### 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, 22<sup>ú</sup> BEALTAINE 2017

### ORDINARY MEETING - MONDAY, 22<sup>nd</sup> MAY 2017

- 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. <u>CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S ITEMS</u>

#### 4.1 CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S MONTHLY MANAGEMENT REPORT

An Chomhairle to note the Chief Executive's Monthly Managment Report for April 2017.

#### 5. **MINUTES**

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

- Special Meeting of An Chomhairle held 27<sup>th</sup> May 2016.
- Ordinary Meeting of An Chomhairle held 8<sup>th</sup> May 2017.
- Special Meeting of An Chomhairle held 11<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

#### 6. **QUESTION TIME**

Questions submitted enclosed.

### 7. <u>CORPORATE POLICY GROUP – 15<sup>th</sup> MAY 2017</u>

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Corporate Policy Group, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 15<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

### 7.1 **FINANCIAL STATEMENT TO 30<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2017**

Head of Finance presented the Financial Statement to 30<sup>th</sup> April 2017.

#### **Decision of Group**

It was agreed to accept the report and refer the Financial Statement to 30<sup>th</sup> April 2017 to An Chomhairle for consideration.

# 8. <u>JOINT MEETING OF THE STRATEGIC PLANNING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND ENTERPRISE STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE AND THE LOCAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – 9<sup>th</sup> MAY 2017</u>

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Joint Meeting of the Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise Strategic Policy Committee and The Local Community Development Committee and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held  $9^{th}$  May 2017.

# 8.1 <u>REPORT ON THE CORK CITY LOCAL ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY PLAN – IMPLEMENTATION PLAN 2017-2018</u>

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning and Economic Development and Enterprise and the Chief Officer of the LCDC on the Cork City Local Economic and Community Plan – Implementation Plan 2017-2018

#### **Decision of Committee**

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning and Economic Development and Enterprise and the Chief Officer of the LCDC on the Cork City Local Economic and Community Plan – Implementation Plan 2017-2018 and to refer it to An Chomhairle for information.

# 9. <u>ENVIRONMENT AND RECREATION STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE - 8<sup>th</sup> MAY 2017</u>

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Environment and Recreation Strategic Policy Committee from its meeting held 8<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

## 10. <u>HOUSING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE</u> – 15<sup>th</sup> MAY 2017

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Housing and Community Services Strategic Policy Committee from its meeting held 15<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

# 11. <u>HOUSING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 15<sup>th</sup> MAY</u> 2017

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Housing and Community Services Functional Committee and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 15<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

#### 11.1 **MONTHLY REPORT**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services on Housing for April, 2017.

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 11.2 SUMMARY SOCIAL HOUSING ASSESSMENT (SSHA) 2017

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 in relation to the Summary Social Housing Assessment (SSHA) 2017.

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 11.3 STUDENT ACCOMMODATION AT BISHOPSGROVE, BISHOPSTOWN

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 in relation to supported student accommodation project at Bishopsgrove, Bishopstown.

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 11.4 CHOICE BASED LETTING SCHEME – MONTHLY UPDATE

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 11th May, 2017 in relation to an update on the Choice Based Letting Scheme.

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

#### 11.5 <u>WALL CAPPING – GREEN AREA AT MARKET GARDENS</u>

Members considered further the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 13th April, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That Cork City Council would complete the wall by placing Capping's on the cavity block walls dividing the private property and the green area at Market Gardens Togher. This wall is located between properties No. 56 and 57 and is a huge cause of concern for residents here as youths are climbing this wall and getting into residents back gardens. By putting these capping's in place it would drastically reduce this type of behaviour and give residents in this area some peace of mind.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/096)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 11.6 FARRANCLEARY FLATS and GARAGES

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That Cork City Council would include in its programme of works for 2017 the repainting of the Farran Cleary flats and repair the soffits and shoots of the Farran Cleary garage in Blackpool.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O'Flynn 17/085)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 11.7 TRAVELLER ACCOMMODATION

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'In the context of Traveller Accommodation issues, City Council to report on: The mid-term review of the Traveller Accommodation Plan 2014-2018, Funds available for Traveller accommodation this year and plans for same, The process and timeline for the next Traveller Accommodation Plan.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 17/125)

