

**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 data 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:-

GNÁTHCHRUINNÍÚ – DÉ LUAIN, 13^ú MÁRTA 2023

ORDINARY MEETING – MONDAY, 13th MARCH 2023

1. **VOTES OF SYMPATHY**

2. **VOTES OF CONGRATULATIONS/BEST WISHES**

3. **LORD MAYOR'S ITEMS**

An Chomhairle to consider any item the Lord Mayor may wish to raise.

4. **CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S ITEMS**

An Chomhairle to consider any item the Chief Executive may wish to raise.

5. **MINUTES**

An Chomhairle to consider, and if so decided to approve as correct record and sign the minutes of:-

- Ordinary Meeting of An Chomhairle held, 13th February 2023.

6. **QUESTION TIME**

Questions submitted enclosed.

7. **STATUTORY ITEMS**

7.1 **PROPERTY DISPOSALS**

An Chomhairle to consider the reports of the Chief Executive, dated 2nd March 2023 on the following property disposals:-

1. Disposal of the freehold interest in an area of ground (187.1m² approximately) situated adjacent to No. 58, Castlepark, Ballincollig, Cork, to Attracta O Neill c/o NMS Solicitors LLP, Joyce House, Barrack Square, Ballincollig, Cork for the sum of €500.00 plus costs in the sum of €1,500.00 plus VAT.
2. Disposal of freehold interest in an area of ground (6.12 hectares approximately) on land situated at Hollyhill, Knocknacullen West, Cork, to Industrial Development Agency (Ireland) c/o Susan Mollen, Strategic Property Division, IDA, Athlone Business & Technology Park, Athlone, Co. Westmeath for the sum of €1,890,000.00.

7.2 **CAPITAL ASSISTANCE SCHEME: NO. 22 LOWER JOHN ST., CORK – PETER MCVERRY TRUST CLG**

An Chomhairle to consider the report of the Director of Services, Housing, dated 23rd February 2023 in relation to a loan facility for Peter McVerry Trust CLG in respect of the provision of 2 no. 1 bed units, 22E and 22F and 2 no. two bed units, 22H and 22J at 22 Lower John Street, Cork and if so decided to adopt the following Resolution:-

“Resolved that, pursuant to the provision of Section 6 of the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1992, a loan facility not exceeding €1,083,700 be granted to Peter McVerry Trust CLG, subject to the terms of the Capital Assistance Scheme for the provision of 2 no. 1 bed units, 22E and 22F and 2 no. two bed units, 22H and 22J at 22 Lower John Street, Cork.”

7.3 **PROPOSED CHANGES AND IMPROVEMENT TO THE ZEBRA CROSSING FACILITIES GRATTAN STREET, IN THE VICINITY OF CORK EDUCATE TOGETHER NS – APPROVAL UNDER SECTION 38 OF THE ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1994 (AS AMENDED)**

An Chomhairle to consider the report and recommendation of the Director of Services, Operations, dated 8th February 2023, following public consultation, on the proposed changes and improvement to the Zebra Crossing facilities on Grattan Street, in the vicinity of Cork Educate Together NS, pursuant to Section 38 of the Road Traffic Act, 1994, as amended by Section 46 of the Public Transport Regulation Act, 2009.

7.4 **PROPOSED SIGNALISED PEDESTRIAN CROSSING FACILITY ON OLD YOUGHAL ROAD IN THE VICINITY OF SCOIL CARA JUNIOR SCHOOL – APPROVAL UNDER SECTION 38 OF THE ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1994 (AS AMENDED)**

An Chomhairle to consider the report and recommendation of the Director of Services, Operations, dated 9th February 2023, following public consultation, on the proposed signalised pedestrian crossing facility on Old Youghal Road in the vicinity of Scoil Cara

Junior School, pursuant to Section 38 of the Road Traffic Act, 1994, as amended by Section 46 of the Public Transport Regulation Act, 2009.

