

QUESTIONS LODGED PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER NO.16 FOR REPLY AT THE MONTHLY MEETING OF DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, 7TH OCTOBER 2019

Q.1 COUNCILLOR REBECCA MOYNIHAN

To ask the Chief Executive for an update on the legal advice with regards to the site at the corner of Dolphins Barn and South Circular Road.

Q.2 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive if he will undertake a public consultation process and review of open air events (to include road races) in the city within the next 12 months, which would consider:

- a) the licencing of events
- b) their conditions of operation
- c) their contribution to the city
- d) their engagement with effected businesses and communities in advance of, during and subsequent to the event
- e) formalising the review process for events.

with a few to establishing an open and transparent process for the licencing, operation, monitoring and review of all events.

Q.3 COUNCILLOR PATRICIA ROE

To ask the Chief Executive it would be possible for Dublin City Councils Roads and Traffic Department to liaise with their counterparts in Fingal County Council to provide a much needed pedestrian crossing at the Northern on/off ramps at the M1/Coolock Lane/Oscar Traynor Road interchange and in advance, to provide me with a copy of the recent traffic/pedestrian survey carried out by Fingal County Council at that location.

Q.4 COUNCILLOR PATRICIA ROE

To ask the Chief Executive what can be done to encourage independent enterprises in the night time economy to provide a varied offering in the city and suburbs?

Q.5 COUNCILLOR PATRICIA ROE

To ask the Chief Executive what safeguards can be put in place to encourage viability of new independent businesses in the city Centre - rent freeze for first three years or reduced rates - and what can the Council can do to mitigate the effects of crippling public liability costs on new and small business?

Q.6 COUNCILLOR PATRICIA ROE

To ask the Chief Executive to consider occasional street trading and festival licensing in areas earmarked for development as cultural quarters, e.g. Parnell Square area, & Markets area in advance of regeneration work being completed on the Flower & Vegetable market.

Q.7 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE

To ask the Chief Executive to give an update on this housing application **(details supplied)**. This lady and her three grandchildren live at the below address. They wish to move to Area B to be close to family and friends. She has a welfare priority for Area B.

Q.8 COUNCILLOR JOHN LYONS

To ask the Chief Executive to do a full maintenance inspection of **(details supplied)**. The windows and doors of this family home have been in a bad state for a number of years now and need to be urgently replaced.

Q.9 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE

To ask the Chief Executive to indicate when the following maintenance work will be carried out (as promised) at **(details supplied)**. Which includes repairs to the gutters and bedroom ceiling.

Q.10 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive if he can give me details of the Development Levies that were applied in relation to:

- 1) The new hotel at the 1-3 The Crescent, Donnybrook. Ref 4497/17.
- 2) Development of apartments at 1-11 Eglinton Road 3047/18.
- 3) Hotel at the former St. Mary's College, Bloomfield Avenue, Donnybrook 3608/19.
- 4) Site at Thornfield, Donnybrook 3256/18 (several revised planning permission approved as well).
- 5) Development levies that would be applied for development at 2 Eglinton Road - planning application 3717/19.
- 6) Estimated Development levies for 600 homes at the former RTE lands at Donnybrook.

Q.11 COUNCILLOR JOHN LYONS

To ask the Chief Executive whether or not he and his officials are in favour of the retention and development of the Moore Street market as per Moore Street 2 Report, Securing History, and whether he and his officials intend fulfilling the recommendation of the Moore Street Advisory Group that Dublin City Council appoint an Expert Group to lead the urgent regeneration of the market.

Q.12 COUNCILLOR ALISON GILLILAND

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for the removal of debris and the cutting back of the overgrowth in the corner area at **(details supplied)**.

Q.13 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive if Dublin City Council will put a date in place for the installation works be carried out at the home of **(details supplied)**.

Q.14 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive when works on the remodel off **(details supplied)** and a new area be put in place.

Q.15 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive when the weeding programs will be put in place in the city, as some areas are in overgrowth.

Q.16 COUNCILLOR CHRISTY BURKE

To ask the Chief Executive when plans will be in place to put on public display of **(details supplied)** also what time scale is in place to have **(details supplied)** up and running and at what cost.

Q.17 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive to state what is the total amount of rents paid by tenants in Pearse House in 2017 and how much is owed in arrears for 2017 and what was the cost of maintenance and refurbishment in 2017 in Pearse House?

Q.18 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive to clarify who installed the drain in the photo attached,

which is to the side of Macken Villas and runs along the side of the playground and also can the Chief Executive say who is responsible for its maintenance and where does the waste that flows through it come from and who will be responsible for it if it is damaged during development of the site it is travelling through?

Q.19 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN

To ask the Chief Executive to provide a report for Dublin City Council's use of Dog wardens in Dublin City Council Parks to include number of times wardens visit parks, what locations and any actions needed from said visits. Are we policing the times where dogs are required to be on lead in parks?

Q.20 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN

To ask the Chief Executive to detail the plan for the Ballymun Shopping centre site now that demolition has begun.

Q.21 COUNCILLOR CRÌONA NÌ DHÀLAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive with regard to the Dublin City Council site at **(details supplied)**, which was disposed of over a year ago but is now in legal dispute. I've been raising my concerns at the delay in Dublin City Council to take legal action to reclaim this site due to noncompliance of disposal conditions. It was on the Vacant Sites Register **(details supplied 2)** and was listed according to council reply last May but is now no longer on the register? How come when it is still vacant? And what vacant site levies have been paid on this site to date?

Q.22 COUNCILLOR CRÌONA NÌ DHÀLAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive with regard to the timeframe for the requested planting of trees/planters in **(details supplied)**? It seems to be taking an unbelievable length of time. Funding was put aside via discretionary fund as the residents to have been trying for years to have the trees planted. Why it is taking so long and what is the expected timeframe? I was told previously that they would be planted before Christmas 19.

Q.23 COUNCILLOR CRÌONA NÌ DHÀLAIGH

To ask the Chief Executive what progress has been made regarding the request for ACA status for **(details supplied)**, this was listed as being assessed in the 2011-17 development plan, but has any progress been made?

Q.24 COUNCILLOR ALISON GILLILAND

To ask the Chief Executive to clarify the layout and finish off the corner area of **(details supplied)**.

Q.25 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for speed survey along McKee Avenue with a view to upgrading ramps. There has been numerous reports of speeding despite ramps being in place on the road. I have raised this previously as ramps are not a deterrent and was told the ramps are to suit buses. Residents have informed me that buses can be the problem at times.

