

**CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
COISTE AN LÁRCHEANTAR**

CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday 11th June, 2013 at 2.30 p.m.

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Motions

5615 Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke

That this Committee requests a review into the highly controversial proposal that is being put forward by the executive of the Grangegorman Development Agency to place a sorting and crushing dump next to Grangegorman Villas and school given the concerns of local residents who have not been consulted.

5616 Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke

That this Committee agrees to put HGV restrictions in place along East Wall Road, to reinstall the gantry barrier which was removed in 2012 along East Wall Road and Alfie Byrne Road and also to install electronic message boards at Poplar Row and at the junction of East Wall Road and Alfie Byrne Road.

5617 Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke

That this Committee calls on the Office of Public Works to open the Croppies Acre, Dublin 7 and that CCTV be installed to prevent alleged anti-social behaviour.

5618 Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke

That this Committee thanks the City Manager for all the help and support to Sheriff F.C. in the build up to the final game and congratulates Sheriff F.C. for reaching the final on June 2nd. This Committee also asks if the Lord Mayor would consider a special thanks to Sheriff F.C.

5619 Motion in the name of Councillor Seamas McGrattan

That this Committee calls on Dublin Bus to include Croke Park Stadium & Museum, Glasnevin Cemetery & Museum, The Botanic Gardens on the Dublin Bus Tour Route. These are places of national and international interest and would generate employment and enhance tourism in Dublin.

5620 Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That this Committee supports the rededication of the Monument of Light on O'Connell Street and the plaza surrounding it as a National Monument to all who have served this nation on peace keeping missions overseas.

5621 Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That this Committee calls on the issues regarding clustering of facilities for drug treatment in the Inner City to be addressed in advance of any changes to drug treatment regimes including the proposed introduction of safer injecting rooms.

5622 Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That this Committee expresses concerns over the increase in anti-social behaviour in the Dublin 7 and Dublin 1 areas and calls on the implementation of the proposals arrived at through the "Better City for All" Report of 2012 in order to combat this behaviour.

5623 Motion in the name of Councillor Pdraig McLoughlin

That this Committee calls for a formal re-appraisal of the O'Devaney Gardens masterplan to lead to a masterplan which reflects recent developments and outlines long term and short term objectives for uses of the site.

5624 Motion in the name of Councillor Anna Quigley

That this Committee welcomes the ongoing work of the Better City For All group and the recent launch of the report on Needle Exchange services in Merchants Quay.

5625 Motion in the name of Councillor Anna Quigley

That this Committee congratulates Sheriff Youth on another FAI Cup Final this year and on organising huge community involvement in festivities on the day.

5626 Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee calls on the Department of Education to reconsider the policies which may lead to the loss of one permanent teacher at St Joseph's Co-Educational School, Eastwall, Dublin 3, especially in circumstances where numbers are only three short of the required figure given that the numbers will increase and meet the required target following September enrolment.

5627 Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee congratulates Musical Youth Foundation Children's Charity on their 7th Anniversary and supports and encourages their continued growth, and wishes them every success as they continue to expand and offer opportunities to children to participate in music and singing classes.

5628 Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee congratulates all involved in making Africa Day 2013 a great success and looks forward to a similar event showcasing the best African culture can offer to Ireland in 2013.

5629 Motion in the name of Councillor Cieran Perry

That this Committee requests the installation of railings around the Senior Citizens Complex in St. Finbarr's Court. Previous plans for the installation of railings were put on hold as this Complex was due to be renovated but renovation is unlikely to occur in the current economic climate. Some of the residents of this Complex are very vulnerable and the continuing anti-social behaviour could be alleviated by the installation of the railings.

5630 Motion in the name of Councillor Cieran Perry

That this Committee requests that the Manager writes to the Presidents of the relevant Courts to highlight the difficulties being experienced by Dublin City Council in prosecuting individuals suspected of illegally dumping.

5631 Motion in the name of Councillor Cieran Perry

That this Committee calls on Dublin City Council to review the opening hours of the Grangegorman Recycling Centre to accommodate working people wishing to recycle. Closing half day on Friday and particularly all day Saturday is unacceptable in this day and age. User friendly opening hours on weekends will encourage recycling and discourage illegal dumping.

5632 Motion in the name of Councillor Ray McAdam

That the Central Area Committee calls on the Minister for Education & Skills to review the proposed staffing levels for the forthcoming academic year for St. Joseph's Co-Ed National School so that no reductions in the teaching staff take place.

5633 Motion in the name of Councillor Nial Ring

That this Area Committee condemns the proposed cut in teacher numbers at St. Joseph's Co-ed School, East Wall and calls on the Minister for Education to reverse this cut, not only on the basis of its inequity and the detrimental effect it would have on the school, but also on the basis that such a cut would, based on pupil numbers, be, in any event, reversed for the following year and that any standard cost/benefit analysis would conclude that a one teacher/one year cut does not make economic, financial or strategic sense even ignoring the disruption it would cause to the smooth and efficient running of the school.

5634 Motion in the name of Councillor Nial Ring

That this Committee agrees that a survey be carried out, in consultation and agreement with the Principal of St. Joseph's Co-ed school East Wall, to ascertain what directional signage is required to publicise and direct the public to the school.

5635 Motion in the name of Councillor Nial Ring

That this Committee requests the Manager to apply to the Place names Branch of the Ordnance Survey Ireland, (official body for determining the correct Irish version of all place names throughout the country) requesting a review of the Irish language version of Ballybough being Bailebocht. In this review, the Place names branch should be requested to take the following into account to ensure a correct determination of the translation:

a. The Irish name originates from the ancient name of the area, namely Mud Island, coming from its topography and supported by its location in part of the lands of St Mary's Abbey (founded 1139) called Crinan (dry or decaying wood or a bog area).

b. The area would have been soft mudlands and thus Bailebog would have been a correct Irish name (further indication of the name is found in a 1488 publication "Riding of the Franchises" where the English spelling is Bailiboght – not bocht) and this would have been the origin of the anglicised name of Ballybough).

c. It would appear from a and b above that while the original Irish name (Bailebog/Bailiboght) was translated to Ballybough, somehow the English translation was then retranslated back into Irish incorrectly. (effectively inserting a c rather than the original g)

d. The Irish version, translating to English as "poortown" is considered offensive by many native Ballyboughers and Dubliners alike given that the area is, in fact, rich in history, culture and heritage.

5636 Motion in the name of Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

That this Committee calls on the Elected Members of the Central Area to request Dublin Bus to provide an update on the provision of Dublin Bus services for Mountjoy Square and Croke Park. In the report we request Dublin Bus to outline the level of bus service and timetable for same.

5637 Motion in the name of Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

In light of the policy decision of the Minister for the Office of Public Works to allow the Phoenix Park to be used by private companies for major events e.g. Bloom, rock concerts etc, that this Committee calls on the OPW to review the Community Liaison arrangements in place for residents around Croke Park and other major venues and to outline what measures the OPW will put in place to engage with local residents, recognise their year round support for the Park and facilitate their inclusion in these major events.

Next Meeting Tuesday 9th July, 2013

CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF MOTIONS AND QUESTIONS

12 noon on Thursday 28th June., 2013

**CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
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CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday 14th May, 2013 at 2.30 p.m.

Minutes

- 5571** Minutes of the Central Area Committee meeting held on 9th April, 2013.
ORDER: Agreed.
- 5572** Questions to the Area Manager
ORDER: Noted.
- 5573** With reference to a presentation by the RPA on Luas Cross City
ORDER: Presentation Noted.
- 5574** With reference to a presentation by Dublin Port Authority on Dublin Port Masterplan.
ORDER: Presentation Noted.

Planning and Development Matters

- 5575** With reference to a recommendation for the initiation of the procedure for the addition of '1 Mary Street, Dublin 1' to the Record of Protected Structures in accordance with Section 54 and 55 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000.
ORDER: Agreed to initiate procedure.
- 5576** With further reference to a recommendation for an amendment of the current entry for St. Patrick's College, Drumcondra Upper, Dublin 9 to add the protection of the stone boundary walls, main entrance and gate lodge to the Record of Protected Structures in accordance with Section 54 and 55 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000
ORDER: Agreed. Recommend to City Council.
- 5577** With further reference to a recommendation for the addition of the 'Convent, St Laurence Place East, Dublin 1' to the Record of Protected Structures in accordance with Section 54 and 55 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000.
ORDER: Agreed. Recommend to City Council.
- 5578** With reference to the proposed variation of the zoning of lands at Annesley Motors, Ballybough Road, Dublin 3.
ORDER: Agreed to initiate the procedure for variation of zoning of lands.
- 5579** With reference to the proposed granting of a three year sublease in Unit 3, Killarney Court, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1 to the Community Policing Forum.
ORDER: Agreed. Recommend to City Council.
- 5580** With reference to a proposed grant of a licence of parts of a premises at Ballybough Community Centre, Ballybough Road, Dublin 1 to the Ballybough Youth Project Limited.
ORDER: Agreed. Recommend to City Council.

Cultural Recreation and Amenity Department Matters

- 5581** With reference to Public Library Events for May 2013 in the Central Area
ORDER: Report noted.

Roads & Traffic Department Matters

- 5582** With reference to the minutes of the Traffic Advisory Group held on 25th April, 2013.
ORDER: Report noted.

- 5583** With reference to the proposed initiation of the Part 8 procedure for the Blackhorse Avenue - Section 2, Road Improvement Scheme, which runs from just east of the Cabra Gate entrance to the Phoenix Park to its junction with Springfield Road.
ORDER: Agreed to initiate Part 8 procedure. Noted that Members requested an estimate of costs for the remaining section of the road that is not covered under the Blackhorse Avenue, Road Improvement Scheme.

Central Area Matters

- 5584** With reference to nominations for the filling of two vacancies on the North Inner City Drugs Task Force.
ORDER: Councillor Anna Quigley was nominated by Councillor Christy Burke and seconded by Councillor Nial Ring. Councillor Pdraig McLoughlin was nominated by Councillor Ray McAdam and seconded by Councillor Lucy McRoberts.
- 5585** With further reference to a proposal to initiate the Extinguishment of the Public Right of Way over the laneway to the rear of 28-39 Abbey Street Lower, including portion to the side of 111 and 112 Marlborough Street, and 1-11 O'Connell Street Lower, known as Harbour Court, Dublin 1
ORDER: Deferred to the September meeting of the Central Area Committee in order that planned improvements to the laneway can take place and be assessed.
- 5586** With reference to Report No.4 of the North Inner City Litter Action Group.
ORDER: Report noted.
- 5587** Updates on the following:
Environmental Services Unit
NEIC IAP
North West Area (including HARP) Housing Issues
North East Inner City Housing Issues
North West Inner City Housing Issues
ORDER: Reports noted. The Cabra Office to organise an on-site meeting with the Drainage Section to discuss the problems with the Killala swale.

Motions

The following emergency motions were tabled:

Emergency Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke

That this committee calls on the Minister of Environment to lift the recruiting embargo to allow Dublin City Council to employ ex waste management staff in order to put in place with the Gardaí a covert operation in 10 hotspots in the city to try and prosecute the illegal dumpers who are destroying our city.

ORDER: Agreed with the following wording amendment "That this committee put in place with the Gardaí a covert operation in 10 hotspots in the city to try and prosecute the illegal dumpers who are destroying our city."

Emergency Motion in the name of Councillor Cieran Perry

This Committee condemns the unacceptable cut in the funding for the Housing Adaptation Grant for People with a Disability, Mobility Aids Grant and Housing Aid for Older People. This budget has been cut by 50% this year with the result that the majority of funds have already been spent or committed. Once again Senior citizens and the disabled are being targeted by the Government to pay for an economic crisis not of their making

ORDER: Agreed.

Emergency Motion in the name of Councillor Ray McAdam

That the Central Area Committee condemns the decision of the Grangegorman Development Agency to locate a rubble segregation compound to the rear of homes on Grangegorman Villas. This Committee also requests an official from the Planning Enforcement Department to attend this afternoon's meeting to provide a report as to what the Planning Scheme actually dictates in respect of this proposed compound.

ORDER: Agreed.

Emergency Motion in the names of Councillors Anna Quigley, Cieran Perry, Nial Ring and Ray McAdam

That this Committee calls on DCC to contact the HSE as a matter of urgency to implement an immediate action plan to address the infestations of rats that are affecting particular locations in the Central area

ORDER: Agreed. The members to contact the Central Area with the exact locations of the rat infestations.

5588 Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke

That this Committee agrees to request the Inland Revenue to cease sending Property Tax bills to children and in some cases Dublin City Council tenants in the city of Dublin and also that the Manager gives guidelines to tenants who receive such bills.

ORDER: Report to Councillor.

5589 Motion in the name of Councillor Ray McAdam

That the Central Area Committee questions the suitability of the Phoenix Park as a venue for large out-door music concerts. This Committee also requests the Planning Department of Dublin City Council to include planning conditions to prevent public streets becoming drinking areas, that appropriate street clean-up arrangements are put in place, that senior Garda officials are situated on main routes to and from the concert venue as part of any Event Licence should one be permitted. We further request that officials from the Planning Department would also address this Committee following a decision being made on the Event Licence application to answer questions from local Councillors.