7.5 **PROPOSED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT AT CLOVER HILL COURT, BESSBORO ROAD, MAHON, CORK**

In accordance with Section 179 (4) (a) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, An Chomhairle to consider the proposed residential development at Clover Hill Court, Bessboro Road, Mahon, in the City of Cork and the report of the Chief Executive thereon as required under Section 179 (3) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended, dated 17th February 2023 and, if so decided to adopt the following Resolution:-

“Now Council hereby RESOLVE THAT having considered the proposed development at Clover Hill Court, Bessboro Road, Mahon, in the City of Cork and the report of the Chief Executive, Cork City Council thereon, it is hereby resolved pursuant to the provisions of Section 179 (4) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended, that the development at Clover Hill Court, Bessboro Road, Mahon, in the City of Cork be carried out as recommended in the said report of the Chief Executive, Cork City Council, which was put before Council on the 13th March 2023.”

7.6 **PROPOSED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT AT NASH’S BOREEN, CORK**

In accordance with Section 179 (4) (a) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, An Chomhairle to consider the proposed residential development at Nash’s Boreen, in the City of Cork and the report of the Chief Executive thereon as required under Section 179 (3) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended, dated 24th February 2023 and, if so decided to adopt the following Resolution:-

“Now Council hereby RESOLVE THAT having considered the proposed development at Nash’s Boreen, in the City of Cork and the report of the Chief Executive, Cork City Council thereon, it is hereby resolved pursuant to the provisions of Section 179 (4) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended, that the development at Nash’s Boreen, in the City of Cork be carried out as recommended in the said report of the Chief Executive, Cork City Council, which was put before Council on the 13th March 2023.”

8. **CORPORATE POLICY GROUP – 6th MARCH 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Corporate Policy Group, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 6th March 2023.

8.1 **REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF SERVICES DATED 1st MARCH 2023 IN RELATION TO INSOURCING CURRENTLY OUTSOURCED SERVICES**

Members considered the report of the A/Director of Services, Corporate Affairs & International Relations, dated 1st March 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council as a corporate entity will investigate the cost of insourcing currently outsourced services provided to Council staff such as cleaning and catering

with a view to outsourced staff receiving better pay and conditions as Council employees rather than outsourced staff. This investigation should also extend to retaining water staff as direct employees.’

(Proposer: Cllr. L. Bogue 23/024)

Decision of the Group

It was agreed to accept the report of the A/Director of Services, and to refer it to An Chomhairle for approval.

8.2 **FINANCIAL STATEMENT TO 31/01/2023**

J. Hallahan presented the Financial Statement to 31/01/23.

Decision of the Group

It was agreed to refer the Financial Statement to 31/01/2023 to An Chomhairle for consideration.

9. **PARTY WHIPS – 27th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Party Whips, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 27th February 2023.

9.1 **NAMING OF THE NEW GRANGE TO TRAMORE VALLEY CYCLE/PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE**

Members considered the report of the Director of Services, Infrastructure Development, dated 27th February 2023 on the naming of the new Grange to Tramore Valley cycle/pedestrian bridge.

Decision of Party Whips

It was agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, and to refer it to an Chomhairle for approval.

10. **ROADS & TRANSPORTATION STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 20th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Roads & Transportation Strategic Policy Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 20th February 2023.

10.1 **REPORT**

10.1.1 **PARKING PERMITS UPDATE REPORT**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Roads & Environment Operations, dated 15th February 2023 regarding Parking Permits update.

Decision of Committee

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

10.2 **MOTIONS**

10.2.1 **SHARED ELECTRIC BIKE SCHEME**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic & Economic Development, dated 13th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council will pilot a shared electric bike scheme in a defined geographic area of the city not served by the TFI Bike Share Scheme, such as the city's urban towns (i.e. Glanmire, Blarney, Tower, Ballincollig), or the Urban North area of the North East ward and the Victorian Quarter.’