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

#### 11.8 APPLICATIONS FOR DOWNSIZING

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That City Council would forward a full report on our position and the status of our downsizing applications list and what progress if any is being made in reducing this list.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/130)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 11.9 TASK FORCE FOR ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing and Community Services dated 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That Cork City Council would put a task force together to tackle the issue of unruly tenants and tenants that cause anti-social behaviour in their communities. That the task force would include officials from Cork City Council Housing Department, community guards and a senior member of Gardaí management also with a senior member of Cork City Council housing department and any other persons that would be of assistance in combatting the increasing levels of tenants causing anti-social behaviour.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Gould 17/132)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

### 12. ROADS AND TRANSPORTATION FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 15<sup>th</sup> MAY 2017

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Roads and Transportation Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 15<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

#### 12.1 **ROADWORKS PROGRAMME**

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated 11th May 2017 on the progress of the ongoing Roadwork's Programme for the month ending April 2017.

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

#### 12.2 <u>DOUBLE YELLOW LINES AT THE JUNCTION LEADING TO SILVERHEIGHTS</u> <u>ROAD</u>

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding double yellow lines at the junction leading to Silverheights Road.

'That Cork City Council put in place double yellow lines at the upper side of this estate adjacent to the junction leading to Silverheights Road. While residents park outside their houses, a growing number of motorists are now leaving their cars in this area and taking the bus to town. This unwelcome car congestion is presenting a serious public safety hazard to both residents and children using the local school.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/063)

#### **Decision of Committee**

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval amended to read as follows:-

'That Cork City Council put in place double yellow lines at the upper side of this estate adjacent to the junction on Boherboy Road leading to Silverheights Road. While residents park outside their houses, a growing number of motorists are now leaving their cars in this area and taking the bus to town. This unwelcome car congestion is presenting a serious public safety hazard to both residents and children using the local school.'

### 12.3 **RE-PAINT ROAD SIGNS IN BALLYPHEHANE**

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding the re-painting of road signs in Ballyphehane.

'That all road signs in Ballyphehane be immediately re-painted.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 17/103)

#### **Decision of Committee**

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. It was also agreed that the issue of funding such works over a number of years would be examined.

#### 12.4 **REPAINT ROAD SIGNS**

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding the repainting of road signs.

'That the following road (street) signs which have been painted over be re-painted to their original status. St. Endas Road, Templeacre Avenue, Rathmore Road, Springfield Estate (Mayfield), Kilnap Place, St. Brendan's Road, Kerry Road, North Mon Road, St. Joseph's Terrace, Killeens Place, Pophams Road.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 17/104)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 12.5 NAMEPLATES ON FRIARS WALK

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding nameplates on Friars Walk.

'That mindful of the fact it is one of the longest streets in Cork, nameplates be erected along Friars Walk from its junction at Tower Street to its junction with Tramore Road a distance of some 1.7km, currently without any designation.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 17/106)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 12.6 TRAFFIC CALMING IN FRIARS WALK

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding traffic calming in Friars Walk.

'That in light of the re-routing of the 203 bus in Ballyphehane (that was often cited as an impediment to this proposal), traffic-calming or other necessary safety measures are undertaken on the stretch of Friars Walk from the Credit Union to the former Barbers Shop to facilitate residents' access to their home...the work perhaps to be undertaken in conjunction with mooted calming works at nearby Morning Star NS.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 17/112)

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

#### 12.7 SIGN AT THE ENTRANCE TO MOUNT FARREN ESTATE

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding signage at the entrance to Mount Farren Estate.

'That Cork City Council would erect a sign at the entrance to Mount Farren Estate.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 17/118)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

# 12.8 PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY FROM OLD YOUGHAL ROAD TO BALLYHOOLEY ROAD, THE QUARRY STEPS

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding the public right of way from Old Youghal Road to Ballyhooley Road, The Quarry Steps.

'That Cork City Council would now permanently extinguish the public right of way from Old Youghal Road to Ballyhooley Road, known locally as the Quarry steps. This matter has been delayed for many years by officials and now it must be closed permanently in the public interest and the common good.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/123)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 12.9 PARKING AT THE BALLINLOUGH SHOPPING PARADE

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding parking at the Ballinlough Shopping Parade.