ORDER: Report to Councillor

5590 Motion in the name of Councillor Anna Quigley

That this Committee calls on DCC to contact the OPW as a matter of urgency to make the case for the inclusion of DCC as a named agency, along with the OPW, in the proposed memo of understanding between the OPW and the Insurance Federation of Ireland in relation to provision of insurance cover for houses that have experienced flooding or are prone to flooding and also calls on DCC to provide all the necessary information in relation to flood relief and drainage improvement works carried out by DCC in the city area as required for the purposes of the negotiation of the memo of understanding.

ORDER: Report to Councillor

5591 Motion in the name of Councillor Seamas McGrattan

This Area Committee calls on DCC to re-engage with O'Devaney/Dunard FC with a view to putting a football club in the green area in Dunard

ORDER: Report to Councillor

5592 Motion in the name of Councillor Anna Quigley

This Area Committee calls on the Minister for the Environment to make an urgent response to the recent findings that 90% of private rented properties inspected by Dublin City Council were found to be unfit for habitation

ORDER: Report to Councillor

5593 Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That this Committee asks the OPW to reverse its decision to close the park at Croppies acres to the public, as this closure has not prevented the anti-social behaviour which led to the decision. We ask instead that a more active role in policing the park, in conjunction with Dublin City Council and the Gardai, be taken so that it can become an asset to the area and a suitable memorial again.

ORDER: Letter to be sent to the OPW.

5594 Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That this Committee calls on the government to amend legislation to allow Dublin City Council introduce a "Name and Shame" policy towards littering and dumping, as this is needed to tackle the ongoing problems with dumping in the North Inner City.

ORDER: Agreed. Letter to be sent to the Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government.

5595 Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That in the light of the changes in O'Devaney Gardens and the redevelopment of Grangegorman that this Committee agrees on the need for a Local Area Plan for the Manor Street/Stoneybatter/Arbor Hill area and that there is sufficient reason for it to be prioritised with a new LAP being the only way to deal with the problems and opportunities of the area in a timely manner with good planning.

ORDER: Report to Councillor.

5596 Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee calls on the Department of Education to include, or if already included to reemphasise, in the school curriculum an environmental education program which focuses on recycling. That the aim of the programme is to educate school children on the importance of recycling and the value of recycled goods and that schools should have their own recycling programme which involves the school children in a practical way.

ORDER: Letter to be sent to the Minister for Education and Skills.

5597 Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee acknowledges the tremendous work of the Dublin Dockers Preservation Society whose photo exhibitions ensure that the proud tradition of stevedoring and the rich history of the dockland communities is preserved for future generations. That this Committee congratulates the Society on organising the candle light procession and remembrance service which were a very fitting tribute to the memory of the men who worked in the Docklands.

ORDER: Agreed. Letter to be sent to the Dublin Docklands Preservation Society.

5598 Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee congratulates Future Voices Ireland, a youth empowerment human rights project, on their official launch. That this Committee congratulates all the school children taking part, who include school children from Stanhope Street Girls Secondary School and supports and encourages the continued growth and success of this project.

ORDER: Agreed. Letter to be sent to Future Voices Ireland.

5599 Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee congratulates Offbeat Ensemble on their first very successful rehearsal in St. Peter's Primary School, Phibsborough. That this Committee recognises that Offbeat Ensemble is a very welcome addition to the North Side and wishes this new community adult string orchestra, which encourages all adults from complete beginners to experienced musicians to join them, continued success.

ORDER: Agreed. Letter to be sent to Offbeat Ensemble.

5600 Motion in the names of Councillor Nial Ring and Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

Given that it will be necessary to relocate the Molly Malone statue from its current location at the bottom of Grafton Street to facilitate the upcoming Luas and Grafton Street precinct works, this Committee agrees that the statue should be permanently relocated in the Moore street/Henry Street area, a much more appropriate location for the statue, given that this area strongly reflects the spirit of the street trading history and heritage of our City.

ORDER: Motion agreed. Also agreed that this Area Committee reject the report on this motion and request that the matter be re-examined and the Councillors advised of the results of the re-examination.

5601 Motion in the name of Councillor Nial Ring

That this Committee welcomes the recent renaming of the Clonliffe & Croke Park Community Hall after Barbara Ward (R.I.P.) which is a lasting and fitting acknowledgement of Barbara's immense contribution to her community over a long number of years.

ORDER: Agreed.

5602 Motion in the name of Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

The elected members of the Central Area call on the Minister for Social Welfare to address the backlog in processing of applications and appeals for social welfare benefits and condemn the process that sees people having to beg for their entitlements.

ORDER: Agreed. Letter to be sent to the Minister for Social Protection.

5603 Motion in the name of Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

The elected members of the Central Area Committee call on the Minister with responsibility for the Phoenix Park to acknowledge the real concerns of residents in the area over concerts in the park. We call on the promoters to provide a manned free phone number so that residents can report incidents and disturbances and to employ local people/companies to provide services associated with the concerts. We call on the Gardai to provide dedicated robust policing of all residential areas surrounding the park and to ensure that public order is maintained at all times.

ORDER: Agreed: Letter to be sent to the Minister of State for Public Service Reform and the Office of Public Works. The other requests to be passed onto the Promoter, the Gardai and Dublin City Council Planning Department for their consideration

ATTENDANCE

Cllr. Seamas McGrattan (Chairperson)

Cllr. Aine Clancy (Vice Chairperson)

Cllr. Ray McAdam

Cllr. Christy Burke

Cllr. Mary Fitzpatrick

Cllr. Cieran Perry

Cllr. Nial Ring
Cllr. Anna Quigley
Cllr. Pdraig McLoughlin
Cllr. Lucy McRoberts
Cllr. Mary O'Shea

Cllr Mannix Flynn

Officials

Charlie Lowe, Executive Manager, Central Area
Brendan Hayden, Senior Executive Officer, Central Area
Fergus Synnott, Administrative Officer, Central Area
Chris Butler, Area Housing Manager, Central Area
Brian Kavanagh, Area Housing Manager, Central Area
Sean Smith, Area Housing Manager, Central Area
John McPartlan, Public Domain Officer, Central Area
John O'Hara, Acting Deputy Planning Officer, Planning Department
Patricia Hyde, Senior Planner, Conservation Section
Avo deBarra, Systems Officer, Luas Cross City Liaison Office
Seamus Duffy, Senior Executive Engineer, Road Design
Ronan O'Dea, Senior Engineer, Road Construction
Kieran McGlynn, Senior Executive Engineer, Traffic Management and Control
Eoin Walsh, Executive Engineer, Traffic Management and Control
Cathy Cassidy, Acting Senior Staff Officer, Central Area
Sandra Walley, Assistant Staff Officer, Central Area

Councillor Seamas McGrattan

Chairperson

14th May, 2013

Motions with replies
Central Area Committee Meeting
May, 2013

Item 5588

Motion in the name of Councillor Christy Burke

That this Committee agrees to request the Inland Revenue to cease sending Property Tax bills to children and in some cases Dublin City Council tenants in the city of Dublin and also that the Manager gives guidelines to tenants who receive such bills

Report

As part of the process for the application of the Local Property Tax to local authority residential property, Dublin City Council provided the Revenue Commissioners with a full database of Council owned properties. This was, inter alia, to ensure that Dublin City Council tenants would not be issued with the standard Revenue Commissioners letter which was issued to all residential property owners regarding their property valuations and their liability to pay the LPT.

In developing their own database for the LPT, the Revenue Commissioners has correlated our database with their Geo-directory which appears to have resulted in some imperfect matches of properties. As a result some Dublin City Council tenants have incorrectly received letters from the Revenue Commissioners. Similar problems have been experienced throughout the country and the City and County Managers' Association have informed the Revenue Commissioners of same.

A letter was received from the Revenue Commissioners clearly stating that recipients should contact them to remedy or clarify any matters and that this position should be maintained by Local Authority staff should they be contacted by any of their tenants in receipt of Revenue Commissioner letters. The Revenue Commissioners undertook to remedy any such matters. The letter further stated that Local Authority Management should ensure that the principle of the Revenue Commissioners acting as the point of contact for all queries is maintained.

Item 5589

Motion in the name of Councillor Ray McAdam

That the Central Area Committee questions the suitability of the Phoenix Park as a venue for large out-door music concerts. This Committee also requests the Planning Department of Dublin City Council to include planning conditions to prevent public streets becoming drinking areas, that appropriate street clean-up arrangements are put in place, that senior Garda officials are situated on main routes to and from the concert venue as part of any Event Licence should one be permitted. We further request that officials from the Planning Department would also address this Committee following a decision being made on the Event Licence application to answer questions from local Councillors.

Report:

The Planning Department note the Councillors requests in connection with the proposed concerts in the Phoenix Park. Dublin City Council cannot put conditions on a licence application to prevent drinking on public streets. This is a matter for An Garda Síochána to enforce as to our knowledge drinking on public streets constitutes illegal behaviour. A detailed Security Plan and Garda Operations Plan covering policing/ stewarding of the event and the residential areas surrounding the Phoenix Park is being finalised by An Garda Síochána and the Promoter. No decision will be made relating to the licence application until an appropriate security operations plan is completed and signed off by An Garda Síochána and the Promoter. Conditions relating to street clean up will be put on any event licence if granted. Litter prevention and collection plans will include the residential areas outside and adjacent to the Phoenix Park should a licence be granted for the concerts.

An update on the event licensing application will be given at the next meeting of the Central Area JPC which is being held on the 17th June 2013.

Item 5590

Motion in the name of Councillor Anna Quigley

That this Committee calls on DCC to contact the OPW as a matter of urgency to make the case for the inclusion of DCC as a named agency, along with the OPW, in the proposed memo of understanding between the OPW and the Insurance Federation of Ireland in relation to provision of insurance cover for houses that have experienced flooding or are prone to flooding and also calls on DCC to provide all the necessary information in relation to flood relief and drainage improvement works carried out by DCC in the city area as required for the purposes of the negotiation of the memo of understanding.

Report

Having contacted the OPW, it has advised that the question of Dublin City Council (DCC) and the other 30 plus Local Authorities' possible involvement in the discussions of the joint OPW/IIF Working Group was raised at an earlier meeting of the Group. It was decided that once all the information from the OPW on the flood protection afforded by its major completed river and tidal schemes was received and processed, there would be a role for more direct Local Authority involvement.

Details on completed river and tidal flood alleviation schemes such as Ennis, Clonmel and Kilkenny have been provided by the OPW to the IIF and the insurance companies in the Group and are being considered by the Group. DCC has sent on details to the OPW of the completed Tolka Scheme and some details of the partially completed Lower Dodder scheme for consideration by the Group; these are currently being converted into a format for use by the IIF and insurance companies.

DCC is co-operating with this Group by providing whatever information is requested by it. DCC is also providing letters of comfort, following completed flood alleviation schemes in the DCC area, on the request of individual property owners.

Item 5591

Motion in the name of Councillor Seamas McGrattan

This Area Committee calls on DCC to re-engage with O'Devaney/Dunard FC with a view to putting a football club in the green area in Dunard

Report

The situation at Dunard Park has not changed since previous discussions with O'Devaney / Dunard FC. The open space at Dunard Park is not considered suitable for a full size football pitch due to its current layout (the pitch would take up the entire area of the park), location within the housing estate (ten to fifteen meters from house frontage) and close proximity to the existing public road network that would hold safety issues with regard to both player/road users. The costs involved in construction would be very significant and visually it would be out of place within this residential housing scheme (it would be necessary to install ball stop fencing of sufficient height around the entire area of the park (in effect the residents would be looking into a cage in open space).

Further, although the Phoenix Park is located alongside Dunard Park there is a lack of public open space in the area and to devote the entire space to a single usage that has been found to be most inappropriate is not considered reasonable. Instead consideration should be given towards developing the open space into a multi-use residential park with a football/basketball area, tennis court, children's play area and passive open space.

Item 5592

Motion in the name of Councillor Anna Quigley

This Area Committee calls on the Minister for the Environment to make an urgent response to the recent findings that 90% of private rented properties inspected by Dublin City Council were found to be unfit for habitation

Report

Under the Inspection Programmes in 2012, the number of private rented houses inspected by Environmental Health Officers in Dublin City was 3200. The number of rented houses not meeting regulatory requirements was 2260. The number of improvement notices served was 2411. The total number of inspections undertaken was 5054. A total of 15 prohibition notices were served and 36 prosecutions were initiated. No rented houses were found to be unfit for human habitation.

Item 5593

Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That this Committee asks the OPW to reverse its decision to close the park at Croppies acres to the public, as this closure has not prevented the anti-social behaviour which led to the decision. We ask instead that a more active role in policing the park, in conjunction with Dublin City Council and the Gardai, be taken so that it can become an asset to the area and a suitable memorial again.