(Proposer: Cllr. O. Moran 22/498)

Decision of Committee

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

10.2.2 **MOBILITY ACCESSIBILITY AUDIT OF THE CITY CENTRE**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Roads & Environment Operations, dated 7th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That this Council conduct a mobility accessibility audit of the City centre, as part of a review of street layout changes in recent years.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Boyle 22/511)

Decision of Committee

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

10.2.3 **SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Roads & Environment Operations, dated 13th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That a plan be brought together as to how all primary and secondary schools in this Council's area have Safe Routes to Schools.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Boyle 22/512)

Decision of Committee

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

10.2.4 **IDENTIFY ARTERIAL PEDESTRIAN ROUTES**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Roads & Environment Operations, dated 13th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council will identify arterial pedestrian routes outside of the city centre as part of the wayfinding project and that these will be salted in poor weather conditions to support commuting by foot.’

(Proposer: Cllr. O. Moran 23/009)

Decision of Committee

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

10.2.5 **DAMAGE CAUSED BY VEHICLES MOUNTING**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic & Economic Development, dated 13th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That it be the policy of this Council where evidence exists of vehicles mounting pavements causing damage, particularly at corners of junctions, that prosecutions be sought and payment received by those who have caused such damage.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Boyle 23/019)

Decision of Committee

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

10.2.6 **ABOLISH FARES ON BUS SERVICES IN THE CITY**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Infrastructure Development, dated 13th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council calls on the Minister for Transport and the Environment, Eamon Ryan to instruct the National Transport Authority to abolish fares on bus services in the city.’

A pilot initiative would encourage more commuters to move from cars to the bus service, as has happened in other countries where fares have been abolished.

In doing so it would reduce the level of CO2 emissions in the city and alleviate traffic congestion.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 23/001)

Decision of Committee

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

11. **STRATEGIC, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, ENTERPRISE & PLANNING STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 20th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Strategic, Economic Development, Enterprise & Planning Strategic Policy Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 20th February 2023.

11.1 **HERITAGE COMMUNITY AND PUBLICATION GRANT SCHEMES**

11.1.1 **THE COMMUNITY HERITAGE GRANTS**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic & Economic Development, dated 20th February 2023 on the Community Heritage Grants.

Decision of Committee

On the proposal of Comhairleoir P. Dineen and seconded by Comhairleoir J. Kavanagh, it was agreed to accept the Report of the Director of Services, and to refer the grant payments to An Chomhairle for approval.

11.1.2 **THE HERITAGE PUBLICATION GRANTS**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic & Economic Development, dated 20th February 2023 on the Heritage Publication Grants.

Decision of Committee

On the proposal of Comhairleoir P. Dineen and seconded by Comhairleoir D. Boylan, it was agreed to accept the Report of the Director of Services, and to refer the grant payments to An Chomhairle for approval.

11.2 **CITY DOCKLANDS FRAMEWORK MASTERPLAN**

A presentation was given by Ketki Mudholkar, Hawkins Brown.

Decision of Committee

The Committee welcomed the presentation and agreed to refer it to An Chomhairle for information.

11.3 **PROGRESS UPDATE ON DERELICTION**

A presentation was given on progress update on dereliction.

Decision of Committee

The Committee welcomed the presentation and agreed to refer it to An Chomhairle for information.

11.4 **MOTIONS**

11.4.1 **PLANS FOR THE OLD BUTTER EXCHANGE BUILDING**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic & Economic Development, dated 15th December 2022 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council Executive would arrange a briefing for Cllrs (Via SPC) in relation to the plans for the Old Butter Exchange Building in Shandon.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 22/520)

Decision of Committee

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

11.4.2 **DIGITISATION OF CORK CITY COUNCIL ARCHAEOLOGY BOOKS**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic & Economic Development, dated 9th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That the Cork City Council archaeology team consider the digitisation of former Cork City Council archaeology books for the archaeology sub site of the Council’s website or Cork Past and Present sub site of Cork City Library.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 23/002)

Decision of Committee

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

11.4.3 **DERELICTION ON CITY QUAYS**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic & Economic Development, dated 14th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council address the dereliction of the city's quay areas including Patrick's Quay and while forming the plan that we use the space in the meantime to create green and public spaces.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Maher 23/087)

Decision of Committee

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

12. **HOUSING STRATEGIC POLICY COMMITTEE – 21st FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Housing Strategic Policy Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 21st February 2023.