Q.26 COUNCILLOR ANTHONY CONNAGHAN

To ask the Chief Executive how many litter wardens are employed in each area and if there are any staff dedicated to dealing with dog poo bin issues.

Q.27 COUNCILLOR DAITHÌ DE RÒISTE

To ask the Chief Executive if he will provide additional seating in a park (**details supplied**) near the children's playground given that the existing seating is located in a noisy part of the park due to its proximity to a main road.

Q.28 COUNCILLOR DAITHÌ DE RÒISTE

To ask the Chief Executive the position regarding Section 5 applications (**details supplied**). Do these permissions apply only in the case of providing homeless accommodation? Would they apply in the case of providing beds for a treatment facility? If a different approved housing body or a commercial organisation comes forward in the future to provide similar services in this property would these permissions still apply?

Q.29 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive to explain why despite me twice putting questions down requesting that the badly damaged pavements at Verscoyle place, D2 be repaired and on both occasions I was told these badly damaged footpaths would be repaired they still remain a dangerous trip hazard particularly for the elder people living close by?

Q.30 COUNCILLOR DERMOT LACEY

To ask the Chief Executive if he could take steps to help increase awareness (provide clearer signage, create promotional materials, etc.) around these two important heritage sites?

St. Winifred's Well in Temple Bar:

<https://alfanje.wordpress.com/2010/02/01/st-winifreds-well/>

Saint Patrick's well:

<http://irelandsholywells.blogspot.com/2012/03/dublins-little-secret.html>

Q.31 COUNCILLOR CHRIS ANDREWS

To ask the Chief Executive why the painting is not finished in Bishop Street Flats and when will it be finished?

Q.32 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY

To ask the Chief Executive how many restricted breed dogs (Housing Department policy) have been seized since the introduction of the ban in 2007 and to give details per year.

Q.33 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY

To ask the Chief Executive to give details of housing allocations in the Ballymun Finglas area and how many of these were given to HAP Transfer.

Q.34 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY

To ask the Chief Executive what plans are in place to market the Ballymun Shopping Centre site given its importance to the Ballymun Town Centre?

Q.35 COUNCILLOR NOELEEN REILLY

To ask the Chief Executive for an update on the insulation works in Finglas and what is the schedule for the rest of the year.

Q.36 COUNCILLOR JOE COSTELLO

To ask the Chief Executive if he will consider extending the grounds for consideration for medical priority for housing to include special needs such as Autism, Asperger's etc.

Q.37 COUNCILLOR JOE COSTELLO

To ask the Chief Executive to engage with the insurance industry to ensure that the broad range of community-based activities is not threatened by exorbitant insurance premiums.

Q.38 COUNCILLOR JOE COSTELLO

To ask the Chief Executive to report on the proposal from Dublin Beta for Bike Bunkers and on the pricing structure for this proposal. Please ensure that proposed fees of €100 is reduced significantly for communities that have no bike storage space.

Q.39 COUNCILLOR JOE COSTELLO

To ask the Chief Executive if he will consider establishing a North City Walk/Cycleway linking the Royal Canal and the Tolka River and the heritage sites along the route and if he will engage with relevant agencies to facilitate this project.
(See attached Map)

Q.40 COUNCILLOR REBECCA MOYNIHAN

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange the removal of the railings at the end of **(details supplied)** which is accumulating illegally dumped rubbish and ensure that the wall is secured for surrounding residents. See attachment.

Q.41 COUNCILLOR REBECCA MOYNIHAN

To ask the Chief Executive to increase the street lighting on Harman St, Donore Avenue, Dublin 8 which Gardai have identified as an issue leading to anti-social behaviour.

Q.42 COUNCILLOR REBECCA MOYNIHAN

To ask the Chief Executive for an update on the legal advice and detailed breakdown of steps to be taken with regards to the corner site at **(details supplied)**.

Q.43 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to initiate a process with street traders on Moore Street who wish to go into negotiations about relinquishing their casual trading license.

This process to be carried out prior to any development on the Moore Street site. This initiative would primarily concern itself with financial compensation and redress for those individuals who wish to negotiate the ending of their long term casual trading licenses on Moore Street.

This street, once a glorious trading street, has been neglected by this Council over the past 20 odd years. The buildings on this street are dilapidated and run down. And the very fabric of the street is crumbling. There are many issues now of anti-social behaviour and other activities. Because of these conditions on this Dublin City Council site, trading is almost impossible. Add to that the ongoing issues of the National Monument on Moore Street, the former HQ of the 1916 rising, the implications of the potential battlefield site and the atrocious long delay in the overall development of this area have left the street traders here and their culture in a deplorable state. Not unlike the issues that took place within the Fruit and Veg market at St Marys Abbey where recently DCC concluded successful financial redress negotiations with the traders, it is now high time that the Council afforded the same opportunity to the many street traders who are entitled to this process.

This will give the opportunity for DCC to reconstitute the casual trading and market activity on this historic street and will ensure for generations to come the great significance and cultural heritage of the Moore Street casual trading area.

Q.44 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to initiate a full investigation as to the breaches of out of hours work permits that have taken place on the development site at Charlemont Square. Also, can the CEO set up a full meeting with DCC officials from planning enforcement, Noise enforcement to address the serious concerns that the entire community in and around Charlemont square as a result of noise, dust, out of hours work (early morning, late night), anti-social behaviour and total disregard that the developers and the builders are showing towards these elderly tenants and the general settled community.

This community comprises of Dublin City Council tenants at French-Mullen house, DCC tenants at Peters Place, the private apartment blocks on Charlemont Street, DCC residents on Charlemont Mall including the senior citizen flat complex and apartment block, plus DCC residents at Richmond place.

Q.45 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to initiate a full Part 8 process for the reinstatement and refurbishment of Wolfe Tone Park. This space could be an absolute green oasis in the busy city centre. Plans have already been initiated by the Parks Dept. There is yet to be full agreement on these drawings with residents but bearing in mind the lack of green spaces and the recent outcry from residents in relation to noise, general anti-social behaviour at Wolfe Tone Park, the opportunity it now to reinstate a historic city park.

Given the amount of money to be invested in Liffey Street plaza this just adds insult to injury that you would leave this wonderful historic space at Wolfe Tone Park in an appalling state of dilapidation. Broken historic tombstones, a dreadful UPS delivery 40ft trailer dumped on the side of the road, and a dust bowl gravel space masquerading as parks amenity.

The history of this area and this park is well documented by DCC. It was DCC who presided over the destruction of this park. Perhaps now it's time for them to do the right thing and make this a new super green space for all city citizens and local residents.