Report

The matter will be taken up with the OPW if the members agree the terms of the motion

Item 5594

Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That this Committee calls on the government to amend legislation to allow Dublin City Council introduce a "Name and Shame" policy towards littering and dumping, as this is needed to tackle the ongoing problems with dumping in the North Inner City.

Report

A letter will be forwarded to The Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government if the members agree the terms of the motion.

Item 5595

Motion in the name of Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

That in the light of the changes in O'Devaney Gardens and the redevelopment of Grangegorman that this Committee agrees on the need for a Local Area Plan for the Manor Street/Stoneybatter/Arbour Hill area and that there is sufficient reason for it to be prioritised with a new LAP being the only way to deal with the problems and opportunities of the area in a timely manner with good planning.

Report:

The approved City Development Plan (at paragraph 3.2.7.1) sets out a list of Local Area Plans to be prepared during the lifetime of the Development Plan, with priority being given to those LAPs which will deliver the core strategy. Seven plans were identified for prioritisation: Grangegorman SDZ, George's Quay, North Fringe, Naas Road, Ashtown/Pelletstown, Heuston and Docklands SDZ. The City Council is currently engaged on the Docklands SDZ, in addition to the Pelletstown and Heuston LAPs.

The prioritisation of the next stage of LAPs is included in a report to be considered by the Economic Development, Planning and International Relations SPC on 28TH May 2013

(deferred from the 23rd April meeting). This report recommends prioritisation on the basis of delivering the core strategy and implementing Government policy. As such, the recommendation to the SPC is that work commence on Ballymun, Cherry Orchard/Parkwest and the Liffey Corridor LAPs, once the current round of LAPs are finished. The need for an LAP for the Manor Street/Stoneybatter/Arbour Hill area could be reviewed at a later date once the prioritised LAPs are completed.

Item 5596

Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee calls on the Department of Education to include, or if already included to reemphasise, in the school curriculum an environmental education program which focuses on recycling. That the aim of the programme is to educate school children on the importance of recycling and the value of recycled goods and that schools should have their own recycling programme which involves the school children in a practical way.

Report

A letter will be forwarded to the Minister for Education and Skills if the members agree the terms of the motion.

Item 5597

Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee acknowledges the tremendous work of the Dublin Dockers Preservation Society whose photo exhibitions ensure that the proud tradition of stevedoring and the rich history of the dockland communities is preserved for future generations. That this Committee congratulates the Society on organising the candle light procession and remembrance service which were a very fitting tribute to the memory of the men who worked in the Docklands.

Report

This is a matter for the members to agree or otherwise.

Item 5598

Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee congratulates Future Voices Ireland, a youth empowerment human rights project, on their official launch. That this Committee congratulates all the school children taking part, who include school children from Stanhope Street Girls Secondary School and supports and encourages the continued growth and success of this project.

Report

This is a matter for the members to agree or otherwise.

Item 5599

Motion in the name of Councillor Lucy McRoberts

That this Committee congratulates Offbeat Ensemble on their first very successful rehearsal in St. Peter's Primary School, Phibsborough. That this the Committee recognises that Offbeat Ensemble is a very welcome addition to the North Side and wishes this new community adult string orchestra, which encourages all adults from complete beginners to experienced musicians to join them, continued success.

Report

This is a matter for the members to agree or otherwise.

Item 5600

Motion in the names of Councillor Nial Ring and Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

Given that it will be necessary to relocate the Molly Malone statue from its current location at the bottom of Grafton Street to facilitate the upcoming Luas and Grafton Street precinct works, this Committee agrees that the statue should be permanently relocated in the Moore street/Henry Street area, a much more appropriate location for the statue, given that this area strongly reflects the spirit of the street trading history and heritage of our City.

Report

The Public Art Advisory Group (PAAG) met on Monday 4th March. The statue of Molly Malone was discussed at this meeting and it was agreed that rather than being put in storage for five years while Luas Cross City was being developed (as permitted in the Railway Order), it would be preferable to find a temporary site for the statue. It was agreed by the PAAG that a temporary location in the Grafton Street area seemed most suitable and the Grafton Street project team are currently seeking to confirm an appropriate location near Grafton Street. Councillors will be kept informed of developments.

Item 5601

Motion in the name of Councillor Nial Ring

That this Committee welcomes the recent renaming of the Clonliffe & Croke Park Community Hall after Barbara Ward (R.I.P.) which is a lasting and fitting acknowledgement of Barbara's immense contribution to her community over a long number of years.

Report

This is a matter for the members to agree or otherwise.

Item 5602

Motion in the name of Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

The elected members of the Central Area call on the Minister for Social Welfare to address the backlog in processing of applications and appeals for social welfare benefits and condemn the process that sees people having to beg for their entitlements.

Report

A letter will be forwarded to the Minister for Social Protection if the members agree the terms of the motion.

Item 5603

Motion in the name of Councillor Mary Fitzpatrick

The elected members of the Central Area Committee call on the Minister with responsibility for the Phoenix Park to acknowledge the real concerns of residents in the area over concerts in the park. We call on the promoters to provide a manned free phone number so that residents can report incidents and disturbances and to employ local people/companies to provide services associated with the concerts. We call on the Gardai to provide dedicated robust policing of all residential areas surrounding the park and to ensure that public order is maintained at all times.

Report

A letter will be forwarded to the Minister of State for Public Service Reform and the Office of Public Works if members agree the terms of the motion.

The other requests will be passed onto the Promoter, the Gardai and Dublin City Council Planning Department for their consideration.

27 May 2013

**To the Chairperson and Members
Of the Central Area Committee**

RE: Enforcement Report for January - March 2013 for the Central Area

The following is a summary of enforcement activity in the Central Committee Area for the period January - March 2013: -

- Number of new complaints opened – 59
- Number of Warning Letters issued – 67
- Number of Enforcement Notices issued – 7
- Number of referrals to the District Court for prosecution – 1
- Number of files closed/resolved – 49

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NEW COMPLAINTS 1ST MARCH TO 31ST MARCH 2013

Location	Complaint	Date Opened
18, Whitworth Road, Dublin 9	Garage used for habitation	10/01/2013
Botanic House, 22, 24 & 26, Botanic Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Banner	11/01/2013
Bachelors Inn Public House, 31 Bachelors Walk, Dublin 1	Sign	14/01/2013
Arlington Hotel, 23-25, Bachelors Walk, Dublin 1	Sign	14/01/2013
5, Northbrook Avenue Upper, Dublin 3	Extension	15/01/2013
AIB Bank, 37-38 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin 1	Roof Fence	16/01/2013
47, Henry Street, Dublin 1	Signage	23/01/2013
10, Summer Street North, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Subdivision	21/01/2013
28, Bengal Terrace, Finglas Road, Dublin 11	Rear Structure used for habitation	23/01/2013
119, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Mezzanine Levels Inserted in Flats	25/01/2013
30, Nottingham Street, North Strand, Dublin 3	Satellite Dish	28/01/2013
6, Linenhall Terrace, Dublin 7	Satellite dish	04/02/2013
2a, Hollybank Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Trees	05/02/2013
8, Brigids Road Upper, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Works commenced Prior to Final Grant	05/02/2013
36, O'Connell Street Upper, Dublin 1	Change of Use	06/02/2013
63 Middle Abbey Street, Dublin 1	Signage	06/02/2013
Site@375A Blackhorse Avenue, Dublin 7	Vehicular Access	08/02/2013
575, North Circular Road, Dublin 1	Signage	11/02/2013
39, Summer Street North, Dublin 1	Signage	18/02/2013
41, Summer Street North, Dublin 1	Signage	18/02/2013
Homefarm Football Club, Swords Road, Dublin 9	Bar and Music Venue	25/02/2013
Supermacs, 45-46, O'Connell Street Lower, Dublin 1	Signage	26/02/2013
Junction of Abbey St Upr & Jervis Lane Lower, Dublin 1	Car Park	27/02/2013
98 Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
98A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
100A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
102, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
96, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
96A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
95A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
94, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
94A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
93, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013

93A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
Murrays Bar, 33-34 O'Connell Street Upper, Dublin 1	Banner	04/03/2013

Location	Complaint	Date Opened
Western Way, Dublin 7	Car Repairs	05/03/2013
152, Botanic Avenue, Dublin 9	Walls/landscaping	05/03/2013
25, Buckingham Street Lower, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013
24, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013
25, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013
26, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013
2A & 2B, Spireview, Riverston Abbey, Ashington, Dublin 7	Building to rear	08/03/2013
34, Sean McDermot Street, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	08/03/2013
33 Sean McDermott Street, Dublin 1.	Satellite dish	08/03/2013
21, Martin Savage Park, Dublin 15	Business Operating	08/03/2013
Dublin Bus Depot, Broadstone, Phibsborough Road, Dublin 7	Palisade Railings	06/03/2013
20, Valentia Parade, Dublin 7	Satellite dish	12/03/2013
282, North Circular Road, Dublin, 7	Container	12/03/2013
64 Middle Abbey Street, Dublin 1	Projecting Sign	13/03/2013
126, Cabra Park, Phibsborough, Dublin 7	Subdivision	19/03/2013
67, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Doors/Windows Boarded Up	19/03/2013
Phoenix Motore, IDA Centre, 60-63, Prussia Street, Dublin 7	Signage/hoarding	22/03/2013
2, Ashington Close, Navan Road, Dublin 7	Height	25/03/2013
65, Cabra Park, Dublin 7	Satellite Dish	27/03/2013
73, Cabra Park, Phibsboro, Dublin 7	Satellite Dish	27/03/2013
121, Blackhorse Avenue, Dublin 7	Change of use	27/03/2013
123, Blackhorse Avenue, Dublin 7	Subdivision	27/03/2013
6, Frederick Street North, Dublin 1	Windows	28/03/2013
Whitworth Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Advertisement structure	03/01/2013

Warning Letters 1st March 2013 to 31st March 2013

Case No.	Location	Complaint	Date Issued
E0001/13	18, Whitworth Road, Dublin 9	Garage used for habitation	10/01/2013
E0007/13	Bachelors Inn Public House, 31 Bachelors Walk, Dublin 1	Sign	15/01/2013
E0008/13	Arlington Hotel, 23-25, Bachelors Walk, Dublin 1	Sign	15/01/2013
E0012/13	5, Northbrook Avenue Upper, Dublin 3	Extension	15/01/2013
E0012/13	5, Northbrook Avenue Upper, Dublin 3	Extension	16/01/2013
E0017/13	AIB Bank, 37-38 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin 1	Roof Fence	16/01/2013
E0028/13	47, Henry Street, Dublin 1	Signage	24/01/2013
E0029/13	10, Summer Street North, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Subdivision	23/01/2013
E0034/13	28, Bengal Terrace, Finglas Road, Dublin 11	Rear Structure used for habitation	24/01/2013
E0038/13	119, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Mezzanine Levels Inserted in Flats	29/01/2013
E0042/13	30, Nottingham Street, North Strand, Dublin 3	Satellite Dish	29/01/2013
E0050/13	6, Linenhall Terrace, Dublin 7	Satellite dish	06/02/2013
E0053/13	2a, Hollybank Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Trees	06/02/2013
E0055/13	8, Brigids Road Upper, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Works commenced prior to final grant	05/02/2013
E0057/13	36, O'Connell Street Upper, Dublin 1	Change of Use	06/02/2013
E0058/13	63 Middle Abbey Street, Dublin 1	Signage	07/02/2013
E0070/13	575, North Circular Road, Dublin 1	Signage	11/02/2013
E0089/13	39, Summer Street North, Dublin 1	Signage	18/02/2013
E0090/13	41, Summer Street North, Dublin 1	Signage	18/02/2013
E0104/13	Homefarm Football Club, Swords Road, Dublin 9	Bar and Music Venue	25/02/2013
E0108/13	Supermacs, 45-46, O'Connell Street Lower, Dublin 1	Signage	26/02/2013
E0116/13	98 Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
E0117/13	98A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
E0119/13	100A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
E0120/13	102, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
E0121/13	96, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013
E0122/13	96A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	28/02/2013
E0123/13	95A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	28/02/2013
E0124/13	94, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	28/02/2013
E0125/13	94A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	28/02/2013
E0126/13	93, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	28/02/2013
E0127/13	93A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	28/02/2013
E0132/13	Murrays Bar, 33-34 O'Connell Street Upper, Dublin 1	Banner	04/03/2013
E0136/13	Western Way, Dublin 7	Car Repairs	07/03/2013
E0138/13	152, Botanic Avenue, Dublin 9	Walls/landscaping	08/03/2013