12.1 **HOUSING PROGRESS REPORT**

The Committee considered the Housing Progress report for December 2022.

Decision of Committee

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

12.2 **MOTIONS**

12.2.1 **AVAILABILITY OF INTERPRETERS FOR HOUSING QUERIES**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing, dated 16th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That the CE gives an update on the availability of interpreters when dealing with housing queries from the Roma community.’

(Proposer: Cllr. C. Finn 22/518)

Decision of Committee

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

12.2.2 **ENGAGE WITH LANDLORDS ON TENANT IN SITU SCHEME**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing, dated 16th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council will act on the instructions of the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage of Ireland, and approach all landlords for which a notice to quit has been issued to HAP tenants and engage in a process with the express aim of purchasing the home under the tenant in-situ scheme.’

(Proposer: Cllr. E. Ryng 22/479)

Decision of Committee

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

12.2.3 **PRIORITISE THE DELIVERY OF MODULAR AND PRE-FABRICATED HOUSING**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing, dated 16th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council, as a matter of urgency, prioritise the delivery of both modular and pre-fabricated housing as part of the solution to the housing issue. Where rapid build can be delivered this should be given fast track approval and any and all help required to enable delivery.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Boylan 22/502)

Decision of Committee

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

12.2.4 **HOUSING VOIDS**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Housing, dated 16th February 2023 on the following motion:-

‘That Cork City Council recognises:

- That they have the longest turnaround time for voids in the state according to the latest NOAC Performance Indicators.
- That 75 week is an unacceptable average turnaround time.
- That the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage has stated that he believes local authorities are ready to move to a system of preventative maintenance.
- That there should be no Council home empty for longer than six months.

And agrees to:

- Compile, and lay before Council, a report on all voids vacant for longer than six months, by ward in tabular form with details on plans to re-let these units.
- Send a report to the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage detailing all voids vacant longer than six months for which Cork City Council do not have sufficient funds to renovate.
- Provide Councillors with a strategic plan for the move to preventative maintenance with a timeframe for completion of this change.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 22/504)

Decision of Committee

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

13. **CLIMATE ACTION COMMITTEE – 14th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Climate Action Committee from its meeting held, 14th February 2023.

14. **FINANCE & ESTIMATES COMMITTEE – 6th MARCH 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Finance & Estimates Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 6th March 2023.

14.1 **FINANCE RELATED REPORTS**

14.1.1 **FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO END OF JANUARY 2023.**

Members considered the Financial Statements to end of January 2023.

Decision of Committee

It was agreed to note the Financial Statements and to refer to An Chomhairle for approval.

15. **SOUTH CENTRAL LOCAL AREA COMMITTEE – 27th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the South Central Local Area Committee from its meeting held, 27th February 2023.

16. **SOUTH WEST LOCAL AREA COMMITTEE – 27th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the South West Local Area Committee from its meeting held, 27th February 2023.

17. **NORTH WEST LOCAL AREA COMMITTEE – 27th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the North West Local Area Committee from its meeting held, 27th February 2023.

18. **NORTH EAST LOCAL AREA COMMITTEE – 27th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the North East Local Area Committee from its meeting held, 27th February 2023.

19. **SOUTH EAST LOCAL AREA COMMITTEE – 28th FEBRUARY 2023**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the South East Local Area Committee from its meeting held, 28th February 2023.

20. **CORRESPONDENCE**

An Chomhairle to note correspondence, if any.

21. **CONFERENCE/SEMINAR SUMMARIES**

An Chomhairle to note summaries by Members of conferences/seminars attended, if any.

22. **SECTION 141 REPORTS**

An Chomhairle to note section 141 reports received, if any.

23. **CONFERENCES/SEMINARS**

An Chomhairle to approve attendance at conferences/seminars tabled on the night, if any.

23.1 **REGIONS IN FOCUS 2023**

An Chomhairle to retrospectively approve the attendance of Comhairleoir S. Martin at Regions in Focus 2023 held at the Four Seasons Hotel, Monaghan, 7th - 9th February 2023.