Q.46 COUNCILLOR MANNIX FLYNN

To ask the Chief Executive to initiate trauma counselling for Councillors. With many incidents of tragedy on our streets and indeed in our housing estates incidents such as gangland murders in DCC housing estates or indeed dealing with individuals who are so distressed about their housing situation that they contemplate death by suicide. Given the level of unease and hostility and human tragedy that councillors have to face in their role in the city almost on a daily basis that some measure of training be offered to us to be able to carry out our roles effectively.

Recently I attended a number of residents at a certain block of flats in the city centre. Many of the residents have symptoms of post-traumatic stress disorder, this related to an ongoing issue of the murderous feud that is taking place in our city. In this particular block there was a murder, there was also serious threats made to individuals who were living in this block and also a homemade bomb device discovered over the past while. As a councillor I had no tools to deal with their issues. They informed me that no one had come from the council, no one had offered them any counsel. By the time I came out of this meeting, it had had an enormous impact on me. That impact is still there today. It must be equally the same for other councillors who are experiencing this and similar issues in their communities.

Q.47 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE

To ask the Chief Executive to make provision for the removal of the old litter bin from (details supplied).

Q.48 COUNCILLOR LARRY O'TOOLE

To ask the Chief Executive to have the tree at **(details supplied)** pruned.

Q.49 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to provide a list of all the proposed rezoning sites in Dublin City and a timescale as to when the process will be initiated for each site.

Q.50 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to provide a list of how many Senior Staff are on salaries of 80K or more per annum and if he can make a statement on the manner.

Q.51 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive how many staff are currently employed in waste management services and can I receive a breakdown of each area within the waste management function.

Q.52 COUNCILLOR DECLAN FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to provide a breakdown of how many DCC properties still have pyrite or other defective material in their foundations?

Q.53 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE CONROY

To ask the Chief Executive which of the Dublin City Council managers and officers are available to combine with South East Area Committee Councillors to meet with NTA on the residential and environmental issues of the Bus Corridor proposals.

At a meeting in St Mary's RFC on Monday 16 September 2019, on my request, **(details supplied)** has agreed to meet with Councillors in regard to the Bus Corridors in several communities.

Q.54 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE CONROY

To ask the Chief Executive what can Dublin City Council do about the ban of local schoolchildren (when I say 'local' I mean directly across the road from the new school) from access to the proposed new secondary school on Harold's Cross Road.

It is a serious issue with many local residents in Dublin 12, Dublin 8 and Dublin 6W.

I quote the enquiry from a parent **(details supplied)** with three children who states that when she went to vote for the patronage of the new school she was informed that her eircode was not valid for that school catchment area.

The site of the new school is 6 Harold's Cross Road, Dublin 6W.

I checked, it does not have an Eircode. But as a resident of Dublin 6W she is excluded from the catchment area.

In the map of the catchment area, her row of houses on Harold's Cross Road are excluded and her children now effectively have no secondary school to attend in walking distance. This is now a transport issue as well.

Is this a result of someone incorrectly drawing the map - instead of including the houses outside the proposed new school, was the line put down the middle of the road in error?

Q.55 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE CONROY

To ask the Chief Executive what the Council can do about compost collection on residential terraces where there are no gardens or driveways or any space outside

the street house for compost bins or any bin storage. In particular this refers to St Kevin's Road, Portobello, where the resident (**details supplied**) states that there is no provision of compost removal in the area.

Q.56 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE CONROY

To ask the Chief Executive whether the Council can upgrade local children's sports grounds with All-Weather lighting and equipment. I have been requested by Temple Syngue Street Gaelic Football Club (details supplied) below are on the website to ascertain what is the Council's position on the sports ground known as the VEC grounds, on Templeogue Road, Terenure.

Q.57 COUNCILLOR KEVIN DONOGHUE

To ask the Chief Executive to prune the trees on Irishtown Road (see photo attached), as they are very close to residents premises.

Q.58 COUNCILLOR KEVIN DONOGHUE

To ask the Chief Executive for steps to be taken to reduce the ongoing risks to pupils attending St. Christopher's Primary School, Haddington Road, from ongoing traffic and parking issues around the school.

Q.59 COUNCILLOR KEVIN DONOGHUE

To ask the Chief Executive to have the fence removed from the complex in photos attached.

Q.60 COUNCILLOR JANE HORGAN-JONES

To ask the Chief Executive in respect of (**details supplied**). Is there planning permission in place for use of this property as a Bed and Breakfast facility? Is planning permission required? And if so is there an enforcement file in place in respect of this property.

Q.61 COUNCILLOR JANE HORGAN-JONES

To ask the Chief Executive for the tree outside (**details supplied**) to be pruned back?

Q.62 COUNCILLOR JANE HORGAN-JONES

To ask the Chief Executive for an overview of who is responsible for the maintenance of the graveyard and adjoining wall in (**details supplied**) and what plans there are in place to improve the condition of this location – residents consider this graveyard a part of local history and source of local pride and would like to see its upkeep improved.

Q.63 COUNCILLOR JANE HORGAN-JONES

To ask the Chief Executive about the (**details supplied 1**) memorial that was due to be discussed at the Commemorations Committee meeting on 24th January 2019. This followed on from a motion passed by the NCAC in January 2018 and a follow up question asked by me at the January 2019 NCAC. Could you tell me what the outcomes of these discussions were and what the next steps are in terms of establishing the memorial?

Could you also confirm that you have received correspondence from (**details supplied 2**) in relation to proposals for the commemoration? If not I can arrange to have it forwarded to you.

Next year is the 50th anniversary of **(details supplied 1)** death and we are very keen to have everything organised by then.

Q.64 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE HENEY

To ask the Chief Executive to please refer to the request from my constituent for the installation of traffic calming measures at **(details supplied)** in an effort to slow down motorists travelling at high speed along stretch at this area.

Q.65 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE HENEY

To ask the Chief Executive to please refer to the request from my constituent for the installation of exercise equipment such as small bodyweight fitness (also known as Calisthenics), pull up bars, parallels, abs bench and a high step at **(details supplied)**, to give teenagers and adults alike the opportunity of a free full-body workout which would be a great service for all the children, teenagers and parents that live or study locally but who are not in a position to afford a gym membership as the positive effects of regular fitness activities on improving academic achievements and total well-being are long proven and established.

Q.66 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE HENEY

To ask the Chief Executive to please refer to the request from my constituent for the installation of disabled parking at **(details supplied)** as constituent states that there is a serious lack of disabled parking there currently.