Case No.	Location	Complaint	Date Issued
E0140/13	25, Buckingham Street Lower, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013
E0141/13	24, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013
E0142/13	25, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013
E0143/13	26, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013
E0149/13	2A & 2B, Spireview, Riverston Abbey, Ashington, Dublin 7	Building to rear	08/03/2013
E0152/13	34, Sean McDermot Street, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	08/03/2013
E0153/13	33 Sean McDermott Street, Dublin 1.	Satellite dish	08/03/2013
E0154/13	21, Martin Savage Park, Dublin 15	Business Operating	08/03/2013
E0155/13	Dublin Bus Depot, Broadstone, Phibsborough Road, Dublin 7	Palisade Railings	08/03/2013
E0158/13	20, Valentia Parade, Dublin 7	Satellite dish	12/03/2013
E0159/13	282, North Circular Road, Dublin, 7	Container	12/03/2013
E0161/13	64 Middle Abbey Street, Dublin 1	Projecting Sign	13/03/2013
E0163/13	126, Cabra Park, Phibsborough, Dublin 7	Subdivision	19/03/2013
E0170/13	Phoenix Motore, IDA Centre, 60-63, Prussia Street, Dublin 7	Signage/hoarding	25/03/2013
E0176/13	2, Ashington Close, Navan Road, Dublin 7	Height	26/03/2013
E0180/13	65, Cabra Park, Dublin 7	Satellite Dish	27/03/2013
E0181/13	73, Cabra Park, Phibsboro, Dublin 7	Satellite Dish	27/03/2013
E0182/13	121, Blackhorse Avenue, Dublin 7	Change of use	27/03/2013
E0183/13	123, Blackhorse Avenue, Dublin 7	Subdivision	27/03/2013
E0186/13	6, Frederick Street North, Dublin 1	Windows	28/03/2013
E0207/12	34, Royal Canal Bank, Dublin 7	Pigeon Loft	15/02/2013
E0643/12	68, Lindsay Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Site notice	04/02/2013
E0683/12	2, Rutland Place Dublin 1	Place of worship/church	13/02/2013
E0688/12	35, Priory North, Navan Road, Dublin 7	Car Repairs	15/02/2013
E0812/12	Moore Lane Carpark, 17-19 Moore Lane, Dublin 1	Car park	04/01/2013
E0813/12	36, Gardiner Street Lower, Dublin 1	Plasterwork/joinery	08/02/2013
E0839/12	55, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Railings	27/03/2013
E0866/12	Hillside, 7 Old Finglas Road, Dublin 11	Playschool	01/02/2013
E0868/12	3 St Marys Abbey, Dublin 1	Window openings	19/02/2013
E0873/12	88, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Signage	02/01/2013
E0879/12	41-42 Ormond Quay Lower, Dublin 1	Advertising structure	02/01/2013
E0883/12	Whitworth Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Advertising structure	03/01/2013

Enforcement Notices 1st January 2013 to 31st March 2013

Case No.	Location	Complaint	Date Issued
E0006/13	Botanic House, 22, 24 & 26, Botanic Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Banner	01/03/2013
E0028/13	47, Henry Street, Dublin 1	Signage	27/03/2013
E0257/11	4, Whitworth Place, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Bedsits/doors	06/03/2013
E0348/12	Rere of 58 St Alphonsus Road, Dublin 9	Shed used for habitation	07/02/2013
E0548/12	565, North Circular Road, Dublin 1	Advertisement	21/03/2013
E0630/12	103 North Circular Road, Dublin 7	UPVC Windows	25/01/2013
E0751/10	Moore Street Mall, Dublin 1	Signs	25/03/2013

Legal Proceedings 1st March 2013 to 31 St March 2013

Case No.	Location	Complaint	Date Sent
E0039/12	31-33, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Replacement Windows	04/03/2013

Closed Files 1st March 2013 to 31st March 2013

Case No.	Location	Complaint	Closed Date	Reason for Closure
E0007/13	Bachelors Inn Public House, 31 Bachelors Walk, Dublin 1	Illuminated Sign	15/02/2013	Illumination ceased
E0012/13	5, Northbrook Avenue Upper, Dublin 3	Extension	19/03/2013	Exempted Development
E0038/13	119, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Mezzanine Inserted in Flats	25/03/2013	No evidence
E0058/13	63 Middle Abbey Street, Dublin 1	Signage	11/03/2013	Removed
E0070/13	575, North Circular Road, Dublin 1	Signage	22/02/2013	Removed
E0082/12	19, Sherrard Street Upper, Dublin 1	Windows	06/02/2013	Exempted Development
E0091/12	34, Susanville Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 3	Extension/windows/roof	22/01/2013	Complies with permission
E0132/13	Murrays Bar, 33-34 O'Connell Street Upper, Dublin 1	Banner	25/03/2013	Removed
E0167/11	33, Kings Avenue, Ballybough, Dublin 3	Extension	25/01/2013	Removed
E0179/12	40-41, Great Strand Street, Dublin 1	Change of use	28/03/2013	Planning permission granted
E0211/12	Voodoo 4, Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin 1	Casino/private member's club	11/02/2013	Use Ceased
E0217/12	86 North King Street, Dublin 7.	Signage	06/02/2013	Removed
E0254/12	16, Capel Street, Dublin 1	Signage	06/02/2013	Removed
E0255/12	15, Capel Street, Dublin 1	Signage/shop front	06/02/2013	Removed
E0259/12	1a, Hyacinth Street, North Strand, Dublin 3	Storage of building materials	01/02/2013	Use Ceased
E0275/11	Daisy Market, Arran Street East, Dublin 7	Builder's yard/storage	22/02/2013	Exempted Development
E0286/10	121, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Gates/Piers	22/01/2013	No evidence
E0288/10	141, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Gates/Piers	22/01/2013	No evidence
E0289/10	143, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Gates/Piers	22/01/2013	No evidence
E0290/10	145, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Gates/Piers	22/01/2013	No evidence
E0306/12	2 The Grainstores, Distillery Lofts, Distillery Road, Dublin 3	Ballet school	01/02/2013	Use Ceased
E0328/12	36, Iona Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Vehicular access	28/02/2013	Minor Breach
E0329/12	38, Iona Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Vehicular access	26/02/2013	No evidence
E0355/12	Apt3, 54 Montpelier Hill, Dublin 7	Balcony	14/01/2013	Exempted development
E0357/08	22, Cabra Park, Dublin 7	Structure at rear	14/03/2013	Planning Permission granted
E0390/12	79, Hollybank Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Maintenance Works	13/02/2013	Exempted development
E0441/12	56, Fitzroy Avenue, Drumcondra, Dublin 3	Satellite dish	04/03/2013	Removed
E0472/12	13, Ormond Quay Lower, Dublin 1	Signage	11/02/2013	Removed
E0576/12	23, Benburb Street, Dublin 7	Windows	05/03/2013	Lack of evidence
E0612/12	30, Ivar Street, Stoneybatter, Dublin 7	Roof deck	25/03/2013	Statute barred

Case No.	Location	Complaint	Closed Date	Reason for Closure
E0649/12	The Jervis Centre, Mary St, Jervis St, Abbey St Upr, Dn 1	Change of use	13/02/2013	Planning permission granted
E0654/12	13, Iveleary Road, Whitehall, Dublin 9	Vehicular access	13/02/2013	Reinstated
E0687/12	88, Lindsay Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Railings/wall removed	05/03/2013	Reinstated
E0700/12	84, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Subdivision	22/01/2013	Exempted Development
E0703/12	35, Shandon Road, Phibsborough, Dublin 7	Extension	07/01/2013	Exempted Development
E0704/12	69 Upper Gardiner Street & 1-2 Mountjoy Square, Dublin 1	Alterations to original fabric of building	01/02/2013	Merged with Other Enf. File
E0753/12	27, Kirwan Street, Dublin 7	Demolition	03/01/2013	Exempted development
E0759/12	23, Kirwan Street Cottages, Dublin 7	Demolition	09/01/2013	No evidence
E0774/12	114, Tolka Road, Ballybough, Dublin 3	Subdivision	15/01/2013	Exempted Development
E0778/12	T.P Smiths, 9-10 Jervis Street, Dublin 1	Flags	04/03/2013	Removed
E0780/12	39, Abbey Street Upper, Dublin 1	Advertising Banner	11/02/2013	Removed
E0797/12	10, Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin 1	Change of Use	18/01/2013	No evidence
E0800/12	2, Lower St Columbas Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Satellite dish	11/02/2013	Removed
E0804/12	118, St. Eithne Road, Cabra, Dublin 7	Extension	28/03/2013	Exempted Development
E0814/12	Rotunda Building(Former Ambassador), Parnell Square, Dn 1	Lift/platform	12/02/2013	Exempted development
E0873/12	88, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Signage	20/03/2013	Removed
E0879/12	41-42 Ormond Quay Lower, Dublin 1	Advertising	11/02/2013	Removed
E0883/12	Whitworth Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Advertising strucutre	12/02/2013	Removed
E1025/04	67-69 North Circular Road, Dublin 7.	Change of use, guesthouse to flats	25/02/2013	Lack of evidence (time)

Planning Enforcement Report: 01 January - 31 March 2013

Case No.	Location	Complaint	Date opened	Warning Letter	Enf Notice	Legal Proc	Date Closed	Comments
E0001/13	18, Whitworth Road, Dublin 9	Garage used for habitation	10/01/2013	10/01/2013				
E0006/13	Botanic House, 22, 24 & 26, Botanic Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Banner	11/01/2013		01/03/2013			
E0007/13	Bachelors Inn Public House, 31 Bachelors Walk, Dublin 1	Sign	14/01/2013	15/01/2013			15/02/2013	Illumination ceased
E0008/13	Arlington Hotel, 23-25, Bachelors Walk, Dublin 1	Sign	14/01/2013	15/01/2013				
E0012/13	5, Northbrook Avenue Upper, Dublin 3	Extension	15/01/2013	15/01/2013 & 16/01/2013			19/03/2013	Exempted Development
E0017/13	AIB Bank, 37-38 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin 1	Roof Fence	16/01/2013	16/01/2013				
E0028/13	47, Henry Street, Dublin 1	Signage	23/01/2013	24/01/2013	27/03/2013			
E0029/13	10, Summer Street North, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Subdivision	21/01/2013	23/01/2013				
E0034/13	28, Bengal Terrace, Finglas Road, Dublin 11	Rear Structure used for habitation	23/01/2013	24/01/2013				
E0038/13	119, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Mezzanine Levels Inserted in Flats	25/01/2013	29/01/2013			25/03/2013	No evidence
E0042/13	30, Nottingham Street, North Strand, Dublin 3	Satellite Dish	28/01/2013	29/01/2013				
E0050/13	6, Linenhall Terrace, Dublin 7	Satellite dish	04/02/2013	06/02/2013				
E0053/13	2a, Hollybank Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Trees	05/02/2013	06/02/2013				
E0055/13	8, Brigids Road Upper, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Works started prior to Final Grant	05/02/2013	05/02/2013				
E0057/13	36, O'Connell Street Upper, Dublin 1	Change of Use	06/02/2013	06/02/2013				
E0058/13	63 Middle Abbey Street, Dublin 1	Signage	06/02/2013	07/02/2013			11/03/2013	Removed
E0063/13	Site@375A Blackhorse Avenue, Dublin 7	Vehicular Access	08/02/2013					
E0070/13	575, North Circular Road, Dublin 1	Signage	11/02/2013	11/02/2013			22/02/2013	Removed
E0082/12	19, Sherrard Street Upper, Dublin 1	Windows					06/02/2013	Exempted Development
E0089/13	39, Summer Street North, Dublin 1	Signage	18/02/2013	18/02/2013				
E0090/13	41, Summer Street North, Dublin 1	Signage	18/02/2013	18/02/2013				
E0091/12	34, Susanville Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 3	Extension/windows/roof					22/01/2013	Complies with permission
E0104/13	Homefarm Football Club, Swords Road, Dublin 9	Bar and Music Venue	25/02/2013	25/02/2013				
E0108/13	Supermacs, 45-46, O'Connell Street Lower, Dublin 1	Signage	26/02/2013	26/02/2013				
E0115/13	Junction of Abbey Street Upr & East side of Jervis Lane Lr, Dn 1	Car Park	27/02/2013					
E0116/13	98 Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	27/02/2013				
E0117/13	98A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	27/02/2013				