24. **TRAINING**

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

25. **CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S MONTHLY MANAGEMENT REPORT**

An Chomhairle to note the Chief Executive's monthly management report for January 2023.

26. **MOTIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES**

An Chomhairle to note the motions on Appendix 1 attached, that have been referred to the relevant Committees as determined by the Meetings Administrator, due notice of which has been given.

27. **MOTIONS**

27.1 **UNITED NATIONS CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES**

‘We propose that Cork City Council write to both the Assistant Secretary General with responsibility for Disability and the Secretary General in the Department of Children Equality, Disability, Integration, and Youth to enact/expedite the implementation of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD).

This international convention was ratified by the houses of the Oireachtas in March 2018 and has only been partially implemented to date.’

(Proposers: Cllr. T. Moloney, Cllr. K. O’Flynn 23/108)

27.2 **FUNDING FOR THE NORTH RING ROAD**

‘That Cork City Council call on the Minister for Transport, Eamon Ryan to engage meaningfully and commit real funding towards the realisation of the Northern Ring Road. The recent announcement of €100,000 towards this multi-million euro project is utterly unacceptable and shows the lack of commitment and care from the Minister to the plight of residential areas in the Northside of our city filled with traffic.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Boylan 23/110)

27.3 **DEFAULT SPEED LIMIT OF 30KM/H ON URBAN ROADS**

‘That Cork City Council supports the Road Safety Authority in 30km/h being the default speed limit on urban roads and will forward this message to the Minister for Transport, Eamon Ryan, and the Road Safety Authority.’

(Proposer: Cllr. O. Moran 23/127)

27.4 **SOLIDARITY WITH LIBRARY STAFF**

‘That Cork City Council stands in solidarity with our library staff who in the past number of weeks have experienced focused personal abuse; dealt with disruptive protests and endured intimidation in the course of their work. We must support our libraries who are places of diversity and inclusion offering access to all. Our libraries are a safe place for all ages and a centre for learning and work.’

(Proposers: Cllr. J. Maher, Cllr. O. Moran, Cllr. D. Boyle 23/133)

27.5 **EXTEND THE EVICTION BAN**

‘That Cork City Council notes the recent statement by Threshold which states that;

“Unprecedented numbers of adults and children could now become homeless, as a result of the Government’s plan to lift the eviction ban for rented properties.”

Cork City Council also notes the statement by Threshold that "the organisation currently works with thousands of individuals with notices of termination, and the Coalition’s decision is likely to exacerbate the concerns – and situations – these renters find themselves in."

Therefore, Cork City Council appeals to the Government to reconsider their decision and, in line with opinion expressed by Cork City Councillors in February, extend the eviction ban.’

(Proposer: Cllr. E. Ryng 23/144)

KAREN FITZGERALD
MEETINGS ADMINISTRATOR

Chuig gach ball de Chomhairle Cathrach Chorcaí,

9^ú Márta 2023

APPENDIX 1

MOTIONS

An Chomhairle to note the referral to the relevant Committee of the following motions, due notice of which has been given:-

1. **RESURFACE REENDOWNEY PLACE**

‘That Reendowney Place be included in a Council estate refurbishment rolling programme having first carried out an assessment of the road and footpaths.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 23/036)

South Central Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

2. **NEW FOOTPATH AT GREENHILLS COURT**

‘That Cork City Council create a new footpath at the end of Greenhills Court at the entrance to Nemo Rangers.’

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 23/037)

South Central Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

3. **CITY WIDE FOOTPATH AUDIT**

‘That Cork City Council would undertake a city-wide audit on the current condition of our footpaths. Our footpaths in many places across the city are currently in appalling condition and are in urgent need of refurbishment.

This is as a result of general neglect in terms of ongoing maintenance, various utility companies digging them up to undertake various works and, in many cases, not reinstating them to the original standard and of course, general wear and tear.