'That Cork City Council reviews and assesses the feasibility of increasing parking provision within the Ballinlough shopping parade, near the Silver Key Bar. There are five businesses trading within the area and parking is not adequate. This is causing problems for customers of the businesses and illegal parking is an issue for nearby residents.'

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O'Keeffe 17/127)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

# 12.10 REVIEW OF SPEEDING ON GLASHEEN RD, MAGAZINE RD AND O'DONOVAN'S RD

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding review of speeding on Glasheen Road, Magazine Road and O'Donovan's Road.

'That Cork City Council would undertake a review of speeding on the Glasheen Road, Magazine Road and O'Donovan's Road and would develop a plan for speed reduction and noise mitigation measures to ensure increased safety for all road users especially pedestrians, that this report would also consider the need for traffic calming measures in estates off these roads and that improved access and egress for local estates on these roads would also be augmented and enhanced.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 17/128)

#### **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 that locations in the area be included for consideration in the roll out/relocation of speed warning signs.

#### 12.11 **REVIEW OF THE PUBLIC REALM AT UAM VAR, BISHOPSTOWN**

Members considered the Report of Director of Services dated 11th May 2017 regarding review of the public realm at Uam Var, Bishopstown.

'That Cork City Council would undertake a major review of the public realm, road network and footpath network in Uam Var, Bishsopstown, and would liaise with the Residents Association to develop a plan to remediate identified deficits and that anti-dog fouling litter signs would be erected as well as the provision of bins for the deposit of such waste.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 17/129)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 12.12 INSTALL PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS IN TOGHER

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding installing pedestrian crossings in Togher.

'That City Council would install pedestrian crossings in the following areas in Togher:-

- 1. On Togher Road between Deanvale and Market Gardens to accommodate the residents of Deanrock Estate and particularly with the new development under construction. These residents have nowhere to cross Togher Road safely between Tramore Rd. and Vicars Rd.
- 2. Tramore Road residents have being lobbying Cllrs. for a pedestrian crossing on this road for some years now since the removal of the traffic lights at this junction with Togher Rd. Ideally they would like this to be installed between that junction and their local Shop / Post Office.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/131)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

# 12.13 ROAD RESURFACING ON CATHEDRAL ROAD, CATHEDRAL STREET, ROMAN STREET, UPPER JOHN STREET AND GERALD GRIFFIN STREET

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding road resurfacing on Cathedral Road, Cathedral Street, Roman Street, Upper John Street and Gerald Griffin Street

'That Cork City Council would carry out urgent road resurfacing on Cathedral Road, Cathedral Street, Roman Street, Upper John Street, Gerald Griffin Street and surrounding roads because of the shocking state of the roads following the works Irish Water carried out and because of the lack of investment by the Government.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Gould 17/133)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

12.14 ESTATE RESURFACING PROGRAMME

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding

estate resurfacing programme.

'That Connolly Park be included in the 2017 Estate Resurfacing Programme.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 17/109)

**Decision of Committee** 

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

approval.

12.15 **UP TO DATE FOBS** 

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding

up to date fobs.

'To ensure the residents of Shandon Way are issued with up to date fobs to ensure access for

cars/those with mobility assistance etc. for residents.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O'Flynn 17/113)

**Decision of Committee** 

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

approval.

12.16 REPLACE THE MISSING NAMEPLATES FROM PARKLANDS, COMMONS ROAD

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 with

regard to replacing the missing nameplates from Parklands, Commons Road.

'That Cork City Council would replace the name plates that is missing from each of the estates

in Parklands Commons Road.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 17/135)

**Decision of Committee** 

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

approval.

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#### 12.17 **RESURFACE FOOTPATHS ON EDWARD WALSH ROAD**

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding resurfacing footpaths on Edward Walsh Road.

'That City Council would examine all the footpaths on Edward Walsh Road with the intentions of a total new resurfacing programme for this area. These footpaths are in a terrible condition and dangerous for pedestrians.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/139)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 12.18 FULL INSPECTION AT HAZEL ROAD, TOGHER

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding a full inspection at Hazel Road, Togher.