Q.67 COUNCILLOR DEIRDRE HENEY

To ask the Chief Executive to please refer to the serious delay problem that has arisen for motorists in general and public transport users in particular, travelling to the city centre via Amiens Street, following the introduction of the new cycle lane, from Matt Talbot Bridge to City Quay which has been reduced to one lane, creating a bottleneck at City Quay, thus leading to a backing up of traffic from Amiens Street to City Quay and say why two lanes could not have been maintained for vehicular traffic (which is still possible), with relatively modest further realignment work; the junction of Matt Talbot Bridge and City Quay is like a funnel creating a traffic jam back as far as the five lamps, resulting in public transport users sitting on a bus for long periods of time travelling as a snail's pace, resulting in bus journeys of up to 17 minutes travelling from the railway bridge on Amiens St to the quays on a weekday; and can he now say if this section of road realignment can be re-examined with a view to eliminating the delay on public transport users

Q.68 COUNCILLOR TERENCE FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive for an update regarding the council's plan to pedestrianize Lower Liffey Street; to outline the timeline involved; to outline his plans to pedestrianize other streets and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Q.69 COUNCILLOR TERENCE FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to advise of the practical impact the motion passed at the special council meeting of 23rd September 2019, to preserve artistic spaces and venues will have on planning in the city and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Q.70 COUNCILLOR TERENCE FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to advise why there was a drop in the value of the clamping contract awarded recently from estimate of €45m last year to €37m in the actual contract and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Q.71 COUNCILLOR TERENCE FLANAGAN

To ask the Chief Executive to provide a report outlining what enforcement action Dublin City Council have taken against businesses with sandwich boards since the new licensing regulations came in effect; to advise of the number of businesses who have applied for a licence and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Q.72 COUNCILLOR DANNY BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive to outline how many people are on the waiting list for 1 bed sheltered accommodation in Dublin 12.

Q.73 COUNCILLOR DANNY BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive to fix and strengthen a stretch of footpath at Vavasour Square (on the left outside no's 1 & 2), because of the narrowness of the lane, this pavement is constantly being mounted and is presently in very poor condition.

Q.74 COUNCILLOR DANNY BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive if the sweeper truck van regularly sweeps at St. Brendan's Cottages, Irishtown as residents have reported that the sweeper never covers there.

Q.75 COUNCILLOR DANNY BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive if the memorial statue to Admiral William Browne in Grand Canal Dock will be attended to / cleaned as there have been stickers etc. stuck on it defacing it.

Q.76 COUNCILLOR RACHEAL BATTEN

To ask the Chief Executive how much of the 2019 council budget has been used to date? Off the balance of the 2019 budget remaining where is that budget allocated and is there any of the budget unallocated?

Q.77 COUNCILLOR RACHEAL BATTEN

To ask the Chief Executive to provide a report into the planning investigation in relation to the allegation that there was a breach of planning information at **(details supplied)**.

Q.78 COUNCILLOR RACHEAL BATTEN

To ask the Chief Executive to look into the need to do a village plan for Santry taking into account the increase of large volume of planning approved in the in the last 12 months.

Q.79 COUNCILLOR RACHEAL BATTEN

To ask the Chief Executive to provide the cost to the council in the 2018, and 2019 to date for path and road repairs that were caused in full or in part by tree roots.

Q.80 COUNCILLOR COLM O'ROURKE

To ask the Chief Executive to clarify the status of footpaths along Griffith Avenue and are there designated cycle ways in place. If pathway is now cycle track, can traffic control at Beresford / Griffith Avenue junction be installed immediately?

Q.81 COUNCILLOR COLM O'ROURKE

To ask the Chief Executive to update on refuse collection at properties on Belvedere Place near Dorset College.

Q.82 COUNCILLOR COLM O'ROURKE

To ask the Chief Executive, regarding the Finglas Road (R135) at the junction of the Ballyboggan Road, as to what year the pedestrian-crossing islands at this location

were completed and what improvements have been made to these islands and roads immediately surrounding the islands since they were introduced. The condition of these pedestrian crossings and surrounding roads are in need of repair.

Q.83 COUNCILLOR COLM O'ROURKE

To ask the Chief Executive to review a green left filter at the location (**details supplied**)

Q.84 COUNCILLOR DAITHÌ DOOLAN

To ask the Chief Executive has the funding for Phase 2 Insulation Programme in Ballyfermot ran out, how many houses have been complete and how many remain to be insulated in Ballyfermot and across Dublin and has the Department of Environment responded to Dublin City Council's request for funding under this Programme?

Q.85 COUNCILLOR DAITHÌ DOOLAN

To ask the Chief Executive how many families are waiting to access rooms in family hubs and to give a breakdown of the waiting lists for each hub.

Q.86 COUNCILLOR DAITHÌ DOOLAN

To ask the Chief Executive how much did Dublin City Council spend on the collection of commercial waste (bars, restaurants etc.) that does not comply with waste collection standards (contaminated waste) and on collection of commercial waste during special days including All Ireland match days, St Patricks Day festival etc. for the years 2017, 2018 and so far in 2019?

Q.87 COUNCILLOR DAITHÌ DOOLAN

To ask the Chief Executive to outline in tabular form how much Dublin City Council spent in removal of bonfire material last year, what weight in tons of material was removed and cost of clean up after bonfires in 2018 for each of the 5 areas?

Q.88 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL WATTERS

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for the roads and footpaths to be resurfaced in Ceannt Fort, Mount Brown, Dublin 8.

Q.89 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL WATTERS

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for the trees to be pruned on Inchicore Road, Kilmainham, Dublin 8

Q.90 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL WATTERS

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for the trees to be pruned on Kildare Road, Crumlin, Dublin 12

Q.91 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL WATTERS

To ask the Chief Executive to consider installing CCTV in the lane way that connects Crumlin Village to Windmill Park, Crumlin, Dublin 12, as there is severe and recurring illegal dumping, as well as anti-social behaviour in the lane way.

Q.92 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON

To ask the Chief Executive that the overgrown trees in the Millrose Estate Bluebell Dublin 12 be addressed as a matter of urgency. These trees on public open green space are a hazard and need removal / cutting back, I have no doubt when we observe some we will accept the concerns of neighbours in the area these trees are growing beside the houses blocking out all the natural light

Q.93 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON

To ask the Chief Executive to make the old Drumfinn Celtic Pitch at Drumfinn Road / Californian Hills Park Ballyfermot Dublin 10 available for De La Salle GAA who with the growth in numbers no longer have enough space available on their existing pitch in the Gaels, the development of sports at this proposed location on Drumfinn Road will give passive security to the Park & encourage users of the Park to utilise that end of Californian Hills.

