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, 26^ú MEITHEAMH 2017 ORDINARY MEETING – MONDAY, 26th JUNE 2017

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

3. **LORD MAYOR'S ITEMS**

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

4. CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S ITEMS

4.1 CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S MONTHLY MANAGEMENT REPORT

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

4.2 **7-9 PARNELL PLACE AND 1-2 DEANE STREET, CORK**

To consider the recommendation from the Housing and Community Functional Committee Meeting held on the 19th June 2017, reference 2(e).

5. **MINUTES**

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

• Ordinary Meeting of An Chomhairle held 12th June 2017.

• Special Meeting of An Chomhairle held 19th June 2017.

6. **FINAL ANNUAL REPORT 2016**

An Chomhairle to approve the Final Annual Report for 2016.

7. **QUESTION TIME**

Questions submitted enclosed.

8. **CORPORATE POLICY GROUP – 19th JUNE 2017**

An Chomhairle to note the Minutes of the Corporate Policy Group, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 19th June 2017.

8.1 FINANCIAL STATEMENT TO 31st MAY 2017

Head of Finance presented the Financial Statement to 31st May 2017, and responded to queries raised.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report and refer the Financial Statement to 31st May 2017 to An Chomhairle for consideration.

8.2 <u>MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AGREEMENT – UNESCO INSTITUTE</u> FOR LIFELONG LEARNING AND CORK LEARNING CITY LEAD PARTNERS

The Group considered the Memorandum of Understanding Agreement – UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning and Cork Learning City Lead Partners and received a briefing from Mr. D. Barrett, Cork Learning Cities Co-ordinator.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to recommend the Memorandum of Understanding to An Chomhairle for approval.

9. HOUSING AND COMMUNITY FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 19th JUNE 2017

An Chomhairle to note the Minutes of the Housing and Community Functional Committee and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held 19th June 2017.

9.1 **DISPOSALS**

Members considered the reports of the Chief Executive dated 15th June, 2017 in relation to the following property disposals:

- a. Disposal of property known as Apartment No. 9, Waterside Quay, off Washington Street, Cork, to Huruma CLG, trading as Wellsprings, having its registered office at Wandesford Quay, Cork by way of lease for a term of 4 years and 9 months subject to a rent of €250.00 per annum (inclusive of VAT).
- b. Disposal of freehold interest in property known as No. 6, Sullivan's Lane, off Barrack Street, Cork to Sean Harrington & Donal O'Neill, c/o John Henchion & Co. Solicitors, The Bakehouse, Waterloo Road, Blarney, Co. Cork for the sum of €71,500.00 (plus VAT if applicable).
- c. Disposal of freehold interest in premises known as No. 8, Pearse Square, Ballyphehane, Cork to Eoin Ryan, Receiver to certain personal assets of Joe O'Donovan, c/o Ronan J. Daly, Solicitors, No 2, Park Place, City Gate Park, Mahon Point, Cork for the sum of €35,000.00 (plus VAT if applicable) plus costs of €1,500.00 (plus VAT).
- d. Disposal of freehold interest of the former St. Mary's Road Library, Blackpool, Cork to the HSE c/o Comyn Kelleher Tobin, Solicitors, No. 2, Georges Quay, Cork and, by way of exchange, the HSE shall transfer the former Health Centre, Lakelands Crescent, Mahon, Cork to Cork City Council.
- e. Disposal of freehold and leasehold interest in the property known as Nos. 7-9, Parnell Place, and Nos. 1-2, Deane Street, Cork, to Tetrarch Capital Ltd., Heritage House, No. 23, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin 2 for the sum of €2,725,000.00 (exclusive of VAT).
- f. Disposal of freehold interest in property known as "Ringmahon House", Ringmahon Road, Blackrock, Cork, together with a Right of Way over the entrance and car park area to Cork Education and Training Board, No. 21, Lavitts Quay, Cork by way of lease subject to an annual rent of €30,000.00 (plus VAT if applicable) plus costs of €1,500.00 (plus VAT).
- g. Disposal of Cork City Council's freehold and leasehold interest in an area of ground at the entrance to Fairfield Meadows, Fairhill, Cork together with a right of way and wayleave to Coleman Brothers (Developments) Limited in Receivership & Aidan Murphy, Receiver, Crowe Horwath, c/o Coakley Moloney Solicitors, 49 South Mall, Cork for the sum of €30,000.00 (inclusive of VAT if applicable).