Case No.	Location	Complaint	Date opened	Warning Letter	Enf Notice	Legal Proc	Date Closed	Comments
E0119/13	100A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	27/02/2013				
E0120/13	102, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	27/02/2013				
E0121/13	96, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	27/02/2013				
E0122/13	96A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	28/02/2013				
E0123/13	95A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	28/02/2013				
E0124/13	94, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	28/02/2013				
E0125/13	94A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	28/02/2013				
E0126/13	93, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	28/02/2013				
E0127/13	93A, Summerhill, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	27/02/2013	28/02/2013				
E0132/13	Murrays Bar, 33-34 O'Connell Street Upper, Dublin 1	Banner	04/03/2013	04/03/2013			25/03/2013	Removed
E0136/13	Western Way, Dublin 7	Car Repairs	05/03/2013	07/03/2013				
E0138/13	152, Botanic Avenue, Dublin 9	Walls/landscaping	05/03/2013	08/03/2013				
E0140/13	25, Buckingham Street Lower, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013	06/03/2013				
E0141/13	24, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013	06/03/2013				
E0142/13	25, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013	06/03/2013				
E0143/13	26, Buckingham Street Upper, Dublin 1	Satellite Dish	06/03/2013	06/03/2013				
E0149/13	2A & 2B, Spireview, Riverston Abbey, Ashington, Dublin 7	Building to rear	08/03/2013	08/03/2013				
E0152/13	34, Sean McDermot Street, Dublin 1	Satellite dish	08/03/2013	08/03/2013				
E0153/13	33 Sean McDermott Street, Dublin 1.	Satellite dish	08/03/2013	08/03/2013				
E0154/13	21, Martin Savage Park, Dublin 15	Business Operating	08/03/2013	08/03/2013				
E0155/13	Dublin Bus Depot, Broadstone, Phibsborough Road, Dublin 7	Palisade Railings	06/03/2013	08/03/2013				
E0158/13	20, Valentia Parade, Dublin 7	Satellite dish	12/03/2013	12/03/2013				
E0159/13	282, North Circular Road, Dublin, 7	Container	12/03/2013	12/03/2013				
E0161/13	64 Middle Abbey Street, Dublin 1	Projecting Sign	13/03/2013	13/03/2013				
E0163/13	126, Cabra Park, Phibsborough, Dublin 7	Subdivision	19/03/2013	19/03/2013				
E0166/13	67, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Doors/Windows Boarded Up	19/03/2013					
E0167/11	33, Kings Avenue, Ballybough, Dublin 3	Extension					25/01/2013	Removed
E0170/13	Phoenix Motore, IDA Centre, 60-63, Prussia Street, Dublin 7	Signage/hoarding	22/03/2013	25/03/2013				
E0176/13	2, Ashington Close, Navan Road, Dublin 7	Height	25/03/2013	26/03/2013				
E0179/12	40-41, Great Strand Street, Dublin 1	Change of use					28/03/2013	Planning permission granted
E0180/13	65, Cabra Park, Dublin 7	Satellite Dish	27/03/2013	27/03/2013				

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E0181/13	73, Cabra Park, Phibsboro, Dublin 7	Satellite Dish	27/03/2013	27/03/2013				
E0182/13	121, Blackhorse Avenue, Dublin 7	Change of use	27/03/2013	27/03/2013				
E0183/13	123, Blackhorse Avenue, Dublin 7	Subdivision	27/03/2013	27/03/2013				
E0186/13	6, Frederick Street North, Dublin 1	Windows	28/03/2013	28/03/2013				
E0207/12	34, Royal Canal Bank, Dublin 7	Pigeon Loft		15/02/2013				
E0211/12	Voodoo, 4, Lr Ormond Quay, Dn 1	Casino/private member's club					11/02/2013	Use Ceased
E0217/12	86 North King Street, Dublin 7.	Signage					06/02/2013	Removed
E0254/12	16, Capel Street, Dublin 1	Signage					06/02/2013	Removed
E0255/12	15, Capel Street, Dublin 1	Signage/shop front					06/02/2013	Removed
E0257/11	4, Whitworth Place, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Bedsits/doors			06/03/2013			
E0259/12	1a, Hyacinth Street, North Strand, Dublin 3	Storage of building materials					01/02/2013	Use Ceased
E0275/11	Daisy Market, Arran Street East, Dublin 7	Builder's yard/storage					22/02/2013	Exempted Development
E0286/10	121, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Gates/Piers					22/01/2013	No evidence
E0288/10	141, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Gates/Piers					22/01/2013	No evidence
E0289/10	143, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Gates/Piers					22/01/2013	No evidence
E0290/10	145, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Gates/Piers					22/01/2013	No evidence
E0306/12	2 The Grainstores, Distillery Lofts, Distillery Road, Dublin 3	Ballet school					01/02/2013	Use Ceased
E0328/12	36, Iona Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Vehicular access					28/02/2013	Minor Breach
E0329/12	38, Iona Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Vehicular access					26/02/2013	No evidence
E0348/12	Rere of 58 St Alphonsus Road, Dublin 9	Shed used for habitation			07/02/2013			
E0355/12	Apt3, 54 Montpelier Hill, Dublin 7	Balcony					14/01/2013	Exempted development
E0357/08	22, Cabra Park, Dublin 7	Structure at rear					14/03/2013	Planning Permission granted
E0390/12	79, Hollybank Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Maintenance Works					13/02/2013	Exempted development
E0441/12	56, Fitzroy Avenue, Drumcondra, Dublin 3	Satellite dish					04/03/2013	Removed
E0472/12	13, Ormond Quay Lower, Dublin 1	Signage					11/02/2013	Removed
E0548/12	565, North Circular Road, Dublin 1	Advertisement			21/03/2013			
E0576/12	23, Benburb Street, Dublin 7	Windows					05/03/2013	Lack of evidence
E0612/12	30, Ivar Street, Stoneybatter, Dublin 7	Roof deck					25/03/2013	Statute barred
E0630/12	103 North Circular Road, Dublin 7	UPVC Windows			25/01/2013			
E0643/12	68, Lindsay Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Site notice		04/02/2013				
E0649/12	The Jervis Centre, Mary St, Jervis St, Abbey St Upr, Dn 1	Works started prior to Final Grant					13/02/2013	Planning permission granted

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E0654/12	13, Iveleary Road, Whitehall, Dublin 9	Vehicular access					13/02/2013	Reinstated
E0683/12	2, Rutland Place Dublin 1	Place of worship/church		13/02/2013				
E0687/12	88, Lindsay Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Railings/wall removed					05/03/2013	Reinstated
E0688/12	35, Priory North, Navan Road, Dublin 7	Car Repairs		15/02/2013				
E0700/12	84, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Subdivision					22/01/2013	Exempted Development
E0703/12	35, Shandon Road, Phibsborough, Dublin 7	Extension					07/01/2013	Exempted Development
E0704/12	69 Upper Gardiner Street & 1-2 Mountjoy Square, Dublin 1	Alterations to original fabric of building					01/02/2013	Merged with Other Enf. File
E0751/10	Moore Street Mall, Dublin 1	Signage			25/03/2013			
E0753/12	27, Kirwan Street, Dublin 7	Demolition					03/01/2013	Exempted development
E0759/12	23, Kirwan Street Cottages, Dublin 7	Demolition					09/01/2013	No evidence
E0774/12	114, Tolka Road, Ballybough, Dublin 3	Subdivision					15/01/2013	Exempted Development
E0778/12	T.P Smiths, 9-10 Jervis Street, Dublin 1	Flags					04/03/2013	Removed
E0780/12	39, Abbey Street Upper, Dublin 1	Advertising Banner					11/02/2013	Removed
E0797/12	10, Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin 1	Change of Use					18/01/2013	No evidence
E0800/12	2, Lower St Columbas Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Satellite dish					11/02/2013	Removed
E0804/12	118, St. Eithne Road, Cabra, Dublin 7	Extension					28/03/2013	Exempted Development
E0812/12	Moore Lane Carpark, 17-19 Moore Lane, Dublin 1	Car park		04/01/2013				
E0813/12	36, Gardiner Street Lower, Dublin 1	Plasterwork/joinery		08/02/2013				
E0814/12	Rotunda Building(Former Ambassador), Parnell Square, Dublin 1	Lift/platform					12/02/2013	Exempted development
E0839/12	55, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Railings		27/03/2013				
E0866/12	Hillside, 7 Old Finglas Road, Dublin 11	Playschool		01/02/2013				
E0868/12	3 St Marys Abbey, Dublin 1	Window openings		19/02/2013				
E0873/12	88, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Signage		02/01/2013				
E0873/12	88, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Signage					20/03/2013	Removed
E0879/12	41-42 Ormond Quay Lower, Dublin 1	Advertising		02/01/2013				
E0879/12	41-42 Ormond Quay Lower, Dublin 1	Advertising					11/02/2013	Removed
E0883/12	Whitworth Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Advertisement	03/01/2013	03/01/2013			12/02/2013	Removed
E1025/04	67-69 North Circular Road, Dublin 7.	Change of use , guesthouse to flats					25/02/2013	Statute barred

June 2013

**The Chairperson and Members of the
Central Area Committee**

Culture and Recreation Department Sport and
Leisure Services Report – Central Area

The Sport and Leisure Service report is based on April, May, June and July. This is to enable local representatives and managers to attend and view the programmes and events to the Sports and Leisure section have organised

1. CABRA PARKSIDE COMMUNITY AND SPORTS COMPLEX

ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE

The activities currently available in the Complex are:

Badminton	Basketball
Spinning Classes	Computers
Soccer	Tae Kwon Do
Kickboxing	Indoor Bowls
History Club	Hip Hop Dance
Karate	Judo
Pilate	Weight Watchers
Skate park	Ballet
Majorettes	Irish Dancing
Tai Chi	Teen Gym
Passport for Leisure	Youth Club
Cricket Club	Special Olympics

SKATEBOARD PARK

The Skateboard Park is still proving to be a great asset to Cabra Parkside. The skate park is a purpose-built recreational environment made for skateboarding, BMX and

inline skating. All skate park users must wear appropriate safety equipment i.e. helmet and elbow/kneepads.

GYM MEMBERS

Access to the Gym in Cabra is available on a pay as you go basis or at discount rates by purchasing monthly, 3monthly, 6 monthly or annual Gym memberships. There is also peak and off peak memberships plus staff and unemployed rates available. The teen gym operates Monday to Saturday at specific times. Teen Gym is a 60 minute session under the supervision of a qualified gym instructor. November saw the introduction of 14 months for the price of twelve special offer on annual memberships. This proved a great success and we are currently still offering this deal to our customers.

NEW CLASS TIMETABLE

A new class timetable is in place. This sees the original number of classes increase from twelve to eighteen. The classes are Step & Tone, Fit Mix, Boot camp, Spinning, Aerobics, Step Aerobics, Circuits and over 55's, Kettle Bell, Fab Ab's, Body Burst, Spin & Bell. These offer our clients a wide variety and range of classes to suit all levels and ages. Spinning classes are still running within the centre and we feel the demand will continue to be just as high in 2013. We are currently running 5 classes per week, with the majority being fully booked. New Kettle bell classes started in April and continue to be of great success. Kettle bells combine cardio and strength training and can give you a full workout in just twenty minutes.

GYMNASTICS

New gymnastic classes for children 5 to 12 years have begun on Tuesdays from 3.30pm to 5.30pm. New members welcome.

PASSPORT FOR LEISURE

As part of the Lord Mayor's Special Initiative for older people '*Embracing Ageing*,' we are proud to offer discounted rates In Cabra Parkside. The Passport for Leisure programme continues to be very successful with members registered who visit the gym regularly and with new participants joining on a daily basis.

An Open day was held in the local area office Representatives from Cabra Parkside were available at a stand within the Cabra office to inform people of the facilities and program's on offer in the centre.

OVER FIFTY FIVES

New over 55's aerobics/flexibility classes are now available on Monday and Thursday's 10am to 11am. These classes are a great success with both the men and women. Two new groups have also been set up in the centre by Cabra CDP to

cater for active retired people. One class consisting of physical activity combined with fun. And the other class (aging with confidence) focuses on health education. This assists in developing life skills and promotes mental health and self-confidence. Both classes are proving to be very popular.

SENIOR BOWLS

A new Senior Indoor bowls Class has started on Thursday afternoon's from 3pm to 5pm. New members welcome to join this class. Indoor bowls in an enjoyable way to stay fit meet new friends and learn the skills of this exciting, yet relaxing game.

YOGA

Yoga classes have begun on Saturday mornings from 10 to 11am. Beginners welcome.

Yoga is one of the oldest systems in the world; it can be practiced and enjoyed by everyone,

Whether your aim is to tone up, relax, reduce stress or simply boost your energy levels.

SAUNA

A new ten seater sauna has been installed in the link room between the ladies and gents changing rooms. The ladies times are Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays and the Gents Monday, Wednesday and Fridays.

SUMMER GYM SPECIAL

On Friday the 21st of June for one day only we are offering our members the opportunity to purchase an annual membership or upgrade an existing membership for only €150. This offer was also available as a Christmas Special deal on the 21st December and there was a great response from the public.

CHILDRENS BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Children's birthday parties can also be booked within the centre. The package includes the rental of the Multi purpose Sports Hall or the Astro pitch for one hour and then the café for the second hour where the children can enjoy refreshments etc. This has also proven to be a successful service for the community.