Q.94 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON

To ask the Chief Executive to review this: I recently met representatives from Camac Park Bluebell Dublin 12 with Cllr Sophie Nicoulaud in relation to the physical state of the area, see below the main problems which need the following work done:

- A. The Road surfaces are in a shocking state needs urgent re-surfacing which was promised to be done this year
- B. All the gully`s are totally blocked both with the City & SDCC administrative areas resulting in flooding right throughout the winter, they need urgent attention.
- C. Footpath`s over grown with shuddery growth from adjoining business at the back of the BOOC Gases.
- D. Car`s parked along Double Yellow lines at the above location non enforcement of Road Traffic regulations resulting in Children travelling to St Kilian`s School at JFK Industrial Estate having to walk on the Road as there is little public paths available with Parking.
- E. The Whole area is screaming out for a maintenance programme of a couple of days & them a cleansing scheme every few months to keep the area clean & tidy.

The Bluebell Environmental Group are doing a great job in the area however some of what`s needed is outside their control. We would welcome an onsite meeting if necessary, to discuss the above issues.

Q.95 COUNCILLOR VINCENT JACKSON

To ask the Chief Executive to follow up on the following: that the over growth from the garden at **(details supplied)** be cut back as it is currently growing from the garden over the wall down towards the footpath resulting in older person`s & children cutting themselves. This bramble is like barred wire and is very dangerous with dozens of school children walking to school each day.

Q.96 LORD MAYOR PAUL MCAULIFFE

To ask the Chief Executive seek a report regarding the emergency accommodation at **(details supplied)**. Tenants have reported changes in curfew times, accessibility and worsening conditions at this location.

Q.97 LORD MAYOR PAUL MCAULIFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to investigate Dublin City Council's policy around the banned dogs list in council properties?

Presently there appears to be a discrepancy between national legislation and council policy concerning guide dogs, service dogs, and puppies in training and retired service dogs with respect to the banned list.

Q.98 LORD MAYOR PAUL MCAULIFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to seek a traffic inspection at **(details supplied)** as residents have reported journey times of up to 50 minutes for a very short journey due to issues with traffic light times.

Q.99 LORD MAYOR PAUL MCAULIFFE

To ask the Chief Executive to issue me with a report regarding the possible construction of houses at **(details supplied 1)**. Residents have heard that a number of properties are planned to house residents from **(details supplied 2)**.

Q.100 COUNCILLOR KEVIN DONOGHUE

To ask the Chief Executive if the dip on the road at 18-19 College Green, in front of the traffic lights could be fixed (please see photo attached).

Q.101 COUNCILLOR PATRICK COSTELLO

To ask the Chief Executive how many events have been in Merrion Square each month since Jan 2018 and to state how many have included a biodiversity impact assessment.

Q.102 COUNCILLOR PATRICK COSTELLO

To ask the Chief Executive what steps will be taken to protect the Flora, fauna and biodiversity in Merrion Square while being used as a fan zone part of the UEFA European cup.

Q.103 COUNCILLOR PATRICK COSTELLO

To ask the Chief Executive the total number of car park spaces available to staff at all DCC buildings and offices, and the total number of cycle parking space at all DCC buildings and offices.

Q.104 COUNCILLOR KEITH CONNOLLY

To ask the Chief Executive to outline in tabular form how much the HSE owes to Dublin City Council for the years 2014-2019 in respect of Ambulance Services.

Q.105 COUNCILLOR KEITH CONNOLLY

To ask the Chief Executive to outline in tabular form how much has been paid to National Government through equalisation in respect of Local property tax collected by Dublin City Council.

Q.106 COUNCILLOR KEITH CONNOLLY

To ask the Chief Executive to provide an update on the council question asked by me in June Q55 "To ask the Chief Executive to investigate the possibility of installing Water Stations like the below photo in Mayo" Other local authorities have begun to roll out free water stations for the public to use.

Q.107 COUNCILLOR KEITH CONNOLLY

To ask the Chief Executive to prioritise putting a ramp in for wheelchair users at **(details supplied)**.

Q.108 COUNCILLOR CLAIRE BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive for a further update on delivery of the following as agreed in the Council Budget for 2019:

- 1) Public drinking water fountains
- 2) Public toilets

Can he please provide a progress report, expected delivery dates and include the proposed locations of each.

Q.109 COUNCILLOR CLAIRE BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive what discussions have taken place with Google with regards to the Boland's Mills site in terms of the social housing provision that I understand is now to be located offsite, and the provision of cultural space which was a condition of the planning permission, what this cultural space will be used for and will it be open to the public. If the CEO has not had such discussions can he please write to Google and request this information.

Q.110 COUNCILLOR CLAIRE BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive can he please provide an update on the following:

- The Dodder Greenway
- The Sean Moore Road to Merrion Gates section of the S2S cycle route
- The Clonskeagh to City Centre cycle route - and can you please provide details of this route, timelines, designs etc.

Q.111 COUNCILLOR CLAIRE BYRNE

To ask the Chief Executive how much was spent in 2018 and 2019 on compensation and legal fees dealing with injury claims against Dublin City Council for tripping on footpaths in the City. Can he provide a report on this?

Q.112 COUNCILLOR PATRICK COSTELLO

To ask the Chief Executive the number of people registered as homeless under 26 with a history of being in the care of the state as a child, and to make a statement on the steps being taken to ensure the accuracy of the data.

Q.113 COUNCILLOR NEASA HOURIGAN

To ask the Chief Executive which streets, previously designated as either wholly or partially pedestrianised, have been up de-designated as such and opened to traffic between 2009 and 2019 in the Dublin City Council area.

Q.114 COUNCILLOR NEASA HOURIGAN

To ask the Chief Executive for a copy of an up to date map or schedule of Japanese Knotweed locations across the Dublin City Council area and what is current best practice by the council for addressing this invasive species, it's increasing presence and the resulting damage to roads, footpaths and buildings.

Q.115 COUNCILLOR NEASA HOURIGAN

To ask the Chief Executive for a copy of an up to date map or schedule of trees on council operated locations across the Dublin City Council area and what is current best practice by the council in deciding their pruning, maintenance or removal.

Q.116 COUNCILLOR NEASA HOURIGAN

To ask the Chief Executive for a copy of an up to date map or schedule of benches on council operated locations across the Dublin City Council area.