'That City Council roads section would carry out a full inspection on the condition of the road surface at Hazel Road Togher. In particular I would ask the two cul de sacs on this road be given serious consideration for resurfacing as some of the residents have had serious falls in these areas.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/140)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 12.19 CITY CENTRE MOVEMENT STRATEGY PARKING TIMES

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding City Centre Movement Strategy Parking Times.

'That Cork City Council would amend the City Centre Movement Strategy parking times and revert back to its original times covering the areas around the Mercy University Hospital from Little Hanover St to Grenville Place and including Sheares St, Henry St, Moore St and Coach St. There is a lot of very sick patients using these Roads to park while receiving treatment along with the medical staff that work in the hospital.'

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(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 17/141)

**Decision of Committee** 

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

approval. It was also advised that the scheme provides for review post completion.

12.20 REVIEW PARKING IN THE FOYLE AVENUE AREA

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding

a review of parking in the Foyle Avenue Area.

'Given the increase in services at the community buildings and senior citizens centre at Foyle Avenue Knocknaheeny that council review the parking allocation in the Foyle Avenue area

keeping in mind local residents, people with medical needs and older people attending the

services.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 17/142)

**Decision of Committee** 

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

approval.

12.21 REVIEW OF PARKING AND ROAD LAYOUT OUTSIDE THE SHOPPING PARADE

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding

review of parking and road layout outside the Shopping Parade.

'That the Council review the parking situation and road layout outside the shopping parade near the Silver Key bar. At present there is very little parking for the five businesses trading here.

There can be a lot of congestion and illegal parking around busy times and this affects business and causes problems for local residents who are left with no option but to call the Gardaí. A

strip of cycle lane on the main road was formerly much used and greatly appreciated parking.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 17/143)

**Decision of Committee** 

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

approval.

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#### 12.22 RESURFACE ROAD OUTSIDE GALVIN'S OFF-LICENCE ON DOUGLAS ROAD

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding road resurfacing outside Galvin's Off-Licence on Douglas Road.

'That the Council resurface the stretch of road outside Galvin's Off-Licence on Douglas Road. It has been in a deteriorating state for many years now.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 17/144)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 12.23 TWO STOP STRATEGY FOR BLACK ASH PARK and RIDE

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding two stop strategy for Black Ash Park and Ride.

'Taking into consideration that the Black Ash Park and Ride is under performing I propose that the Roads and Transportation Directorate of Cork City Council review and replace its current one stop fits all strategy on Lapps Quay and replace it with a new two stop strategy. One stop being on the Grand Parade and the second stop being on Patrick Street. It is my belief that this would enable the Black Ash Park and Ride to reach its full potential while also increasing foot fall into the City Centre.'

(Proposer: Cllr. P. Dineen 17/145)

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

### 12.24 FULL ESTATE RESURFACING AT MERRION COURT HOUSING ESTATE

Members considered the Report of the Director of Services, dated the 11th May 2017 regarding full estate resurfacing at Merrion Court housing estate.

'That Merrion Court Housing Estate be considered for full estate resurfacing as the roads in this estate have deteriorated considerably.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/146)

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

#### 12.25 SIGNS ON THE N40 – BOTHAR CUMANN NA MBAN

Members considered the Report of Director of Services dated 11th May 2017 on the following motion which was referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle.

'I am calling on Cork City Council to erect signs informing road users entering the N40 South Ring Road that the name of this road has been changed to N40- Bothar Cumann Na mBan, as agreed by this Council at a Council meeting in early 2015, to commemorate the vital role of women in the struggle for independence. This omission is another example of women being treated as 2nd class citizens. The Council has shown further disrespect by making no effort to correct the media such as Cork 96 FM, Cork Red FM etc when they refer to the road by its former name.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Shields 16/313)

#### **Decision of Committee**

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend 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. <u>CONFERENCES/SEMINARS</u>

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 SYNCHRONISE TRAFFIC SIGNALS ON THE CITY QUAYS

'That the signal controlled junctions traffic on the centre island and on the City quays be synchronised in order to ease traffic congestion.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O'Driscoll 17/160)

#### **Roads and Transportation Functional Committee**

#### 17.2 <u>HEDGING/SHRUBS AT GLENTHORN PARK</u>

'That Cork City Council would cut back the Hedging/Shrubs at the Dublin Hill entrance to Glenthorn Park'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 17/162)