Decision of Committee

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

9.2 **MONTHLY REPORT**

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services on Housing for May, 2017. Members raised a number of queries which the Acting Director of Services responded to.

Decision of Committee

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

9.3 <u>CARBERY HOUSING ASSOCIATION CLG – ACCOMMODATION AT COMMONS</u> <u>ROAD</u>

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community

Services dated 15th June, 2017 in relation to loan facility for Carbery Housing Association CLG in respect of the provision of 1 unit of accommodation at Commons Road, Cork.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. It was further agreed that, on the proposal of Comhairleoir J. Sheehan, seconded by Comhairleoir C. O'Leary, 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 €63,550 be granted to Carbery Housing Association CLG for the acquisition of 1 unit of accommodation at No. 10 Russell Court, Commons Road, Cork subject to the terms of the Capital Advance Leasing Facility Scheme".

9.4 <u>FOCUS HOUSING ASSOCIATION CLG – ACCOMMODATION AT</u> GURRANABRAHER, SHANAKIEL & BLARNEY STREET

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th June, 2017 in relation to loan facility for Focus Housing Association CLG in respect of the provision of 3 units of accommodation at Gurranabraher, Shanakiel and Blarney Street, Cork.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. It was further agreed that, on the proposal of Comhairleoir M. Nugent, seconded by Comhairleoir C. O'Leary, 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 €94,744 be granted to Focus Housing Association CLG for the acquisition of 3 units of accommodation at 98 Gurranabraher Avenue, 59 Briarscourt and 2 Leeview Terrace, Cork subject to the terms of the Capital Advance Leasing Facility Scheme".

9.5 THRESHOLD CLG – ACCOMMODATION AT HOLLYHILL

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th June, 2017 in relation to loan facility for Threshold CLG in respect of the provision of 1 unit of accommodation at Hollyhill, Cork.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. It was further agreed that, on the proposal of Comhairleoir M. Nugent, seconded by Comhairleoir C. O'Leary, 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 €28,900 be granted to Threshold CLG for the acquisition of 1 unit of accommodation at 81, Hollywood Estate, Hollyhill, Cork subject to the terms of the Capital Advance Leasing Facility Scheme".

9.6 **REPAIR & LEASING SCHEME (RLS)**

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th June, 2017 in relation to the Repair & Leasing Scheme.

Decision of Committee

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

9.7 <u>CHOICE BASED LETTING SCHEME – MONTHLY UPDATE</u>

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th June, 2017 in relation to an update on the Choice Based Letting Scheme.

Decision of Committee

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

9.8 **DEVELOPMENT OF OLD WHITECHURCH ROAD SITE**

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th June, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That in view of the recently announced infrastructure funding for the Old WhiteChurch Road Site, that Cork City Council consult at an early stage with the residents of the area re any proposed or future developments for the site.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 17/117)

Decision of Committee

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

9.9 O'KEEFFE SITE, LOWER MAYFIELD

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th June, 2017 on the following motions referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That Cork City Council proceed to Compulsory Purchase of the "O'Keeffe site" at Lower Mayfield in order to provide some additional housing for the elderly which in turn would enhance the local area in the common good.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/110)

'That Cork City Council acquire "O'Keeffe's site" lower Mayfield with a view to building appropriate infill housing and eliminating a derelict site.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/150)

Decision of Committee

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

9.10 PROCEDURES TO ASSIST THE HOMELESS

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th June, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That Cork City Council will report on the procedures to assist the homeless including outside of office hours, that council will ensure there are dedicated phone numbers operating 24 hour, 7 days a week for those that are homeless and needing assistance.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 17/152)

Decision of Committee

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

9.11 **WEBISTE FOR TRANSFER APPLICATIONS**

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th May, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That Cork City Council housing department assesses the feasibility of having an online website, similar to CBL- where City Council housing tenants could advertise and source suitable housing transfers that would be mutually beneficial to tenants looking to transfer. Once a mutually suitable transfer is identified, the official transfer process could commence through the housing department.'