Q.117 COUNCILLOR DONNA COONEY

To ask the Chief Executive to report on progress by Dublin City planning enforcement on the compliance with An Bord Pleanála planning conditions by Clontarf Baths limited, namely access by public to the pool, cycle parking and car parking limit adherence”

Q.118 COUNCILLOR DONNA COONEY

To ask the Chief Executive to report ahead of the SPC sub-committee air quality task force for any plans for urgent remedial action to address the dangerous air pollution NO2 and PMs issue in Dublin City.

Q.119 COUNCILLOR DONNA COONEY

To ask the Chief Executive to give us a report on the progress of appointing a cycling officer and what role and support that the newly appointed officer will be afforded.

Q.120 COUNCILLOR DONNA COONEY

To ask the Chief Executive to assure the council that the public will be able to view the wonderful Macnas street pageant created for the Bramstoker festival Halloween parade this year, funded by DCC; (Especially children), as the security firm blocked every road along the route of the parade last year and the only viewing area at the O’Connell Street end of Henry street was packed with adults and unfortunately unsuitable for children to view.

Q.121 COUNCILLOR JAMES GEOGHEGAN

To ask the Chief Executive, further to question 118 on the 2nd of September 2019 and question 80 on the 17th of June 2019, if the report which was promised in the reply to be issued to me by the end of July in June and the end of September in September but has not yet in fact been issued to me, could now be supplied to me; that report was to detail in tabular form all capital expenditure on cycling between June 2014 and June 2019 by reference to each project or capital spend for each year; in tabular form all current expenditure on cycling services between June 2014 and June 2019 by reference to each specified service for each year; in tabular form all capital expenditure to date on the cycling infrastructure contained within the Dublin City Council Capital Programme 2018 -2020 and all capital expenditure outstanding by reference to project or capital spend commitment for each year.

Q.122 COUNCILLOR JAMES GEOGHEGAN

To ask the Chief Executive whether the mapping exercise for the South East Area has been completed for all land owned by DCC in the South East Area and even if it is not fully completed whether he could confirm all or any land demarcated on a map which is owned by DCC across the entire geographic area of the Poolbeg Peninsula.

Q.123 COUNCILLOR JAMES GEOGHEGAN

To ask the Chief Executive if he could confirm for each service listed in tabular form, the total amount in euro that has been estimated is necessary to provide for the proposed service and confirm for each service promised in the Dublin Agreement which service formed part of the overall consideration in preparing the Draft Budget Strategy for Financial Year 2020.

DUBLIN AGREEMENT PROMISED SERVICE	Estimated provision for operational budget 2020	Estimated provision for capital budget 2020	Whether service formed part of consideration for Draft Budget Strategy for Financial Year 2020. y/n
a five year flat complex refurbishment programme			
Playground Building Fund			
ensure that a minimum of 7% of Dublin City Council housing is fully accessible			
an audit of current housing stock, its level of accessibility and its level of occupancy			
establish a construction apprenticeship employment programme to ensure the steady inflow of qualified staff into these services			
ensure rental and planning enforcement complaints are acted on within two weeks, and that both complainants and landlords receive copies of all correspondence issued by the Council			
Believe that local authority tenants must be afforded access to an independent complaints body.			
a 'Living over the shop' scheme and Living Cities initiative for businesses and establish a one-stop-shop facility for city building owners who wish to make effective use of vacant over the shop spaces			

a new "empty nester" scheme			
older council owned buildings and housing need into compliance with accessibility and high energy rating standards			
Establish a fully-resourced traffic calming project office and area based improvement schemes city-wide.			
Will reform and fully resource the Traffic Advisory Group.			
free public transport for all in Dublin			
a Pedestrian Strategy for Dublin city			
significant funding for the maintenance of cycle routes			
Expand responsibility of DCC Cycling Office to include pedestrians and vulnerable road users and provide it with sufficient funding, staffing, resources and powers to influence city planning.			
investing in the Safe Routes to School programme			
Increase segregated bike lanes and 2,000 additional bike parking spaces every year, we will roll out contraflow cycle lanes; and change six day bike lanes to seven day operation.			
Electrification of our public transport and the provision of 24 hour routes.			
increase access to EV charging points across the city			
A new street warden role, of bike lanes, parking on footpaths etc. and increase resources			

to public domain units.			
A study of traffic control measures for the city centre, including measures such as a congestion charge for the core city centre, measures against the most polluting vehicles, and an ultra-low emissions zone.			
deliver 5% cultural, creative community space within the city			
Directly employed DCC community art and craft skill tutors.			
every schoolchild receives a library card in their first year of primary school			
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Providing outdoor swimming areas on the Royal Canal in the North Docklands, the River Liffey			
Funding of Dublin City Beta projects and actively seek to implement its proposals and strategies.			
a review of street clutter in every ward			
Fund a 'Brighter Greener Streets' campaign to improve public lighting and a replacement programme of older style sodium lamps with LED lamps.			
more free dog poo scooper bins			
increasing the number of litter wardens			
Instigate a Street Wardens role that would allow Council staff to			

improve city streets by actioning policy on parking, waste, and accessibility.			
all city council services are delivered by those in direct- employment and where not, that procurement procedures stipulates that all suppliers, contractors and sub-contractors recognise trade unions for collective bargaining purposes and where cases of bogus self-employment are found, commercial contracts with the city council will be invalidated.			
We will undertake an audit of all DCC procured services with a view to then assessing the cost effectiveness of direct employment in the provision of these services.			
increase funding for the LEO Circular Economy action programme			
will re-establish the EU Office in Dublin City Council			
an audit of Dublin City Council gender pay equality			
An apprenticeship scheme across all appropriate sections of Dublin City Council.			
a mapping exercise to identify mobile phone and broadband black spots			
Establish an anti-social behaviour unit to address drug dealing and illegal dumping.			
a review to cut down on bicycle theft			

Increase the amount of recycling sites in the city with an aim to have a bottle bank no less than 1 km from any resident and provide a common design standard (including signage) for such sites.			
Provide for source separation of recyclable materials and food waste for Dublin City Council's public bin system.			
Provide water fountains across the city.			
Publicly provided waste collection services.			
reintroduce the annual household junk collection service			
reintroduce the low-income household waiver on green and brown bins			
increase the number of litter wardens in the City			
provide more bins			
every LEA should have a minimum of 2 authorised officers available to tackle illegal dumping			
increase resources to the Green Dog Walking Campaign			

Q.124 COUNCILLOR NAOISE Ò MUIRÌ

To ask the Chief Executive the following: the resident at **(details supplied)** has applied both to DCC and St Anne's via email to go on a waiting list for an allotment at St Anne's but her emails remain unacknowledged.