I ask Cork City Council to urgently undertake an audit in the five LEAs across the city and produce a planned and focussed footpath renewal programme across the city with the agreement of each LAC and the Full Council of Elected Members in the coming months.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 23/047)

Roads & Transportation Strategic Policy Committee – 17/04/23

4. **SPEED REDUCING MEASURES ON GLYNTOWN ROAD**

‘Dear Cork City Council, can I renew my calls please to install speed bumps or some form of speed reducing measures on the Glyntown Road, even a flashing speed sign.’

(Proposer: Cllr. G. Keohane 23/051)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

5. **YELLOW BOX AT HAZELWOOD HILL**

‘Dear Cork City Council, would it be possible please to repaint/freshen up the yellow junction box at the foot of the Hazelwood Hill, Riverstown, Glanmire.’

(Proposer: Cllr. G. Keohane 23/052)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

6. **CONTINUOUS WHITE LINE AT HAZELWOOD HILL**

‘Dear Cork City Council, would it be possible please to install a continuous white line at the top of Hazelwood hill outside the Riverview estate, Riverstown, Glanmire. A while back the hill was resurfaced (fine job done) but unfortunately motorists are coming around the bend on the wrong side. A continuous white line on the bend would solve this.’

(Proposer: Cllr. G. Keohane 23/053)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

7. **DANGEROUS METAL POST AT FERNWOOD ESTATE**

‘Dear Cork City Council, would it be possible please to remove a dangerous loose metal post attached to a concrete base next to the crèche in the Fernwood Estate, Glanmire. (Yes, this estate is not taken in charge but under health and safety concerns could City Council do it or contact the developer or receiver to remove it ASAP).’

(Proposer: Cllr. G. Keohane 23/054)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

8. **FOOTPATHS ON DOUGLAS STREET**

‘That this Council carry out an inspection of footpaths on Douglas Street especially near the Spar shop end and add it to list of footpath repairs.’

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Kerins 23/107)

South Central Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

9. **TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT HAWKES ROAD, BISHOPSTOWN ROAD/WATERFALL ROAD**

‘Can the traffic lights at Hawkes Road, Bishopstown Road/Waterfall Road be adjusted and install a filter/arrow light for cars coming from the west to turn right into entrance into Rosssdale Park/Brampton Ct./Laurel Ct., and Tiffany Downs please?’

Is it possible to get white lines marking on the road entering Tiffany Downs Estate?

Can Cork City Council carry out an inspection of the road and footpath within Rosssdale Park/Brampton Ct./Laurel Ct., and Tiffany Downs please with a view to repairing where necessary.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Moloney 23/109)

South West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

10. **HOUSING UNITS FOR SINGLE APPLICANTS**

‘That single applicants on Cork City Council list be considered for 2-bedroom housing units.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Moloney 23/111)

Housing Strategic Policy Committee – 19/04/23

11. **RESURFACE SIDNEYVILLE PARK**

‘That Cork City Council add Sidneyville Park estate road located off Military Hill to the list of estate roads resurfacing as a matter of urgency given the serious deterioration of this particular estate road.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 23/112)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

12. **PUBLIC TOILET ON GRAND PARADE**

‘That in the event of the public toilet on Grand Parade not being re-opened for that purpose, the unit be offered to An Garda Síochána as a city centre policing outreach hub. (An updated report on public toilet availability in the city to be issued pending the outcome from the response).’

(Proposers: Cllr. M. Finn, Cllr. M. Nugent 23/113)

Environment, Water and Amenity Strategic Policy Committee – 21/03/23

13. **REVAMP THE GREEN AREA AT KNOCKPOGUE AVENUE**

‘That Cork City Council applies for capital funding for a revamp of the green area directly outside the Fairfield Tavern and Farranree stores on Knockpogue Avenue.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O’Flynn 23/114)

North West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

14. **CORK CUSTOM HOUSE**

‘In view of their heritage, architectural and historical significance to the city of Cork, I propose that Cork City Council acquire, by compulsory purchase order, if necessary, the Cork Custom House and adjoining warehouses and develop them in an appropriate manner to reflect the role they played in the history of the Port of Cork.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 23/118)

Strategic, Economic Development, Enterprise & Planning Strategic Policy Committee – 17/04/23

15. **TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT AT ST. VINCENT'S SECONDARY SCHOOLS**

‘That Cork City Council examine traffic management concerns relating to students, staff and visitors entering and exiting St Vincent's Secondary Schools in North Monastery Road with St. Vincent's School.’