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O'Keeffe 17/154)

Decision of Committee

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

9.12 **DEVELOPMENT AT SHERIDAN PARK**

Members considered the report of the Acting Director of Services, Housing & Community Services dated 15th June, 2017 on the following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle:

'That City Council would compile a snag list of residents concerns in the newly opened housing development in Sheridan Park, Tramore Road. Which would include:-

- 1. Finishing the landscaping properly by putting top soil and sowing grass seed in their green areas.
- 2. Erecting side gates to properties 9 to 14 just like all the other properties that have them erected.
- 3. Increase the height of the wall at the side of No 25 to the same level as the rest of the cul de sac thus preventing children climbing this which is happening presently.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/153)

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.

10. ROADS AND TRANSPORTATION FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 19th JUNE 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 19th June 2017.

10.1 **ROADWORKS PROGRAMME**

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated 15th June 2017 on the progess of the ongoing Roadwork's Programme for the month ending May 2017.

Decision of Committee

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

10.2 <u>EXTINGUISHMENT OF PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY AT THE FOOTPATH AT TRAMORE ROAD/HILLVIEW ESTATE, CORK</u>

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated 19th June 2017 on the proposed extinguishment of public right of way at the footpath at Tramore Road/Hillview Estate, Cork.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval, subject to the Housing & Community Directorate confirming the following:

- 1. That safety netting be put in place.
- 2. That the parcel of green space be available for re-assignment to the adjacent club under licence agreement.

It was further agreed, subject to the above two conditions, on the proposal of Comhairleoir Seán Martin, seconded by Comhairleoir Tom O'Driscoll, to recommend the following resolution to Council.

"Now Council Hereby RESOLVES THAT

One written objection having been received and considered within the prescribed statutory period setout in section 73 (1) (a) of the Roads Act 1993, it is now hereby Ordered that the Public Right of Way which runs from the Tramore Road for a distance of approximately 63 metres in a north-westerly direction to Hillview Estate, Cork and for a distance of approximately 6.5 metres in a north-easterly direction be extinguished forthwith."

10.3 CORK CITY ROAD TRAFFIC (SPECIAL SPEED LIMITS) BYE-LAWS 2017

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated 15th June 2017 on the Cork City Road Traffic (Special Speed Limits) Bye-Laws 2017.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to accept the Director of Services Report, with the exclusion of the South East Ward areas which are to be the subject of further separate consideration, and recommend it to An Chomhairle for approval. It was further agreed on the proposal of Comhairleoir Terry Shannon, seconded by Comhairleoir Mick Finn to recommend the following resolution to Council:

"Now Council hereby RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS

Resolving the making of Cork City Road Traffic (Special Speed Limit) Bye-Laws 2017

In the matter of the proposed Cork City Road Traffic (Special Speed Limit) Bye-Laws 2017 and in accordance with Section 9 of the Road Traffic Act 2004 and all other powers it enabling, Cork City Council having given notice to the Elected Members of Cork City Council and the Garda Commissioner and having considered any written representations

received, having received the prior written consent of Transport Infrastructure Ireland and having complied with the provisions of Section 9 (4) of the Road Traffic Act, 2004 and considered any written objection(s) received and respect thereto and having considered the Report of the Director of Services of the Roads and Transportation Directorate dated 15th day of June 2017 and the draft Bye Laws, as considered and recommended for approval and adoption (with the amendments as specified below) by the Roads and Transportation Functional Committee at its meeting on the 19th day of June 2017, it is hereby resolved to **make** the proposed Cork City Road Traffic (Special Speed Limit) Bye-Laws 2017 in accordance with the draft Bye Laws attached hereto, subject to the amendment of Article 2 and the Section Schedule thereto as follows:-

"These Bye Laws shall come into operation on the 1st day of November 2017"

The Roads or Road Segment referred to in the Section Schedule at No.21, No.22, No.23, No.24, No.25, No.35, No.36, No.37, No.38, No.39, No.40, No.41, No.42, No.43 shall be excluded.