Can the CEO:

- Ensure her interest is acknowledged and she is put on the relevant waiting list
- Provide DCC contact details for checking status in this regard.

Q.125 COUNCILLOR NAOISE Ò MUIRÌ

To ask the Chief Executive please organise for the abandoned car **(details supplied)** at the junction of Calderwood Avenue and Sion Hill Road to be removed as it is causing a hazard for drivers exiting at this point. Can the CEO provide an update on my previous request for double-yellows/single white line at this location to deal with the visibility issue?

Q.126 COUNCILLOR NAOISE Ò MUIRÌ

To ask the Chief Executive to fix the stop/yield sign at the location where Carberry Road exits onto Glandore Road was recently damaged when hit by a vehicle - can the CEO please organise for it to be repaired or replaced.

Q.127 COUNCILLOR NAOISE Ò MUIRÌ

To ask the Chief Executive to review this matter: In the last number of weeks there has been a major increase in traffic congestion on the eastern end of Griffith Avenue particularly at morning and evening peak. I believe this is cause in part by signal sequencing issues at the (very welcome) upgrading of the Griffith Avenue/Philipsburgh Avenue junction to provide better pedestrian crossing facilities. In my view the problems are caused by (a) insufficient time being given to traffic travelling east/west and (b) a phasing issue with the new right-hand-turn filter onto Glandore Road when travelling west. Can the CEO organise an urgent review of the current situation with a view to fine-tuning signal time allocations and sequencing.

Q.128 COUNCILLOR TINA MACVEIGH

To ask the Chief Executive whether the Local Authority operates any services/policies/funding streams or supports specifically directed towards young people, including grants operated by the local authority that might be available to young people's services/community groups.

Q.129 COUNCILLOR TINA MACVEIGH

To ask the Chief Executive that the heating and hot water system of our tenant at **(details supplied)** be repaired as a matter of urgency and this councillor provided with a full update report. Our tenant reports having had no heating or hot water all of last winter.

Q.130 COUNCILLOR TINA MACVEIGH

To ask the Chief Executive to conduct an urgent survey of the traffic lights at the junction of Concolbert and SCR (driving north). Residents and local school report two issues: insufficient time for green light on pedestrian crossing to allow families with young children to cross safely; lack of clarity that arrow for left turning remains red while lights for straight on have turned green as cars frequently turn on the red arrow, recently a child who was crossing narrowly escaped serious injury.

Q.131 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL PIDGEON

To ask the Chief Executive how did Dublin City Council assess the need for the developers to pay a financial contribution in lieu of public green space?

Q.132 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL PIDGEON

To ask the Chief Executive how much will Dublin City Council receive (or has it received) for each of these developments in lieu of public green space

Q.133 COUNCILLOR MICHAEL PIDGEON

To ask the Chief Executive if any monies received as part of financial contributions in lieu of green space have been earmarked for any specific areas or projects.

Q.134 COUNCILLOR JAMES GEORGHEGAN

To ask the Chief Executive if he could confirm whether Dublin City Council have any role in the drawdown of €150,000.00 Sports Grant awarded to Clanna Gael GAA club; if it has a role and has not completed whatever processes are necessary for the drawdown to take place if he could confirm when this will be finished as the club are

anxious that the failure to draw down the capital grant in a timely manner could have further consequences to other grants contingent on the funding.

Q.135 COUNCILLOR MARY FREEHILL

To ask the Chief Executive to please state the list of EU funded projects engaged by Dublin City Council. Specifically I wish to know what applications has been made under the Urban Innovation Actions, Inter Reg and COSME please.

Q.136 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON

To ask the Chief Executive for an expected completion date for the Rutland Street schools development?

Q.137 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON

To ask the Chief Executive if members of senior management within in DCC have had discussions with any individual or organisation or State body with regards to possible developments on the site of the former Magdalene Laundry on Sean McDermott St.

- To ask if DCC could apply for state funding to advance the memorial promised by An Taoiseach Enda Kenny to survivors during his State apology in 2013.
- To ask if DCC would see potential in utilising the well preserved chapel of this site for artistic events.

Q.138 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON

To ask the Chief Executive if Sanderly Holdings, who are proposing the development of the former Denis Mahoney Garage in Glasnevin village have a licence for the removal of Japanese knotweed from the site?

Q.139 COUNCILLOR GARY GANNON

To ask the Chief Executive that Dublin City Council engages once more with Glasnevin Cemetery in order that they may provide greater lighting from their buildings on to the adjoining Finglas Road. The area is quite simply too dark which will once more become a problem as the darker nights emerge.

Q.140 COUNCILLOR JANET HORNER

To ask the Chief Executive for a full list of developments which have paid financial compensation in lieu of providing open space since 2016 under the Development Contribution Scheme.

Q.141 COUNCILLOR JANET HORNER

To ask the Chief Executive how the public sector duty detailed in Section 42 of the Irish Human Rights and Equality Commission Act 2014 is applied to investment and planning in transport and the public realm - particularly in the context of the stark disparity of men and women cycling in Dublin and with regard to the mobility needs of those with disabilities?

Q.142 COUNCILLOR JANET HORNER

To ask the Chief Executive to detail all adult sporting events and supporters events supported by Dublin City Council including costs breakdown in 2018 and 2019 to date?

Q.143 COUNCILLOR JANET HORNER

To ask the Chief Executive to outline what supports are provided by the Council, or are planned for, to prevent homelessness to tenants affected by prohibition notices issued on their rental property, including HAP tenants?

Q.144 COUNCILLOR RAY MCADAM

To ask the Chief Executive, now that **(details supplied)** has been vacated, to detail what the next steps are in advancing their redevelopment, the indicative dates for the advancement of a planning application, the opportunity for detailed and meaningful public consultation and the projected timeline for the completion of the project; and if he will make a statement on the matter?

Q.145 COUNCILLOR RAY MCADAM

To ask the Chief Executive to commit to the holding a comprehensive consultation plan across **(details supplied)** to enable a district wide traffic management plan to be prepared, adopted and implemented given the continued growth of the area and the ongoing challenges being experienced by local householders in accessing their homes, navigating their way past illegally parked vehicles, the increase in volume of traffic using local roads and the resultant cause of concern about pedestrian, especially child safety; and if he will make a statement on the matter?