2. BOXING DEVELOPMENT OFFICER: PAUL QUINN

AREA: CENTRAL

Programme	Target Group	Type of Programme	Description	Time scale	No of Participants		Impact/ success/ Barriers
					Male	Female	
One Family Fun Day	10-16 year olds from all 5 areas	One Day Event - Festival	Drop in Fun Day targeting children of all ages	19/5/2013			Increase awareness & support established community networks/ Significant participation levels/
Aviva StartBox	TY Students 15-17 year olds from all 5 areas	Exhibition/Tour /Boxing Programme	Offering TY students students who have engaged in StartBox the opportunity to participate in an additional StartBox session coupled with a tour of Ireland's National Soccer & Rugby Stadium	20/5/2013 To 31/5/2013	291	145	Adds to the school curriculum/promotes participation, interaction and self-confidence, increases fitness levels/logistical
Aviva StartBox	Primary Schools Students 10-12 year olds from all 5 areas	Exhibition/Tour /Boxing Programme	Offering Primary School students who have engaged in StartBox the opportunity to participate in an additional StartBox session coupled with a tour of Ireland's National Soccer & Rugby Stadium	4/6/2013 To 7/6/2013 And 24/6/2013 To 28/6/2013	260	85	Adds to the school curriculum/promotes participation, interaction and self-confidence, increases fitness levels/logistical
Aviva StartBox	Youth Clubs – 10-20 year olds from all 5 areas	Exhibition/Tour /Boxing Programme	Offering Youth Clubs/Rec Centres/ Summer Projects the opportunity to participate in an additional StartBox session coupled with a tour of Ireland's National Soccer & Rugby Stadium	8/7/2013 To 26/7/2013	344	202	Adds to Summer Programmes & Community Activities/promotes participation, interaction and self-confidence, increases fitness levels/logistical
Crumlim Sundrive – Ceannt Park Festival	10-16 year olds from predominantly South East Area	One Day Event - Festival	Drop in Fun Day targeting children of all ages	8/6/2013			Increase awareness & support established community networks / Significant participation levels/

Clontarf Festival	10-16 year olds from predominantly Central & North Central Area	One Day Event - Festival	Drop in Fun Day targeting children of all ages	15/6/2013			Increase awareness & support established community networks / Significant participation levels/
Chapelizod Festival	10-16 year olds from all 5 areas	One Day Event - Festival	Drop in Fun Day targeting children of all ages	22/6/2013			Increase awareness/ Significant participation levels/
Causeway Exchange	10-16 year olds from Omagh/Warrington/Dublin	Two Day Event in High Performance Gym & Aviva Stadium	Exchange programme offering young boxers from 3 different cities the chance to engage in high performance style sessions coupled with Press Day/Questions & Answers session with Olympic Boxers	4/7/2013 And 5/7/2013	20		Build confidence, develop integration between groups from Dublin, NI & UK / Raise awareness of cultural understanding / dealing with different agencies
StartBox Bronze – Don Bosco Teenage Care	12-18 year old out-of-home boys	Boxing Fitness Classes - Fun, Non-Contact	Assisting DBTC with young men who have lived in residential care. A new venture - part of their extra curricular activities.	22/4/2013 To 20/5/2013	10		encourages sportsmanship & self-discipline, opportunity improve fitness, promotes self-confidence
StartBox Silver – Don Bosco Teenage Care	12-18 year old out-of-home boys	Boxing Fitness Classes – Advanced, - Semi contact	Assisting DBTC with young men who have lived in residential care. A new venture - part of their extra curricular activities.	10/6/2013 To 1/7/2013	10		encourages sportsmanship & self-discipline, opportunity improve fitness, promotes self-confidence/build relationships of respect and trust
StartBox Bronze – BYP/NYP2/Swan YP	10-16 year olds from predominantly Ballybough & Summerhill	Boxing Fitness Classes - Fun, Non-Contact	Ongoing weekly boxing sessions engaging young people from 3 different youth clubs and various ethnic groups – NYP2, BYP & Swan YS – high percentage of foreign nationals	Ongoing weekly	10-15		encourages sportsmanship & self-discipline, opportunity improve fitness, promotes self-confidence/build relationships of respect and trust

**3. SPORT DEVELOPMENT OFFICER: IGOR KHMIL
INNER CITY**

AREA: NORTH WEST

Programme	Target Group	Type of Programme	Description	Time scale	No of Participants		Impact/ success/ Barriers
					Male	Female	
Multi-sports programme	Georges Pocket Community Centre. Mixed group aged 9-11yrs(kids from the complex)	Multi sports, Combination of boxercise, circuits, relays etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-1.5 hour weekly sessions changing type of activity. • Training includes: team and partner assistant games for development of coordination, reaction, speed and agility. 	Ongoing Done in 4-week Blocks (with review)	8	4	Due to the nature of the kids constant variety is a great success.
Table Tennis	Hardwicke Street Community Centre. Mixed group aged 12-16yrs (kids from the complex)	Further development of the skills of T/tennis (very popular activity in the area)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-hour weekly sessions. • Organising of local tournaments • Further development of the skills of the participants • Joint programmes with other areas • Citywide tournaments where all participants received medals and certificates of achievement 	Ongoing	16	5	Activity to develop into a club due to the great popularity in the area.
Basketball	Youths from the whole North West Inner City. 16-19yrs (multicultural group)	Developing programme due to the demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1.5 hour weekly coaching sessions • 6 week Blocks with the view of competitions in other areas 	May - June	20		This programme has proved to be very popular with the youths in the area especially with large number of multinational kids residing locally
Start Box	Aughrim Street Sports Centre. Kids from Markets Area D7, aged 8-12	Introducing the sport to young people of the area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 hour weekly coaching sessions in conjunction with Smithfield Boxing Club • 8 week blocks, games/fun/friendly environment • Exhibition sparrings to be arranged on the 31st of May 	May/ June	20	10	The programme is a great success and is growing from strength to strength
Kayaking Programme	Bradog Youth Project. Mixed group 13-16yrs	Introducing the sport to young people in the area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 hour weekly coaching sessions • 6 sessions in total 	June / July	25	20	This programme is always very popular in the area and attracts a lot of kids.

Rowing Programme	Joint programme with Bradog.	Rowing programme to build fitness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly 2 hour session Build on overall fitness 	June / July	15	15	
Badminton Programme	Bradog Youth Project Mixed Group 15-18yrs	Coaching of Badminton	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly 1 hour coaching session in Aughrim St Sport Centre Programme will finish with a mini-competition 	June /July	6	8	
Fitness programme	Bradog Youth Project Boys group	Combination of running ,swimming ,cycling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Summer programme in Phoenix Park Improve swimming drills All sessions for about 2 hours 	June /July	12	0	
Football Programme	Bradog Youth Service . Kids from whole NWIC	Under 13 Under 16 Local Tournaments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2-4 hours on the Saturdays . Teams invited from all flat complexes 	June /July	50	0	

**SPORT DEVELOPMENT OFFICER: MARIE LOUISE REILLY – (MAZ)
CABRA**

AREA:

Programme	Target Group	Type of Programme	Description	Time scale	Average No of Participants		Impact/ success/ Barriers
Late Night League	13-15yrs	Partnership	Fridays 7- 10pm Aughrim Street Sports Centre 4 week programme leading to the citywide final held in Irishtown Stadium Friday 10 th May 5.30 – 10pm	April 12 – May 10	67	0	Positive activity during anti-social hours Builds positive links with YP & Gardai
Rugby	10-15 yrs	Drop-in	Monday 6-7pm Hall in Cabra Parkside Continuation of the 6 week programme which linked into the ERC Citywide Blitz Change to Thursday 4-5pm in August	On-going.	Male 14	Female 2	Average of 14 YP / wk Introduces a new sport to YP Hoping to arrange a challenge match to keep interest up.
Youth Exchange - Tall Ships	16+yrs	Partnership	Youth Exchange includes 3 elements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hiking and Camping in County Down Tall Ship voyage from Belfast to Dublin Review stage in Dublin using various 	May 25 th – June 2 nd	2	0	YP are seen as role models within the community. Huge learning experience

			methods Aim: Self-awareness, Goal Setting, Team Work				in terms of team work, responsibility and self-esteem
Soccer	10-13yrs	Partnership	Tuesday 3.30 – 4.30pm Hall in Aughrim St Sports Centre	Jan - End of June	30	2	Yp have a positive environment in which to socialise with peers who may live in the same area but attend different schools
Half Day Soccer	14+ yrs	Drop-in	Wednesday 2-4pm Astro / Hall in Cabra Parkside	Jan – End of Aug	18	0	Average of 18 YP each week but over 60 have availed of the opportunity. Positive activity for target group.
Soccer	16 – 21yrs	Drop-in	Wednesday 4-5pm Aughrim St Sports Centre	Jan – End of Aug	20	0	Excellent session which offers YP the opportunity to socialise with their peers some of whom may not be out of school, working, unemployed. It is a very positive outlet in terms of their physical and mental health.
Sports Lunch	14-18 yrs	Partnership	Tuesday and Thursday 12-1pm Hall of local DEIS secondary school	May	4	4	Pilot programme established as an aid to prevent absenteeism in the school. Results are positive so will look to continue in the new school year
Hall Sports	10 + yrs	Drop-In	Friday 5-6pm Hall Cabra Parkside Open session in which YP decide upon content of the session with equipment being provided by the centre	Jan – Aug	10	10	Access to the centre secured by the SDO to ensure YP have opportunities to be physically active and socialise with peers in a positive environment during anti-social hours.

UEFA Blitz	12- 15yrs	Partnership	Soccer Blitz Hall in Cabra Parkside 2-4pm	22 May	40	0	Give YP attending the drop-in a focus Allow YP from various areas across Cabra to compete in a positive manner
Colaiste Eanna	13+	Partnership	Assist with the Colaiste Eanna summer programme Organised by the School Completion Coordinator 3 activities are arranged for YP to attend during school holidays	TBC 3 sessions	5	5	Sessions organised to maintain good pupil peer relationships over the summer as this cohort are at particular risk of absenteeism and being early school leavers.
Girls Sports	10+	Female	Identify the needs of young girls With YP develop a programme to tackle these needs. Most likely to be a 'Give it a Go!' programme which includes 6 weeks of taster sessions in a variety of diverse sports	6 weeks July – Aug	0	16	Promote female participation in sport Create access to new sports Work with the group to develop their own programme Hopefully create a inter area event relevant to their sporting choices
Rugby	10+ yrs	Male	Tuesdays 4-5pm Hall St. Catherine's	30 th July	7	0	Promote inter-area relations by combining YP from south side and north side Create links to a sustainable club
Duathlon Training	14+yrs	Partnership	Monday & Thursday 4-5pm Cabra Parkside – Training sessions Dutahalon event: Using local amenity of the Royal Canal where YP will Run & Kayak	July – Aug	6	6	YP train with Cabra Parkside staff which promotes relations between them. Targets YP who may not have an interest in mainstream sports Duathlon planned to take place on Canal which

							will highlight YP positively within the community
Fencing	13+	Female	Hall Cabra Parkside Programme which will link into an inter-area event in September	July – Aug	0	10	A new sport for young girls to participate in Target girls who are not interested in more mainstream sports
Boat	10+yrs	Partnership	Sessions will take place during the summer. Voyage departs Dun Laoghaire and takes in Killiney Bay and Dalkey Island	June – Aug	30	30	An exciting activity which appeals to the majority of YP. An opportunity to leave their own area and get a new perspective of Dublin
Kayaking	10+yrs	Target Group	Venues: DCC East Wall Water Sports Centre Ballyfermot Outward Bounds Centre Learn the basic skills of kayaking	June – Aug	36	36	A favourite activity with YP as it allows them to enjoy water sports in a safe& controlled manner

4. SPORT AND RECREATION DEVELOPMENT OFFICER: JOE LUMUMBA / LAURA JANE MCGINLEY AREA: CENTRAL

Programme	Target Group	Type of Programme	Description	Time scale	No of Participants		Impact/ success/ Barriers
					Male	Female	
Chair Aerobics	Older adults + people with disability	Class	Participants take part in a seated aerobics class	Continuous	1	35	successful.
Sports	Disability		Participants take part in water sports, football, rugby and boxing training.	20 weeks	8	3	successful
Soccer Sisters	Girls	Camp	FAI provide coaching for duration of the camp	1 week		28	successful
Kayaking	Children /Youth groups	Course	Basic kayaking skills, Cert given upon completion	8 weeks	6	6	
Boccia	Disability	Class	Strategic version of the game bowls.	Continuous	8	5	Travel expense.
Para table Tennis	Disability	Class	Para Table Tennis class designed to get more wheelchair users involved in the sport.	Continuous			Successful

Exercise and Fitness	Women	Course	Exercise and fitness training for women in the area	8weeks	0	10	Attendance inconsistent
Falls Prevention	Older Adults With Walking Difficulties.	Course	Exercise designed to build/ aid core strength, thus minimizing the chances of a fall.	8 weeks	6	11	Successful. Barriers = Minimal funding. Transport

**5. FAI DEVELOPMENT OFFICER: IAN HILL
D7LOWER**

AREA:

Programme	Target Group	Type of Programme	Description	Time scale	No of Participants		Impact/ success/ Barriers
Late Nite League	13-16yrs	Boys/Citywide	Friday evenings/ .Leading to a Citywide finals Night	4 weeks	M 55	F 0	Partnership work with DCC SDO/Local Community Garda. Targeting young people at risk of involvement in anti social behaviour. Great success for all involved
TYC Kick Start 1	16yrs	Level 1 in Coach education	8 hour course aimed at giving young students in Brunswick St Secondary school a coaching qualification	1 day	22	0	Aims to encourage young people living in the D7 Area to gain a coaching qualification and consider getting involved in their local clubs

Football For All	Children with behavioural issues in the Phoenix Park School	Disability programme	2 hours	Monthly	12	0	Successful programme giving young children the opportunity to participate in fun coaching sessions in a fun safe enjoyable environment/Gaining confidence /Focusing on their ability to play football at not there disability.
Football Drop ins	Monday 6-9yrs Boys & Girls	Football coaching sessions	Aughrim Street Sports Hall	Weekly	12	2	Very successful Programme where all participants must be accompanied by an adult
Football Drop in	Tuesday 9-12yrs Boys & Girls	Futsal football blitz	Aughrim St Sports Hall	Weekly	28	2	Through participation young children from the D7 area to gain confidence/make friends and establish links to local clubs through the FAI Do. Difficult work at times due to the behaviour of some of the young people involved.