10.4 SYNCHRONISE TRAFFIC SIGNALS ON THE CITY QUAYS

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated 15th June 2017 regarding the synchronization of 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)

Decision of Committee

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

10.5 ASSESS PARKING SPACES OUTSIDE THE GLENFIELDS PRESCHOOL

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 15th June 2017 regarding access parking spaces outside 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)

Decision of Committee

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

10.6 ESTATE SIGN AT WOODLANDS DEMESNE, MIDDLE GLANMIRE ROAD

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated teh 15th June 2017 regarding an estate sign at Woodlands Demsne, 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)

Decision of committee

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

10.7 INSTALL BOLLARDS AT GARFIELD TERRACE, WELLINGTON ROAD

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 15th June 2017 regarding installation of 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)

Decision of Committee

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

10.8 <u>PARKING SPACES FOR RESIDENTS IN ARDMORE HEIGHTS, KNOCKNAHEENY</u>

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 15th June 2017 regarding parking spaces for residents in Ardmore Heights, Knocknaheeny.

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

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent, Cllr. K. Colllins 17/201)

Decision of Committee

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

10.9 ELECTRONIC GATES AT THE TUNNEL UNDERNEATH SKEHARD ROAD

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 15th June 2017 regarding 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)

Decision of Committee

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

10.10 TRAFFIC STUDY IN CONNOLLY PARK

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 15th June 2017 regarding traffic calming measures at Connolly Park.

'That traffic calming measures be introduced at Connolly Park as soon as possible as this estate is being used by a large number of motorists to avoid the busy junction of Pouladuff Road and Connolly Road. The speed of many of these cars is a source of major concern to local residents.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O'Driscoll 17/155)

Decision of Committee

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

10.11 TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES AT CONNOLLY PARK

Members considered Report of the Director of Services, dated the 15th June 2017 regarding traffic calming measures at Connolly Park.

'That traffic calming measures be introduced at Connolly Park as soon as possible as this estate is being used by a large number of motorists to avoid the busy junction of Pouladuff Road and Connolly Road. The speed of many of these cars is a source of major concern to local residents.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O'Driscoll 17/155)

Decision of Committee

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

10.12 **DOUBLE YELLOW LINES AT CHURCH ROAD, BLACKROCK**

Members considered Report of Director of Services dated 15th June 2017 regarding double yellow lines at Church Road, Blackrock.

'That Cork City Council extend the double yellow lines a few metres along the lower end of Church Road, Blackrock – near St Michael's National School. Residents on the opposite side of the road are having difficulty exiting their driveways as a result of cars parked opposite their entrances.'

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O'Keeffe 17/170)

Decision of Committee

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

11. **CORRESPONDENCE**

An Chomhairle to note correspondence, if any.

12. CONFERENCE/SEMINAR SUMMARIES

An Chomhairle to note the following summaries:-

- Comhairleoir S. Martin, The Fair Deal Scheme held in Carlingford, Co. Louth on the $10^{\rm th} 12^{\rm th}$ March 2017.
- Comhairleoir S. Martin, AILG Annual Conference held in Ennis, Co. Clare on the 6th and 7th April 2017.
- Comhairleoir S. Martin, IPB Insurance CLG held in Dublin on the 28th April 2017.
- Comhairleoir S. Martin, Module 3 2017 Training for Elected Members held in Dundalk on the 10th June 2017.