Q.146 COUNCILLOR RAY MCADAM

To ask the Chief Executive to arrange for the following works to be carried out in **(details supplied)**:

- Thorough scutching of the cobble lock in the Centre of the estate
- Thorough cleaning of all shores in the estate and on surrounding laneways off **(details supplied)**
- The locating of half barrel planters at the entrance to and various locations within **(details supplied)**
- The repair of damaged footpaths within **(details supplied)**
- The power-washing of the kerbing within **(details supplied)**

Q.147 COUNCILLOR RAY MCADAM

To ask the Chief Executive to indicate when he expects a formal decision to be taken in respect of a request for Permit Parking on **(details supplied)**; and if he will make a statement on the matter?

Q.148 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY

To ask the Chief Executive to provide an update on the 'legal lacuna' in relation to the Control of Horse Drawn Carriages bye-laws? I'm aware legal advice was sought from the Office of the Attorney General. Has this advice been received and if not, do we have indicative timelines for receiving the advice.

Q.149 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY

To ask the Chief Executive given the delays in publishing newly submitted planning applications on the Dublin City Council website due to resource issues, is it possible that applicants can be requested to also lodge all documents in electronic form? This would remove the need to scan all documentation and speed up the process. The statutory limitation on the time period for submitting observations puts pressure on residents engaging with the process and having the documents available online for the maximum period possible will assist residents. Can the Chief Executive consider this request?

Q.150 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY

To ask the Chief Executive in relation to the following request: I have been informed that the generic email address for all councillors (everyone_councillors) is not a public email address and cannot be advertised. Can the Chief Executive explain why

a facility which enables easier communications between constituents and their elected representatives cannot be advertised?

Q.151 COUNCILLOR CIERAN PERRY

To ask the Chief Executive as part of the ongoing public domain improvements in the city, can the Chief Executive outline any plans for the installation of benches in public areas to encourage Dubliners and tourists to relax and enjoy our beautiful city?

Q.152 COUNCILLOR DAMIAN O'FARRELL

To ask the Chief Executive to report on the following please:

There is a 'coal' laneway with its entrance adjacent to **(details supplied 1)** that runs to the rear of properties at **(details supplied 2)**. A locked door has been erected to the rear of **(details supplied 1)** which in effect blocks rear laneway access to several properties at **(details supplied 3)**. These properties on **(details supplied 3)** now have no uninterrupted access to their rear garden access gates and there is also a concern this could cause statute of limitation planning difficulties and property valuation issues in the future. Can the CEO answer the following please?

Is the aforementioned laneway 'in charge' by Dublin City Council?

Has the public right of way been extinguished in respect of this laneway?

If the public right of way has not been extinguished at this location what action does DCC intend to take to recover the public right of way and remove the aforementioned door?

And also if the public right of way has not been extinguished to request that DCC ensures that a fence is erected between the laneway and **(details supplied 1)** both at the beginning of the laneway and to the rear of this property.

Q.153 COUNCILLOR DAMIAN O'FARRELL

To ask the Chief Executive to organise the provision of carriageway ramps at **(details supplied 1)** please. The entrance to **(details supplied 2)** Community Unit is situated inside **(details supplied 1)** and the increase in traffic has many residents fearful of a life altering accident occurring.

Q.154 COUNCILLOR DAMIAN O'FARRELL

To ask the Chief Executive to organise the provision of carriageway ramps at **(details supplied)** please. This carriageway is used as a rat-run and is extremely busy. Residents with young children are fearful of a life altering accident occurring near the green area on this area.

Q.155 COUNCILLOR DAMIAN O'FARRELL

To ask the Chief Executive to organise the cleaning of the property side shores at **(details supplied)**. There is vegetation growing out of the shores and residents would appreciate early attention please

Q.156 COUNCILLOR HAZEL CHU

To ask the Chief Executive to set out in tabular form the duration for accessing emergency accommodation for families accommodated at the end of August and at the end of September and the same information for those families in 'own door' accommodation.

Q.157 COUNCILLOR HAZEL CHU

To ask the Chief Executive the number the number of trees planted by the council and the number of trees cut down by the council in 2018 and the first 6 months of 2019.

Q.158 COUNCILLOR HAZEL CHU

To ask the Chief Executive to detail what systems are in place for monitoring biodiversity in our city's parks?

Q.159 COUNCILLOR HAZEL CHU

To ask the Chief Executive the number of hotels and aparthotels that have been granted planning permission, broken down by post code in each of the last 24 months.

Q.160 COUNCILLOR MARY FITZPATRICK

To ask the Chief Executive to please provide report of number of voids in Dublin Central, address of each of them, when they were last occupied and when they will be allocated? Which contractors are engaged to ready units for rent?

Q.161 COUNCILLOR MARY FITZPATRICK

To ask the Chief Executive that an up to date report will be given regarding future plans for accommodation of older persons in the North Central area. That the report deal with the role of Approved Housing Bodies in respect of these complexes. That consideration be given to convert the dwellings in St. Anne's Court, Raheny, from two units into one.

Q.162 COUNCILLOR MARY FITZPATRICK

To ask the Chief Executive if brambles and overgrowth growing on the public grass verge at **(details supplied)** which is encroaching the adjacent public footpath can be cut back as it is impeding pedestrians.

Q.163 COUNCILLOR MARY FITZPATRICK

To ask the Chief Executive to confirm when Wellington Street Upper will be resurfaced?

Q.164 COUNCILLOR SOPHIE NICOULLAUD

To ask the Chief Executive to organise a program to make sure all public places (such as graveyard, schools, parks, libraries, sports clubs etc...) are kept clear of illegal dumping. That in particular a program be put in place to secure Bluebell graveyard is kept free of illegal dumping at all time. I am well aware that illegal dumping is happening everywhere and that the council is constantly chasing it but we need to have priorities.

Q.165 COUNCILLOR SOPHIE NICOULLAUD

To ask the Chief Executive to put in CCTV to secure Bluebell Graveyard. Families expressed the wish to maintain the gate open 24h/day and now a solution needs to be put in place to secure the graveyard after being vandalised only last year.

Q.166 COUNCILLOR SOPHIE NICOULLAUD

To ask the Chief Executive to set up and engage in a positive communication campaign about weeds left growing in the city where before dangerous weed-killers were used to remove the weeds. This would make for better acceptance from the residents of weed growing. People are confused and don't understand why DCC leaves weed growing and think it looks dirty. Mind-sets needs to be changed to go against using dangerous weed-killers and this is the role of DCC to communicate in

an effective way the negative impact caused by such weed-killers and the positive impact of not using such weed-killers.

Q.167 COUNCILLOR SOPHIE NICOULLAUD

To ask the Chief Executive to give the California Hills in Ballyfermot the park status.