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 23/119)

North West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

16. **WORKS AT BISHOPSCOURT LOWER**

‘That the CE will add the faded double yellow lines, traffic calming measures, need for build out of footpaths, stop sign and enhancement of the green area in Bishopscourt Lower to the Operations Directorate work schemes.’

(Proposer: Cllr. C. Finn 23/120)

South West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

17. **GREENING OF THE CITY**

‘That the CE will endeavour to enhance the greening of the city when building housing either directly or indirectly by providing access to nature with green entrances and pocket parks.’

(Proposers: Cllr. C. Finn, Cllr. T. Fitzgerald, Cllr. D. Cahill 23/121)

Housing Strategic Policy Committee – 19/04/23

18. **CONSULTING WITH THE PUBLIC ON ACTIVE TRAVEL SCHEMES**

‘That the CE will examine more effective ways of consulting with the public in relation to active travel schemes. At present the process is insufficiently iterative and transparent and does not lend itself to a solutions focused approach.’

(Proposer: Cllr. C. Finn 23/122)

Roads & Transportation Strategic Policy Committee – 17/04/23

19. **CONSIDER ANIMAL CROSSING WHEN DESIGNING ROAD SCHEMES**

‘That the CE will ensure that animal crossing is considered when designing road schemes particularly where bridges are involved.’

(Proposer: Cllr. C. Finn 23/123)

Roads & Transportation Strategic Policy Committee – 17/04/23

20. **30KMPH SPEED RESTRICTION AT EVERGREEN ROAD**

‘That a speed restriction of 30kmph is installed on a busy stretch of Evergreen Road (to the junction of Curragh Road) in consideration of the communities using the school, church and businesses in the locality; present speed levels are unacceptable.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 23/124)

South Central Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

21. **NOISE AMELIORATION MEASURES AT THE SOUTH LINK ROAD**

‘That noise amelioration measures are installed on all housing estates along the South Link Road, to enable residents to open windows and use outside spaces which many cannot do because of excessive noise levels. If Cork is a healthy city, this type of issue needs to be addressed and such calls have been ignored previously.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 23/125)

South Central Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

22. **PUBLIC TOILET POLICY**

‘That Cork City Council will report on the progress of implementation of the Cork City Council public toilet policy and the appraisal document accepted in May 2021.’

(Proposer: Cllr. O. Moran 23/126)

Environment, Water and Amenity Strategic Policy Committee – 21/03/23

23. **PEDESTRIAN INFRASTRUCTURE AT MIDDLE GLANMIRE ROAD**

‘That Cork City Council will provide modern pedestrian infrastructure on the Middle Glanmire Road, Lovers' Walk, and at the junction of Middle Glanmire Road and Leycester's Lane.’

(Proposer: Cllr. O. Moran 23/128)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

24. **MURAL OF KATHY BARRY**

‘That the Coal Quay/Cornmarket St. area be considered for a mural (urban animation) of Kathy Barry, conscious of previous unresolved requests to erect a statue in memory of this famed Cork Shawlie.’

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 23/129)

South Central Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

25. **PLANTING OF TREES, HEDGING AND PLANTS IN PRIVATE GARDENS**

‘That this Council undertake an initiative that would encourage the planting of trees, hedging and plants in private gardens across the city.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Boyle 23/130)

Environment, Water and Amenity Strategic Policy Committee – 21/03/23

26. **TEIDIL I NGAEILGE**

‘Go mbeadh sé mar pholasáí ag an gComhairle seo teidil a cuid oifigeach a bheith i nGaeilge ar dtús agus ansin i mBéarla, agus go leagfaí béim i nGaeilge ar aon ábhar, go háirithe éadaí, a léiríonn ról mar shampla Glantoirí Sráide.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Boyle 23/131)

Corporate Policy Group – 03/04/23

27. **UNUSED COMMERCIAL BUILDING SPACE**

‘That this Council conduct a study of unused commercial building space that can be converted into residential use.’

