr. T. Gould, Cllr. K. Collins 17/432)

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January 2018 on the former Good Shepherd Site in Sunday's Well and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.8.3 **FORMER ABODE SITE ON SKEHARD ROAD**

'That Cork City Council reports on the status of the former abode site on Skehard Road. If the site is to be sold on the private market, I propose that the funds generated are ring fenced for the capital development of a library for the Mahon area that had been previously earmarked for this site.'

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O'Keeffe 17/435)

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January 2018 on the former abode site on Skehard Road and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.8.4 **SIGNPOSTS ADVERTISING PRIVATE COMPANIES**

'That Cork City council reports on the procedures required to erect a signpost; advertising private companies; within the City and outlines who is responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of same thereafter.'

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O'Keeffe 17/436)

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January 2018 on signposts advertising private companies and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.8.5 **DELIVERY OF THE EVENT CENTRE IN CORK**

'That Cork City Council would present a full report on the delivery of the Event Centre in Cork.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 17/438)

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January 2018 on delivery of the Event Centre in Cork and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.8.6 **SECURE VICTORIA HOTEL AND MOORE’S HOTEL**

‘That Cork City Council prepare a report for Council with a view to Council securing both Victoria Hotel, and Moore’s Hotel as both buildings have been vacant for many years and their acquisition would help Council with its challenge to provide accommodation for persons in need of same.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/448)

Decision of Committee

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 31st January 2018 on securing Victoria Hotel and Moore’s Hotel and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

12.8.7 **NORTHSIDE FOR BUSINESS INITIATIVE – LOAN APPLICATION**

The Committee considered the report of the Head of Enterprise, Local Enterprise Office – Cork City, dated 31st January, 2018 on the Northside for Business Initiative loan application.

Decision of Committee

The Director left the meeting to avoid any potential conflict of interest, as he is the Chair of Cork URBAN Enterprises. Following discussion, the Committee agreed to accept the report of the Head of Enterprise, Local Enterprise Office – Cork City, on the Northside for Business Initiative loan application and to refer it to An Chomhairle for approval.

13. **CORRESPONDENCE**

An Chomhairle to note correspondence, if any.

14. **CONFERENCE/SEMINAR SUMMARIES**

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

15. **CONFERENCES/SEMINARS**

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

16. **TRAINING**

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

17. **MOTIONS**

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

17.1 **FLATS IN FARRANCLEARY PLACE & MOUNT FARREN**

‘That the flats in FarranCleary Place & Mount Farren be repainted as soon as practical.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O’Flynn 17/451)

Housing & Community Functional Committee

17.2 **LOLLIPOP LADY AT ST. LUKE’S CROSS**

‘In the interest of public safety, that the position of Lollipop Lady be re-instated at St. Luke’s Cross during the School term. This unregulated junction has become extremely busy and with so many school children using this junction the introduction of a Lollipop Lady at St. Luke’s Cross would be most welcome in the interest of the safety of the many children who use this junction every day during the school term.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/453)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

17.3 **PEDESTRIAN PATH AT SOUTHRIDGE**

‘That Cork City Council put in place a pedestrian path adjacent to No 40 Southridge through the small Green area which leads to the adjacent Bus Stop. This Bus services Ashmount, Southridge, Silversprings Lawn, Silversprings Court and surrounding areas.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 18/006)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

17.4 **RESURFACE PATHWAY AT BISHOPSTOWN COMMUNITY SCHOOL**

‘That City Council would carry out remedial resurfacing works immediately on the pedestrian pathway that runs parallel with the Bishopstown Community School from Upper Leedale as the school children are absolutely soaked and their clothes destroyed from trying to walk this pathway to school.’

(Proposer: Cllr. Henry Cremin 18/016)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

17.5 **REPAIR POTHOLE**

‘That large potholes outside:-

(A) Ashgrove/Beechgrove, South Douglas Road.

(B) Outside 1 Heatherton Park.