13. **CONFERENCES/SEMINARS**

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

14. **TRAINING**

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

15. **MOTIONS**

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

15.1 **RESURFACE PROSPERITY SQUARE**

'That Prosperity Square be immediately resurfaced given its proximity to Barrack Street and Elizabeth Fort.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 17/184)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.2 **PRUNE TREES IN HEATHERTON PARK**

'That Cork City Council prunes the trees within Heatherton Park and Heatherton.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 17/185)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.3 TRAFFIC SURVEY AT BROWNINGSTOWN WEST

'That Cork City Council would carry out a traffic survey/count at Browningstown West to establish the extent of speeding traffic and the volume of traffic at this location.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Shannon 17/215)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.4 TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT IN ADVANCE OF THE PRIMARY CARE UNIT AT ST. MARY'S CAMPUS

'That Cork City Council implement short term measures discussed with an Garda Síochána and the residents association relating to traffic management, positioning of pedestrian crossing and alert council to the long term plans of traffic management in advance of the opening of the Primary Care unit at St. Mary's Campus. Bearing in mind the concerns of local residents regarding noise pollution during delivery times and the frequent parking in front of residents homes.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 17/220)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.5 RESURFACE THE REMAINING SECTION OF LIAM HEALY ROAD

'That Cork City Council include the remaining section of Liam Healy Road for resurfacing and in the short term repair the potholes in the necessary areas.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 17/221)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.6 <u>INSPECTION OF TREES IN GREEN LAWN, KINSALE ROAD</u>

'That an inspection of the trees in Green Lawn, Kinsale Road be carried out in response to concerns of local residents that some of the ones in close proximity to their homes may be unsafe.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O'Driscoll 17/223)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.7 <u>INSTALL ADDITIONAL CAR PARKING IN GLENFIELDS PARK,</u> <u>BALLYVOLANE</u>

'That Cork City would install additional car parking spaces in Glenfields Park Ballyvolane. Also to install a drop off point area where parents who have children attending the Glenfields Community Childcare can use.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Gould 17/231)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.8 REMOVE TREES IN FITZGERALDS PLACE

'That the trees in Fitzgeralds place that are causing serious damage to the footpaths and the road surface be removed.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O'Driscoll 17/237)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.9 <u>INSTALL CAMERAS IN HORGANS BUILDINGS TO MONITOR ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR</u>

'Horgans Buildings has 127 homes largely populated by senior citizens-many living alone. The area is between College Road and Magazine Road. As Gardaí will testify many homes in this area have been targeted by gangs-breaking down doors with crow-bars, robbing and terrifying the elderly. They also have to endure students coming from a night out-shouting and roaring whilst taking a short cut through their area and also cars rat-running through as well. I am requesting that an appropriate number of cameras are installed in this area to

monitor the activity especially at night time. This would go a long way in helping The Gardai identify the gangs and give more peace of mind to the residents.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Shields 17/238)

Housing & Community Functional Committee

15.10 ASSESSMENT OF PARKING SITUATION IN GREEHILLS COURT, SOUTH DOUGLAS ROAD

'That Cork City Council undertakes an assessment of the current parking situation within Greenhills Court, South Douglas Road. The findings of such an assessment should subsequently be actioned to alleviate the ongoing problems being experienced by residents within the estate in regards car parking as not only is there insufficient spaces, potential health and safety issues may arise owing to potential inability of emergency service vehicles accessing estates at certain times.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. O'Shea 17/239)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.11 PRUNE TREES IN GREEN LAWN, CURRAGH ROAD, TURNERS CROSS

'That this council prune back the trees in Green Lawn, Curragh Road, Turners Cross.'

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Kerins 17/240)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.12 **REVIEW PARKING POLICY IN THE CITY**

'That Cork City Council undertakes a complete review and overhaul of its parking policy including its charges (onstreet, shopping centre car parks, residential) with a view to addressing the major imbalance between the city versus suburban shopping centres in a bid to ensure the survival of the city centre and its ratepayers. Creative initiatives such as a substantially discounted validated parking regime for customers/shoppers linked with paid-up rate payers to be rolled out as part of the solution as well as the possibility of the use of private multi-storey carparks for residents' parking in central areas of high parking demand and low provision of spaces.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 17/241)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.13 LAKELANDS CRESCENT, MAHON FOR BLACKROCK/LIBRARY SPACE

'That the newly acquired former HSE Health Centre Building at Lakelands Crescent, Mahon be considered as the Blackrock/Library space.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 17/243)