#### **Environment and Recreation Functional Committee**

#### 17.3 GREEN PALISADE FENCING IN PARK COURT, BALLYVOLANE

'That Cork City Council should continue the Green palisade fencing in Park Court, Ballyvolane to the junction of Meelick Park and the back of Meadow Park, Ballyvolane, Cork allowing access to the areas through a turn-style gate that can be closed and opened during the day.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O'Flynn 17/171)

#### **Environment and Recreation Functional Committee**

#### 17.4 <u>FUNDING FROM THE I.P.B. TO BE USED FOR ESTATE ROAD RESURFACING</u>

'That the funding (once off) accruing to Cork City Council from the I.P.B. be exclusively used for estate road resurfacing and Council would match the grant from its own funding.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 17/174)

#### **Finance and Estimates Functional Committee**

#### 17.5 **REPORT ON ORGANISATIONS AND INSTITUTIONS**

'That Cork City Council would compile, publish and present annually to Council a report on organisations and institutions that are required to publish one or all of the following;

- Campus Masterplans
- Traffic Management and Mobility Plans
- Risk Assessment Plans
- Emergency Response Plans
- Environmental Impact Statements

#### • Other required plans or appropriate assessments

and that such a report would document the date of submission, the lifespan of the report, the date it was reviewed and accepted, the Directorate with responsibility for oversight, recommended actions and the date an updated report is required and would provide sufficient other detail to allow for a good insight into compliance and enforcement.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 17/175)

#### **Party Whips**

#### 17.6 **DEVELOPMENT OF A STATUTORY AREA PLAN FOR BISHOPSTOWN**

'That Cork City Council would immediately begin a process for the development of a statutory area plan for Bishopstown - Wilton - College Rd to replace the current non-statutory 2007 Bishopstown- Wilton Area Action Plan.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 17/176)

Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise Functional Committee

#### 17.7 REJUVENATION PLAN FOR THE LOCAL AUTHORITY ESTATE IN MAYFIELD

'That Cork City Council produce a comprehensive rejuvenation plan for the local authority estate in Mayfield which is now almost 50 years old. Such a plan should not only involve refurbishment of housing units but should also include assessment and rejuvenation of the built environment. Such a plan should address mistakes of the past including the passageway known as the Tarry Path which runs between the blocks of houses. Unfortunately a minority continue to use this area as a focus for anti-social behaviour and illegal dumping. This is a reasonably large area which could be used for infill housing, especially 1 or 2 bedroom units which are so badly needed.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 17/177)

#### **Housing and Community Functional Committee**

#### 17.8 ASSESS PARKING SPACES OUTISDE THE GLENFIELDS PRESCHOOL

'That Cork City Council would assess (as a matter of urgency) the addition of parking spaces outside the Glenfields Preschool with the addition of approx 10 parking spaces to be developed from the green.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 17/178)

**Roads and Transportation Functional Committee** 

#### 17.9 <u>MEETINGS WITH RESIDENTS AND WARD COUNCILLORS IN RESPCET OF</u> PLANNING DEVELOPMENTS

'That Cork City Council planners resume the policy of meeting residents and Ward councillors in respect of planning developments occurring in their ward as was practice and custom in recent years.'

(Proposers: Cllr. S. Martin, M. Shields, T. O'Driscoll, T. Fitzgerald, T. Shannon, N. O'Keeffe 17/192)

Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise Functional Committee

#### 17.10 ESTATE SIGN AT WOODLANDS DEMESNE, MIDDLE GLANMIRE ROAD

That Cork City Council erect an Estate Sign on the Wall at the Entrance to Woodlands Demesne on Middle Glanmire Road.