Football Drop In/ Youth at Risk	Wednesday 15-19yrs Boys	Indoor Football	Aughrim St Sports Hall	Weekly	19	0	Target group /Positive impact enabling the local Community Garda to establish links with the young people involved in the programme./Through involvement in the programme I have been able to help and encourage participants to continue in education by gaining access to the FAI/Fas courses and Colaiste Ide.
Football for Girls Programme	Thursday 10-13yrs Girls	Indoor football coaching session	Aughrim St Sports Hall	Weekly		12	Aims to improve Girls participation in football /Sustainability difficult./ Utilising a local girl coach in helping to deliver the programme.

6. Rugby Development Officer: Billy Phelan
City Wide

Area:

Programme	Target Group	Type of Programme	Description	Time scale	No of Participants		Impact/ success/ Barriers
Irishtown Summer Camp	Irishtown Ringsend Ages 6-12	Tag rugby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part of Summer Camp @ Irishtown Stadium • Run in conjunction with John Sweeney 	July/August	20	15	Impact/Success – Target group introduction to rugby. Active kids. Continued participation
PARC Summer Camp	Pearse Street Ages 6-12	Tag Rugby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part of Summer Camp @ PARC • Run in conjunction with John Sweeney 	July/August	10	5	Impact/Success – Target group introduction to rugby. Active kids

							Continued participation
Sundrive Sports Day	Crumlin All	Tag Rugby Fun Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Link in with Catherine Flood • Part of Sundrive Sports Day 	8 th June	25	20	Impact/Success – Target group introduction to rugby. Fun and active Continued participation
Crumlin Family Day	Clogher Road All	Tag Rugby Fun Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Link in with Mitch Whitty • Part of Crumlin Family Day 	18 th June	50	50	Impact/Success – Target group introduction to rugby. Fun and active
Crumlin Summer Program	Clogher Road Ages 6-12	Tag Rugby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part of Summer Camps @ Clogher Rd • Run in conjunction with Mitch Whitty 	9 th /16 th /23 rd July	20	15	Impact/Success – Target group introduction to rugby. Active kids Continued participation
DLS Sports Day	Ballyfermot All	Tag Rugby Fun Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Link in with Mitch/Catherine/James 	8 th July	25	20	Impact/Success – Target group introduction to rugby. Fun and active
St Michaels Special Needs Group	Ballybough Adult	Tag Rugby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Run through Joe Le'mumba in Ballybough SC • Adult Special Needs 	Ongoing	8	2	Impact/Success – Continued participation in Tag Rugby through tournaments.
Primary Schools Blitz	Dublin 8 Ages 10-12	Tag Rugby Blitz	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tag Rugby Blitz with primary schools in Dublin8 area • Run with Graham Jones and Sharon Kelly 	13 th June	150	150	Impact/Success – Continued participation in Rugby at Secondary/After school programs. Link through rugby clubs
Cabra Rugby Introduction	Cabra Ages 13-17	Rugby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intro to rugby program • Link with Maz Reilly • Targeting teenagers in the Cabra area 	July/August	20		Impact/Success - Link to rugby clubs Getting them involved with a rugby club
Ozanam House Summer Camp	Mount Joy Square Ages 6-12	Tag Rugby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part of the Ozanam Summer camps in Mount Joy Square 	July	50	50	Impact/Success – Target group introduction to rugby. Fun and active

**To the Chairperson and Members
of the Central Area Committee**

**Report on Review of Operation of
Traffic Advisory Group (TAG)**

**Tom Cuddy,
Senior Engineer**

2nd April, 2013

Procedures for Implementing Traffic Management Measures were submitted to the Transportation and Traffic SPC of DCC in February 2007. A report on the operation of the Traffic Advisory Group was submitted to the Transport and Traffic SPC of DCC in April 2011. The procedures set out in 2007 remain in operation, except where amended in April 2011.

Since April 2011, several significant developments have arisen, in particular the following:

1. From September 2011, all Traffic Service Requests have been managed through a central "Sharepoint" data management facility, which records and tracks all requests, assigns them to appropriate engineering, ITS (intelligent Transportation Systems) and administrative personnel for action, and facilitates and manages the issuing of work orders and reports.
2. Certain additional traffic management responsibilities have arisen for DCC, which are being incorporated into the Traffic Service Requests systems, but also have specific exceptional requirements. In particular, various traffic management changes will be required to facilitate the construction of the Luas Cross-City project during the period 2013 to 2017, and also DCC has taken on the responsibility to specify the location of bus stops along new bus routes with effect from 1st February 2013.
3. DCC Councillors have requested greater levels of detail in reporting on Traffic Service Requests than is currently available.
4. DCC has commenced the tendering procedure for the Traffic Asset Management System (TAMS). TAMS is intended to provide a more comprehensive and integrated data platform, which will allow management and searching of traffic asset and performance data with greater ease, accuracy and thoroughness. It will allow queries to be searched by map, and to be linked to other relevant data on geographical or other bases. It is envisaged that TAMS will be rolled out over the period 2013-2015. By early to mid 2016, it is expected that Traffic Service Requests will be linked to TAMS, at which stage consideration will be given to the closing of the Sharepoint system.

Since coming into full operation in September 2011, the Sharepoint system has dealt with over 6000 Traffic Service Requests, i.e. approximately 70 - 80 per week. It has facilitated the efficient processing and management of the requests in a consistent and thorough manner. It is intended to continue to use the Sharepoint system until the TAMS system is sufficiently complete and proven to allow a changeover. Consequently, it is expected that the Sharepoint system will continue in use for a period of at least 3 years from now.

Proposed changes for implementation in June 2013

1. In order to improve the levels of detail in reporting on Traffic Service Requests for DCC Councillors, it is intended to generate new monthly written reports from the Sharepoint system. These reports will set out the monthly statistics for each Traffic Service Request, as follows:
 - Number of Traffic Service Requests Completed during previous month
 - Number of Traffic Service Requests Currently Open
 - Listing of all Currently Open Traffic Service Requests, with the following information on each:
 - Reference No.
 - Road/Street Name
 - Post Code
 - Date of Initial Request
 - Topic (e.g. Road markings, Pay and display, Pedestrian crossing, etc)
 - Current Status (Stage 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
 - Stage 1 – Acknowledgement, Set up file, Assignment to Engineer, etc
 - Stage 2 - Assessment, Site surveys, review statutory orders, etc
 - Stage 3 - Consultations, with Garda, Dublin Bus, Luas, NTA, Local residents / businesses, etc
 - Stage 4 - Decision, TAG group, statutory orders, etc
 - Stage 5 – Implementation, signs, lines, construction, signal changes, certifications, etc

The monthly reports will be issued to each Area Committee as part of the Monthly Meeting Agenda, in addition to the TAG results.

2. The current TAG reports will provide additional detail, e.g. “Does not meet the criteria” would be supplemented with a description of the criteria and the measurements recorded.
3. A Traffic Engineer will be scheduled to attend each Area Committee Meeting on a 3-monthly basis, and will also be available to attend more frequently when requested by the Area Manager. The Traffic Engineer will be in a position to provide additional detail and clarifications to the Area Committee on any of the Traffic Service Requests set out in the monthly report.

Preparations are underway to put the above measures into place. It is intended to implement these measures with effect from June 2013.

Traffic Service Requests, Status Report at 15th May, 2013.

Traffic Advisory Group (TAG) Service Request Statistics

Total TAG requests received Central Area From 1/1/2013 – 15/05/2013	97
Requests Completed	51
Requests currently on Sharepoint	46
Breakdown of Requests currently on Sharepoint	
Stage 1	4
Stage 2	15
Stage 3	3
Stage 4	22
Stage 5	2

Non TAG Service Requests Statistics

Total Non TAG Requests received Central Area From 1/1/2013 – 15/05/2013	189
Requests Completed	120
Requests currently on Sharepoint	69

Traffic Advisory Group Status Reports

Explanation of Stages:

- Stage 1 - Set up file, Assignment to Engineer, etc
- Stage 2 - Assessment, Site surveys, review statutory orders, etc
- Stage 3 - Consultations, with Garda, Dublin Bus, Luas, NTA, Local residents / businesses, etc
- Stage 4 - Decision, TAG group, statutory orders, etc

- Stage 5 - Implementation, signs, lines, construction, signal changes, certifications, etc

Item No.	SR No.	Road	Postcode	Topic	Request Description	Date Received	S.R. Status
1	5682	CHURCH STREET (C-EA)	D7	Pedestrian Crossing	at junction with LUAS tracks, on the southern side of the luas tracks.	08/01/2013	Stage 3
2	5763	PARNELL STREET (C-EA)	D1	Pedestrian Crossing	at junction of Cumberland Street North and Marlborough Street.	08/01/2013	Stage 5
3	5793	FAUSSAGH AVENUE (C-EA)	D7	Traffic Calming	outside Gaelscoil Bharra, Cabra	14/01/2013	Stage 4
4	5966	FOLEY STREET (C-EA)	D1		Foley Street Improvement Works Stats	24/01/2013	Stage 5
5	6001	STONEYPATTER (C-EA)	D7	Yellow Box	at the junction of Arbour Place.	24/01/2013	Stage 2
6	6002	ARBOUR HILL (C-EA)	D7	No Entry	at the junction of Arbour Place, from 7am to 10 am.	24/01/2013	Stage 2
7	6028	ORMOND PLACE (C-EA)	D7	Double Yellow Lines	on the south side of the lane	28/01/2013	Stage 4
8	6062	IONA CRESCENT (C-EA)	D9	Pay & Display & Permit Parking	request for the retention of free parking outside the businesses in the event of the introduction of a Parking Scheme.	17/01/2013	Stage 2
9	6138	GRANBY LANE (C-EA)	D1	Double Yellow Lines (Extend)	at junction of Dominick Place.	12/02/2013	Stage 4
10	6238	ELIZABETH STREET (C-EA)	D3	Double Yellow Lines (Extend)	St. George's Avenue end as far as the footpath.	19/02/2013	Stage 4
11	6328	RIVER ROAD (C-EA)	D15	Speed Ramps	additional Ramp around the corner from Pelletstown Manor.	25/02/2013	Stage 2
12	6348	MAY STREET (C-EA)	D3	Pay & Display & Permit Parking	on the road.	27/02/2013	Stage 2
13	6349	KIRWAN STREET (C-EA)	D7	Pay and Display and	outside Nos. 24-43.	27/02/2013	Stage 3

				Permit Parking (extension of area)			
14	6374	BATH LANE (C- EA)	D1	Double Yellow Lines	at the junction of Bath Lane/Hill Street, Bath Lane/Grenville Street, at each vehicular entrance to the complex and along one side of Bath Lane.	18/02/2013	Stage 4
15	6499	NORTH CIRCULA R ROAD (C-EA)	D1	Loading Bay	Outside No. 580, Dublin Electrical Wholesalers Ltd	13/03/2013	Stage 2
16	6521	O'SULLIV AN AVENUE (C-EA)	D3	Double Yellow Lines (Rescind)	Request to rescind double yellow lines outside Nos. 34 - 28 O'Sullivan Ave	14/03/2013	Stage 4
17	6538	NAVAN ROAD (C- EA)	D7	Yellow Box	at the junction of Nephin Road.	13/03/2013	Stage 2
18	6550	QUARRY ROAD (C- EA)	D7	Parking Prohibition	on access road to Homestead Court between property Nos. 96A and 64 Quarry Road.	15/03/2013	Stage 4
19	6612	CRAWFO RD AVENUE (C-EA)	D9	Stop Sign	and road marking at junction of Iona Road.	20/03/2013	Stage 2
20	6643	VILLA PARK GARDEN S (C-EA)	D7	Double Yellow Lines	request that double yellow lines be installed at the corner of Villa Park Gardens where it meets Villa Park Road.	22/03/2013	Stage 4
21	6701	BROADS TONE AVENUE (C-EA)	D7	One-Way System	It would help if Broadstone Ave became a one way	26/03/2013	Stage 3
22	6738	ARBOUR TERRACE (C-EA)	D7	Double Yellow Lines	at the entrance along the gable wall of No. 49, Arbour Hill.	03/04/2013	Stage 4
23	6752	ORIEL STREET UPPER (C-EA)	D1	Yield Sign	or 'Stop' Sign at junction of Sheriff Street Lower.	09/04/2013	Stage 2
24	6767	OLD FINGLAS ROAD (C- EA)	D11	Yellow Box	outside the pupils entrance to St Mary's Secondary School.	08/04/2013	Stage 4
25	6788	GLASNEV IN HILL (C-EA)	D9	Double Yellow Lines	outside the Tolka House (on the west side of the slip road).	05/04/2013	Stage 2