Tourism, Arts & Functional Functional Committee

15.14 **RETAIN FENCE AT ASHMOUNT ESTATE, TIVOLI**

'That the estate Perimeter fence at Ashmount Estate in Tivoli be retained in its current state and that no part of this fence be removed at any point or at any time in the future. This Council recently voted to retain this fence in its current format. When this fence was vandalised a number of years ago a number of bars were removed using an angle grinder this area became the source of significant levels of anti Social behaviour and residents in Ashmount were unable to leave their young children use the estate green area because of this. Since The Ashmount Estate perimeter fence was re-instated, these problems no longer exist. In March 2001, when Ashmount was being developed the residents of Silversprings Court wrote to Cork City Council demanding that; "The Proposed Development by O'Brien and O'Flynn be devoid of walk ways and pedestrian ways." The residents of Ashmount have signed a petition requesting that their perimeter fence be kept intact and "devoid of any Walkways or pedestrian ways."

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/244)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.15 CUT BACK TREES ON MILITARY ROAD

'That the trees on Military Road above the Island Tavern Pub leading up to Collins Barracks be cut back as they are interfering with adjacent properties.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/245)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.16 <u>CLOSE GATES THAT LINK BRIDEVALLEY PARK, BRIDEVALLEY VIEW AND FAIRFIELD AMENITY</u>

'That Cork City Council will close permanently gates that link Bridevalley Park, Bridevalley View and the Fairfield Amenity, this would improve community safety in the area.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 17/246)

Housing & Community Functional Committee

15.17 INSTALL CCTV ON KILMORE ROAD AND NASHES BOREEN

'That Cork City Council will avail of a new funding stream to install CCTV on Kilmore rd & Nashs Boreen, primarily to protect sporting and recreational amenities in the area and to enhance community safety.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 17/247)

Finance & Estimates Functional Committee

15.18 **FARRANREE AREA FOR REGENERATION PLAN**

'That Cork City Council would consider a regeneration plan for Farranree Area.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 17/250)

Housing & Community Functional Committee

15.19 ROAD SURFACE AT COLLEGE SQUARE ADDED TO RESURFACING PROGRAMME

'At a recent meeting of the Cork South Central Safety Fora, residents concerns were raised with regard to the road surface at College Square, College Road and I ask for the roads & Transport dept. To add College Square to its road resurfacing programme for 2017.'

(Proposer: Cllr. P. Dineen 17/251)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.20 BAN THE SALE OF SPRAY CANS BY WAY OF BYE LAW

'That due to the recent and very obvious rise in the defacing of private and public property with Graffiti I call on Cork City Council to (1) Ban the sale of spray paint by way of a bye law within the City Boundary unless the sale is to a legitimate business that would use spray paint in the work place. (2) That a log would be kept of the cost incurred by private businesses and the local authority in the removal of tags from their property and that this cost would be added to any fine/penalty imposed on the perpetrators when they are apprehended this cost would then be repaid back to the said businesses. (3) That Cork City Council would endeavour to create a space within Cork City that could be used legitimately by Graffiti artists to express themselves, this space could then in time become a tourist attraction similar to that in other cities around the globe.'

(Proposers: Cllr. P. Dineen, Cllr. M. Finn 17/252)

Corporate Policy Group

15.21 FOUNTAIN IN ENGLISH MARKET TO WISHING WELL

'To turn the fountain in the English Market into a Wishing Well. Pick a charity at the start of every year and in December clean out the fountain and give the proceeds to the charity chosen.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Moloney 17/256)

Tourism, Arts & Culture Functional Committee

15.22 **REALIGNMENT OR RESTRUCTURING OF WILTON ROUNDABOUT**

'That Cork City Council would undertake to consult with the resident Associations of Wilton Rd, Wilton Gardens and Liam Lynch Park/Roger Casement Park, Summerstown in advance of any realignment or restructuring of the Wilton Road, Dennehy's Cross and Wilton Roundabout so as to minimise the impact of such works on local communities and local residents.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 17/257)

Roads & Transportation Functional Committee

15.23 STREET CLEANING REGIME IN AREAS AROUND UCC

'That Cork City Council would assess the street cleaning regime in areas around UCC, specifically the main thoroughfares, College Rd, Magazine Rd, Horgans Buildings, Glasheen Road, and adjoining streets and that a manual street sweeper resource would be allocated to this area.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 17/258)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.24 REMOVE TREE AT ARIGDEEN LAWN DEANROCK