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/193)

#### **Roads and Transportation Functional Committee**

#### 17.11 CONSIDER 'MCSWINEY BRIDGE' AS THE NAME FOR THE NEW FOOTBRIDGE

'That Cork City Council would consider the name "McSwiney Bridge" as part of the naming process of the new footbridge being constructed from Merchants Quay to Patricks Quay leading to McCurtain Street in 'The Victorian Quarter.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/194)

#### **Party Whips**

#### 17.12 INSTALL BOLLARDS AT GARFIELD TERRACE, WELLINGTON ROAD

'That Cork City Council would place and install a series of bollards on the footpath at Garfield Terrace, Wellington Road in the interests of the safety of residents as cars / vans etc frequently pull up onto the footpath and park on the footpath right outside front doors of residents. Because of road resurfacing the level of the road now facilitates the dangerous parking / turning.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/197)

**Roads and Transportation Functional Committee** 

#### 17.13 **COMMEMORATION OF MARY ELMES**

'That Cork City Council would create an event or at the least a plaque to commemorate 'Mary Elmes'. This Cork born woman who saved so many during World War II and who received the highest honour from the Jewish Community, should be recognised by her native Cork also.'

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Cahill 17/199)

#### **Party Whips**

#### 17.14 SEEK FUNDING FOR CORK CITY NORTH WEST REGENERATION SCHEME

'That Cork City Council will seek capital and regeneration funding to action the proposed active recreation area element of the City North West Regeneration Scheme. Such a project would facilitate clubs like Knocknaheeny Celtic with secure playing facilities. Council will also bring forward options for the existing Kilmore Park, the active recreation area could incorporate a new regional park for the North-West of the city which will see an increased population in the years ahead.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 17/200)

#### **Housing and Community Functional Committee**

#### 17.15 PARKING SPACES FOR RESIDENTS IN ARDMORE HEIGHTS, KNOCKNAHEENY

'That Cork City Council will provide designated parking spaces for residents in Ardmore Heights, Knocknaheeny.'

(Proposers: Cllr. M. Nugent, Cllr. K. Collins 17/201)

#### **Roads and Transportation Functional Committee**

#### 17.16 ELECTRONIC GATES AT THE TUNNEL UNDERNEATH SKEHARD ROAD

'That Cork City Council would explore the feasibility of having the tunnel underneath the Skehard Road (along the Old Railway Line) fitted with electronic gates that would close in the evening and re-open early in the morning. Can the council report on all other suitable measures that can be taken by the local authority to address the increasing anti-social behaviour within this area, particularly in the tunnel.'

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O'Keeffe 17/202)

**Roads and Transportation Functional Committee** 

#### 17.17 TREES IN LIAM LYNCH PARK, GLASHEEN

'That City Council would carry out an inspection of all the trees in Liam Lynch Park Glasheen with the intentions of pruning / trimming them as they are getting out of hand with the size of some of the overhanging branches.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/204)

#### **Environment and Recreation Functional Committee**

#### 18. **MOTIONS**

#### 18.1 <u>INCREASE WAGES OF THE IRISH DEFENCE FORCES</u>

'That Cork City Council calls on the Minister Paul Keogh to increase wages of the Irish defence forces to at least to recommended living wage.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O'Flynn 17/166)

#### 18.2 LEGALISATION OF THE USE OF CANNABIS FOR MEDICAL PURPOSES

That Cork City Council calls upon the Minister for Health Simon Harris to support the legalisation of the use of cannabis for medical purposes. The benefits of medicinal cannabis have been demonstrated by independent medical experts such as a Prof. Mike Barnes (author of the Barnes report on medical cannabis) and Prof. David Finn (professor of pharmacology and cannabinoid research). Medical cannabis is available in other EU states. I salute the courage and determination of campaigners such as Vera Twomey, who has campaigned tirelessly on behalf of her daughter Ava.

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 17/180)

# 18.3 <u>LEGISLATION FOR A 1.5 METRE DISTANCE BETWEEN A VEHICLE AND A</u> CYCLIST

'That Cork City Council would write a letter to the Minister to bring forward legislation of a distance of 1.5 metre distance between a vehicle and the cyclists to help reduce further casualties on our roads which was promised by minister Shane Ross back in February. 8 cyclists have already died this year.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 17/181)

# 18.4 <u>EQUIP ALL NEW CARS WITH A FULL SIZED SPARE WHEEL AND PNEUMATIC JACK</u>

'That Cork City Council calls on the Road Safety Authority and the Society of the Irish Motor Industry to introduce a safety requirement that all new cars would be equipped full sized spare wheel and a pneumatic jack in the interests of safety of motorists.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/196)

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