(C) Crater between entrance to Greenhills Estate and Rhodeville Estate be immediately repaired.

There needs to be a proper area repaired to slow these ongoing erosions which are now a safety and health hazard to motorists and pedestrians alike.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 18/020)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

17.6 **REMOVE PALM TREES IN GLENCAIRN PARK**

‘That City Council would remove the four palm trees behind the houses 20 to 24 on Glencairn Park Bishopstown as these are completely overgrown and overhanging into these residents properties and causing huge problems.’

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 18/033)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

17.7 **GRASS CUTTING SERVICE AT MEELICK PARK**

‘That the Council provide a regular grass cutting service to the area and as well as a rubbish collection service.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O’Flynn 18/036)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

17.8 **HOUSE OF FORMER LORD MAYOR TERENCE MACSWINEY**

‘That the house on North Main Street in which former Lord Mayor Terence MacSwiney was born is brought up to a proper standard as we approach the 100th anniversary of his death, including the possibility of an information panel being place near it.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 18/041)

Strategic Planning, Economic Development & Enterprise Functional Committee

17.9 **FUNDING FOR CLASHDUV PARK**

‘That the finance department as part of its 2018 capital programme agree a funding package to bring Clashduv Park back into full use.

Clashduv Park in Togher consists of 13.5 acres of parkland encompassing tennis courts, M.U.G.A. (multi-user games area), a playground, walkways and a playing pitch.

The fact remains that Clashduv Park walk way has been refused capital funding for the past number of years and has been left in an almost unusable state.

The soccer pitch has remains closed for years as the pitch has sunk, there was funding secured this year through the Sports Capital Grant but Cork City Council needs to find extra resources to finalise bringing the pitch back into a useable condition.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Moloney 18/043)

Finance & Estimates Functional Committee

17.10 RAISED TRAFFIC TABLE AT ST. LUKES CROSS

‘That Cork City Council would in the interests of public safety erect a raised traffic table at St Lukes Cross as it would greatly slow traffic approaching the junction from all sides.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 18/044)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

17.11 SECURITY OF RESIDENTS FROM MOUNT BROSNA TO LAGAN GROVE

‘That Cork City Council would carry out a review of security of residents in estates from Mt Brosna to Lagan Grove and north to the Ring Road as the layout of the Estates facilitates roaming gangs and makes it impossible to properly monitor or police. Council, in conjunction with residents should look at reducing the Estate into smaller self contained Estates with their own access to and from main roads.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 18/045)

Housing & Community Functional Committee

17.12 PROMPT DELIVERY OF HOUSING ADAPTIONS

‘That Cork City Council calls for procedures to be put in place that will ensure the prompt delivery of housing adaptations that are deemed necessary for local authority tenants on grounds of age or disability.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O’Driscoll 18/046)

Housing & Community Functional Committee

17.13 MEASURES TO SECURE POPHAMS FIELD PARK

‘That in view of the increased anti-social behaviour in the area, that Cork City Council would take measures to secure Pophams Field Park.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 18/047)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

17.14 **PARKING IN THE HILLGROVE LANE AREA**

‘That Cork City Council engage with local businesses and residents in Blackpool Village relating to dangerous parking in the Hillgrove Lane area. Blocked lane ways remain a constant in the area and has the strong potential for impeding emergency services.’

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Ryan 18/048)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

17.15 **REPLACE THE TREES FELLED BY STORM OPHELIA**

‘That the City Council apply for central government funding to replace the 500 trees felled by Storm Ophelia.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 18/049)

Finance & Estimates Functional Committee

17.16 **PROTECTED STATUS OF THE PORT OF CORK BUILDING**

‘That the City Council re-iterate the points in discussion with private developers the protected status of the Port of Cork building and the bonded warehouses.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 18/050)

**Strategic Planning, Economic Development & Enterprise
Functional Committee**

17.17 **CROSSING LIGHTS ON ALBERT ROAD**

‘That Cork City Council recognises that an accident could very easily happen on Albert Road and could cause serious injury to members of the public owing to the fact that the crossing lights near the roundabout have been out of working order for a prolonged period of time and also that the road markings have worn away. Cork City Council therefore commits to resolving these issues as a matter of immediate concern.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. O’Shea 18/051)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

17.18 **LIBRARY SERVICE IN MAHON/BLACKROCK AREA**

‘That Cork City Council commits to the delivery and the time scale for the development of a local library service in Mahon/Blackrock area (South East Ward) at the site of the old HSE Medical Centre at Lakelands.’