'That City Council would consider removing the tree on the grass margin on the left at the junction of Togher Rd. and Arigdeen lawn Deanrock. In the interest of safety this has to be examined as this tree is preventing drivers from having a clear view when existing Deanrock Avenue onto Togher Road.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/259)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.25 WORKS AT HALLDENE GROVE/CURRAHEEN ROAD

'That City Council would carry out the following works in the Halldene Grove/Curraheen Road areas. Maintain the green area properly with regular grass cutting. Trim back and the chestnut trees and the grass around the base of these trees. Have the road sweeper return to

what used to be a weekly visit to clean up the litter that's gathering around the shores along the base of the footpaths. Hopefully this will all be done when their reinstated the green area and the opening of the new Curraheen bridge.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 17/260)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.26 PLANS TO DEAL WITH JAPANESE KNOTWEED

'That Cork City Council reports on what plans are in place to deal with Japanese Knotweed in City Council properties.'

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O'Keeffe 17/261)

Environment & Recreation Functional Committee

15.27 TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT IN PRIMARY SCHOOL VICINITYS

'That Cork City Council roads & transportation SPC would look at implementing traffic management plans & guidelines; as a matter of policy; in areas in and around the vicinity of primary schools.'

(Proposer: Cllr. N. O'Keeffe 17/262)

Roads & Transportation Strategic Policy Committee

16. **MOTIONS**

16.1 <u>REBUILDING IRELAND THE ACTION PLAN ON HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS</u>

'Given the National crisis in housing provision it is agreed that cork city Council will receive a monthly update on the implementation of 'Rebuilding Ireland the Action Plan on Housing and Homelessness' and how it is being delivered in our Council area.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O'Flynn 17/216)

16.2 <u>EMPLOY AND RECRUIT SPECIALISED STAFFTO IMPLEMENT REBUILDING IRELAND</u>

'Given the National crisis in housing provision it is agreed that cork city Council will ensure that it has the specialist and technical posts and where there are vacancies urgent priority will be given to employ and recruit these specilaised staff to give the critical attention required to deliver and implement 'Rebuilding Ireland the Action Plan on Housing and Homelessness' in our Council'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O'Flynn 17/217)

16.3 **REVIEW HSE REGIONAL HEALTH FORUM**

'That Cork City Council calls on the Minister for Health and Children and the HSE to review the role, function and operation of the HSE Regional Health Forum in order that they would be more meaningful and effective and not develop into a talking shop.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 17/242)

16.4 <u>BUS_EIREANN_TO_PURCHASE_A_NUMBER_OF_IMP_BUSES_TO_PROVIDE</u> SERVICE IN THE SILVERSPRINGS COURT AREA

'That Cork City Council requests Bus Eireann to purchase a number of IMP Buses in order that a decent Bus service can be provided in areas such as Silversprings Court and Silverheights, where elderly and the disabled are not living on a serviced Bus route.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/248)

16.5 <u>ADMONISH THE TAOISEACH AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE ON FAILURE TO BUILD GARDA STATION IN GLANMIRE</u>

'That Cork City Council admonishes the Taoiseach and Minister for Justice for their continued failure to build the long promised Garda Station in Glanmire while at the same time pandering to the whims of Shane Ross TD in relation to his constituency.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 17/249)

16.6 PASS INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS (DEFENCE FORCES) BILL 2017

'That Cork City Council urge all parties in the Dáil to pass the Industrial Relations (Defence Forces) Bill 2017 through second stage which is aimed at providing union rights for Defence Forces personnel.'

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Ryan 17/254)

16.7 REFERENDUM TO REPEAL THE 8th AMENDMENT

'That Cork City Council urge the Dáil Committee to report as early as possible and for a referendum to Repeal the 8th amendment be put forward to the people of Ireland as a matter of urgency, no later than Spring 2018.'

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Ryan 17/255)

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Chuig gach ball de Chomhairle Cathrach Chorcaí.

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