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Boyle 23/132)

Strategic, Economic Development, Enterprise & Planning Strategic Policy Committee – 17/04/23

28. **PEDESTRIAN CROSSING AT KINVARA HILL**

‘That Cork City Council installs a pedestrian crossing at the top of Kinvara Hill, (lower Dublin Hill) Ballyvolane.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Maher 23/134)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

29. **WORKS AT BALLYVOLANE ROAD/SPRING LANE**

‘That Cork City Council installs footpaths, public lighting and resurfaces Ballyvolane Road/Spring Lane area with an emphasis on waking and cycling.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Maher 23/135)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

30. **PUBLIC LIGHTING AT THORNDALE ESTATE, DUBLIN HILL**

‘That Cork City Council installs public lighting in Thorndale Estate, Dublin Hill where a black spot is leading to continuous anti-social behaviour and residents are living in fear.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Maher 23/136)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

31. **SOUND BARRIERS AT CAPWELL AVENUE**

‘That this Council conduct a feasibility study at Capwell Avenue with a view to erecting sound barriers between residential properties on Capwell Avenue and the Cork South City Link Road. The noise from the traffic 24/7 has a negative impact on the health and wellbeing of the residents. Sound barriers would help in alleviating the negative effects of the noise and also allow residents and their families to enjoy their back gardens which they cannot currently do.’

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Kerins 23/137)

South Central Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

32. **TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES AT MANGERTON TCE., BLARNEY**

‘That Cork City Council will assess Mangerton Tce., Blarney for traffic calming measures.’

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 23/138)

North West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

33. **HGV SIGNS AT BLARNEY/SHANAKIEL/GURRANABRAHER ROADS**

‘That Cork City Council install digital signs to alert HGV drivers that Blarney Road, Shanakiel Road and Gurrabraher Road are unsuitable for HGVs.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 23/139)

North West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

34. **PLAQUE IN HONOUR OF VOLUNTEER LIAM HEALY**

‘That Cork City Council mark the centenary of Volunteer Liam Healy by installing a plaque at Liam Healy Road, Fairhill. This plaque could then be included in a further phase of the Revolutionary Trail.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 23/140)

Centenary Commemoration 2019-2023 Steering Committee

35. **RELOCATE TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT SHANAKIEL ROAD**

‘That Cork City Council relocate the traffic lights on Shanakiel Road back to the entrance of the Irish Water gate to allow traffic to flow freely around the dangerous bend.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 23/141)

North West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

36. **SCHOOL WARDEN AT GAELSCOIL PHEIG SAYERS**

‘That Cork City Council would allocate a school warden to Gaelscoil Pheig Sayers, Farranferris Campus, Redemption Road due to the busy traffic in the area and the increasing number of students in the school year on year.’

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 23/142)

North West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

37. **ADD FIRE RESPONSE TIMES TO THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S MONTHLY MANAGEMENT REPORT**

'That Cork City Council will publish average, mean, quickest and longest response times to incidents of fire per month, as part of the monthly CE Report.'

(Proposer: Cllr. E. Ryng 23/143)

Corporate Policy Group – 03/04/23

38. **STOCK SURVEY OF LOCAL AUTHORITY HOUSES**

'That Cork City Council undertake a stock survey of local authority houses on a pilot scheme in a number of areas to shape a preventative maintenance programme ahead of Budget 24.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 23/145)

Housing Strategic Policy Committee – 19/04/23

39. **REPAIR WALL AT THE ENTRANCE TO FR. ROGERS PARK**

'That Cork City Council undertake repairs where necessary to a wall at the entrance to Fr. Rogers Park, Garveys Bridge as well as footpaths in the estate.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 23/146)

North West Local Area Committee – 27/03/23

40. **TRAFFIC-CALMING MEASURES AT SHANNON LAWN, MAYFIELD**

'That Cork City Council install traffic-calming measures in Shannon Lawn, Mayfield.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 23/147)

North East Local Area Committee – 27/03/23