(Proposer: Cllr. C. O’Leary 18/053)

Tourism, Arts & Culture Functional Committee

17.19 **FUNDING FOR A NATIONAL MARITIME CENTRE IN THE DOCKLANDS**

‘Mindful of the fact that Fáilte Ireland has highlighted the lack of a major ‘must-see’ attraction in Cork City, that the City Council immediately puts in motion a plan to develop and secure funding for a National Maritime Centre in the Docklands that will relate and enliven Ireland’s rich maritime story with active linkages (to include sailings, rail or road) to centres in Cobh and Spike Island and other sites associated with that history and to include the history of transportation to Britain, the US, Australia and the world during the Famine Years as well as the unique ties with the Titanic and Lusitania.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 18/056)

Tourism, Arts & Culture Functional Committee

17.20 **REPRESENTATION ON TRAVELLER INTER-AGENCY GROUPS**

‘That Cork City Council will seek representation on the various Traveller Inter-Agency Groups in Cork for members of the Local Traveller Accommodation Consultative Committee (LTACC), Council to report on the ongoing work of the groups.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 18/058)

Housing & Community Functional Committee

17.21 **NORTH-WEST REGIONAL PARK BE INCLUDED IN 2019 COUNCIL BUDGET**

‘That Cork City Council would ensure provision for a design of the North-West Regional Park is included in 2019 Council Budgets, part of this process would include Council concluding on options for the future of the existing Kilmore Park.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 18/059)

Environment & Recreation Strategic Policy Committee

18. **MOTIONS**

18.1 **WRITE OFF DEBT IN RELATION TO THE OLD WHITE CHURCH ROAD SITE**

‘That Cork City Council calls on the Minister to write off the debt in relation to the old White Church Road Site, thus allowing Cork City Council to sell the properties at an affordable price, by cutting the cost to Council of the land. This was done in other Local Authorities.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 18/014)

18.2 **TRAMORE VALLEY PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE**

‘To rectify the lack of planning compliance TII (Transport Infrastructure Ireland) who funded and directed the project should be requested to fund the Tramore Valley Pedestrian Bridge which will offer a grade separation solution for vulnerable road users and in doing so complete the Kinsale Road Interchange as set out in the original EIS and planning permission. The Tramore valley pedestrian bridge is shovel ready as it recently was granted part 8 planning permission by Cork County Council.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Cahill 18/042)

18.3 **CORK CITY AND COUNTY A PLASTIC-FREE ZONE**

‘Call on the Government to designate Cork City and County as a Plastic-Free Zone. That Cork City and County be made a Plastic-Free Zone, starting with the banning of plastic articles such as; plastic bags, cups, wrappers, packaging, bottles and plastic sheets with the phasing out of other bio-non-degradable material over a five year period.’

(Proposer: Cllr. C. O’Leary 18/052)

18.4 **AFFORDABLE RENTAL AND PURCHASE HOUSING SCHEMES**

‘That Cork City Council recognises that homes to rent and to purchase are becoming increasingly unaffordable and calls on government to immediately introduce ambitious affordable rental and purchase housing schemes led by Local Authorities, and where appropriate, Approved Housing Bodies and Housing Co-operatives with clear annual targets for all local authorities; and to

Design the Home Building Finance Ireland fund to prioritise loan finance to small and medium sized builders participating in Council led affordable housing schemes.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. OShea 18/057)

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