26	6815	AUGHRIM STREET (C-EA)	D7	Speed Ramps	Relocate the ramp outside Footcare, No. 87c.	09/04/2013	Stage 2
27	6818	DOMINIC K STREET LOWER (C-EA)	D1	Pay & Display Parking	Re-instatement of Pay and Display Parking at the old Dublin City Council site entrance. Double yellow lines will have to be rescinded.	09/01/2013	Stage 4
28	6867	SAINT JOSEPH'S PARADE (C-EA)	D7	3 Tonne Limit	at junction of St. Joseph's Place.	15/04/2013	Stage 4
29	6875	BLESSINGTON COURT (C-EA)	D7	3 Tonne Limit	at Blessington Place.	15/04/2013	Stage 4
30	6896	GERALDINE STREET (C-EA)	D7	3 Tonne Limit	Greyhound & Panda refuse trucks using this narrow street. These trucks are mounting the footpaths and damaging them as well as flower planters.	16/04/2013	Stage 4
31	6897	SAINT JOSEPH'S PLACE (C-EA)	D7	3 Tonne Limit	Greyhound & Panda refuse trucks using this narrow street. These trucks are mounting the footpaths and damaging them as well as flower planters.	16/04/2013	Stage 4
32	6898	SAINT JOSEPH'S PARADE (C-EA)	D7	3 Tonne Limit	Greyhound & Panda refuse trucks using this narrow street. These trucks are mounting the footpaths and damaging them as well as flower planters.	16/04/2013	Stage 4
33	6899	AUBURN STREET (C-EA)	D7	3 Tonne Limit	Concerns that Greyhound & Panda refuse trucks are mounting the footpaths and damaging them as well as flower planters when using this narrow street.	16/04/2013	Stage 4
34	6919	IONA PARK (C-EA)	D9	Disabled Parking Bay (Residential)	outside No. 4.	19/04/2013	Stage 4
35	6955	OSSORY ROAD (C-	D3	One-Way System	on Ossory Road.	22/04/2013	Stage 2

		EA)					
36	6976	EAST WALL ROAD (C-EA)	D3	Pedestrian Crossing	South east of Church Road at ALDI.	26/04/2013	Stage 4
37	7002	SAINT DAVID'S TERRACE (C-EA)	D9	Double Yellow Lines	on the east side from the junction of Glasnevin Hill to outside the rear entrance to Bon Secours.	26/04/2013	Stage 4
38	7114	GLASNEVIN HILL (C-EA)	D9	Parking Prohibition	on the slip road outside Bon Secours Hospital, opposite the existing Single Yellow Line.	09/05/2013	Stage 1
39	7119	OLD FINGLAS ROAD (C-EA)	D11	Yellow Box	at the car park entrance to St. Mary's Secondary School.	10/05/2013	Stage 4
40	7125	OXMANTOWN LANE (C-EA)	D7	Parking Prohibition	on Oxmantown Lane.	10/05/2013	Stage 1
41	7145	OLD FINGLAS ROAD (C-EA)	D11	Parking Prohibition	on either side of the car park entrance to St. Mary's Secondary School.	10/05/2013	Stage 1
42	7162	EAST WALL ROAD (C-EA)	D1	Traffic Calming	between Alfie Byrne Road and North Strand Road	30/04/2013	Stage 2
43	7188	ARDRI PLACE (C-EA)	D7	Pay & Display & Permit Parking (change of hours)	extension of hours.	14/05/2013	Stage 2
44	7289	ARBOUR TERRACE (C-EA)	D7	Double Yellow Lines	at the entrance along the gable wall of No. 49, Arbour Hill.	30/04/2013	Stage 4
45	7297	CLONLIFFE AVENUE (C-EA)	D3	Children Crossing Sign	at junction of Ballybough Road.	12/05/2013	Stage 1
46	7304	BACHELORS WALK (C-EA)	D1	Disabled Parking Bay (General)	Dishing of footpath at disabled parking bay.	21/01/2013	Stage 2

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Item	Request	Ref	Road	Topic	Request Description	Request by	TAG Result	TAG Comments	Sec	Date Rec'd
1	Traffic Signs	6899	AUBURN STREET (C-EA)	3 Tonne Limit	Concerns that Greyhound & Panda refuse trucks are mounting the footpaths and damaging them as well as flower planters when using this narrow street.	Area office	Not Recommended	Three Tonne Limit signs do not forbid HGVs from using roads if access is required, so would not apply to bin collection trucks. As there is not a problem with HGV through traffic Three Tonne Limit signs are not recommended at this location. The issue is being raised with Dublin City Council Waste Management to see if a resolution can be reached.	0	16/04/2013
2	Traffic Signs	6875	BLESSINGTON COURT (C-EA)	3 Tonne Limit	at Blessington Place.	Area office	Not Recommended	Three Tonne Limit signs do not forbid HGVs from using roads if access is required, so would not apply to bin collection trucks. As there is not a problem with HGV through traffic Three Tonne Limit signs are not recommended at this location. The issue is being raised with Dublin City Council Waste Management to see if a resolution can be reached.	0	15/04/2013
3	Traffic Signs	6896	GERALDINE STREET (C-EA)	3 Tonne Limit	Greyhound & Panda refuse trucks using this narrow street. These trucks are mounting the footpaths and damaging	Area office	Not Recommended	Three Tonne Limit signs do not forbid HGVs from using roads if access is required, so would not apply to bin collection trucks. As there is not a problem with HGV through traffic	0	16/04/2013

					them as well as flower planters.			Three Tonne Limit signs are not recommended at this location. The issue is being raised with Dublin City Council Waste Management to see if a resolution can be reached.		
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4	Parking Prohibitions	5152	IONA CRESCENT (C-EA)	Pay & Display & Permit Parking	request for Pay & Display & Permit Parking	resident	Recommended	Pay and Display and Permit Parking accepted at survey with operational hours Mon-Sun 07.00-24.00. 46 votes returned out of register of 61, 40 votes for and 6 against.	1	08/11/2012
5	Parking Prohibitions	6062	IONA CRESCENT (C-EA)	Pay & Display & Permit Parking	request for the retention of free parking outside the businesses in the event of the introduction of a Parking Scheme.	business	Recommended	The free parking at this location will be retained as per the Pay and Display and Permit Parking scheme accepted at ballot by the residents.	0	17/01/2013
6	Parking Prohibitions	5157	IONA DRIVE (C-EA)	Pay & Display & Permit Parking	reps for Pay & Display & Permit Parking	resident	Recommended	Pay and Display and Permit Parking accepted at survey with operational hours Mon-Sun 07.00-24.00. 27 votes returned from register of 53, all for.	2	09/11/2012
7	Parking Prohibitions	5591	IONA PARK (C-EA)	Pay & Display & Permit Parking		resident	Recommended	Pay and Display and Permit Parking accepted at survey with operational hours Mon-Sun 07.00-24.00. 30 votes returned from register of 37, 26 for and 4 against.	1	13/12/2012
8	Parking Prohibitions	5573	IONA ROAD (C-EA)	Disabled Parking Bay (General)	at The Maples Hotel.	Councillor	Not Recommended	A pay and display scheme for Iona Road that includes undesignated space alongside the Maples hotel has recently been approved by residents. With this undesignated parking being retained, installation of a disabled bay on Iona Rd is not recommended.	2	12/12/2012

9	Parking Prohibitions	6233	NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (C-EA)	Parking Prohibition	between Leo Street and Berkeley Road.	Garda	Recommended	Recommended to rescind Pay & Display parking on south side of North Circular Rd, opposite Garda Station, running east from LS No. 79 for a distance of approximately 20m. Recommended to change hours of operation of clearways and Bus Lanes along south side of North Circular Rd between the junctions of Dorset St and Berkeley St to 07.00-19.00 Mon-Sun.	0	14/02/2012
10	Parking Prohibitions	6028	ORMOND PLACE (C-EA)	Double Yellow Lines	on the south side of the lane	Area office	Not Recommended	After consulting with An Garda Síochána it has been decided that due to very few complaints of anti-social behaviour and parking in the laneway not causing obstruction to traffic or entrances, double yellow lines are not recommended at Ormond Place. The issue has been referred to the Gardai for their consideration.	0	28/01/2013
11	Traffic Signs	6867	SAINT JOSEPH'S PARADE (C-EA)	3 Tonne Limit	at junction of St. Joseph's Place.	Area office	Not Recommended	Three Tonne Limit signs do not forbid HGVs from using roads if access is required, so would not apply to bin collection trucks. As there is not a problem with HGV through traffic Three Tonne Limit signs are not recommended at this location. The issue is being raised with Dublin City Council Waste Management to see if a resolution can be reached.	0	15/04/2013

12	Traffic Signs	6898	SAINT JOSEPH'S PARADE (C-EA)	3 Tonne Limit	Greyhound & Panda refuse trucks using this narrow street. These trucks are mounting the footpaths and damaging them as well as flower planters.	Area office	Not Recommended	Three Tonne Limit signs do not forbid HGVs from using roads if access is required, so would not apply to bin collection trucks. As there is not a problem with HGV through traffic Three Tonne Limit signs are not recommended at this location. The issue is being raised with Dublin City Council Waste Management to see if a resolution can be reached.	0	16/04/2013
13	Traffic Signs	6897	SAINT JOSEPH'S PLACE (C-EA)	3 Tonne Limit	Greyhound & Panda refuse trucks using this narrow street. These trucks are mounting the footpaths and damaging them as well as flower planters.	Area office	Not Recommended	Three Tonne Limit signs do not forbid HGVs from using roads if access is required, so would not apply to bin collection trucks. As there is not a problem with HGV through traffic Three Tonne Limit signs are not recommended at this location. The issue is being raised with Dublin City Council Waste Management to see if a resolution can be reached.	0	16/04/2013
14	Parking Prohibitions	6643	VILLA PARK GARDENS (C-EA)	Double Yellow Lines	request that double yellow lines be installed at the corner of Villa Park Gardens where it meets Villa Park Road.	Area office	Not Recommended	It is not recommended to introduce parking restrictions where restrictions are already covered under the law. As it is already illegal to park within 5 metres of a junction, in order to prevent a proliferation of Yellow lines and additional expense due to maintenance, Double Yellow Lines are not recommended in this location. This issue of illegal parking at this location is being referred to An Garda Síochána and Dublin Street Parking Services Ph.6022500.	0	22/03/2013



Quadrant 6

STREET	Property type (PRIVATE /DCC/Agency)	Other litter generators	Litter	Other contributory issues	Ibal	Greyhound collection day	Bag / Bin	Litter Management Plan
Gardiner Street Middle	Private houses and apartments / flats		Dumped Bags / food and drink packaging			Wednesday	bag/bin	Daily
Gardiner Street Upper	Private houses and apartments / flats		Dumped Bags / food and drink packaging/ gneral debris	Car Parking/Building Site		Wednesday	bag/bin	Daily
Belvedere Court	Apartments/Flats	School	Dumped Bags / food and drink packaging/ general debris			Wednesday	bin	Weekly
Mountjoy Square	Private houses and apartments / flats	Public Park/Creche	Dumped Bags / food and drink packaging/ general debris	Car Parking		Wednesday	bag/bin	Daily
Gardiner Lane	Private houses and apartments / flats		General Debris/ Food and Drink Packaging/Some instances of Drug Paraphenalia			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Fitzgibbon Street	Private houses and apartments / flats	Take Away	Dumped Bags / food and drink packaging			Wednesday	bag	Daily
Charles Lane	Private houses and apartments / flats		Dumped bags / general debris/Household junk	Derelict Properties		Wednesday	bag	Weekly
North Great Charles St	Private houses and apartments / flats		Dumped bags / general debris/Household junk/Food and Drink	Derelict Properties		Wednesday	bag/bin	Weekly

			Packaging					
Emmet Street	Private houses and apartments / flats	Convenience Store / Take Away	Dumped Bags / food and drink packaging/ general debris			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Mountjoy Parade	Private houses					Wednesday	bin	Weekly
North Richmond Street	Private houses and apartments / flats	School	Dumped Bags			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Richmond Cottages	Private houses		Dumped bags / general debris/Household junk			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Summer Street North	Private houses and apartments / flats		Dumped Bags			Wednesday	bag/bin	Weekly
Rultand Place	Private houses		Dumped bags / general debris			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Symmonds Place	Private houses		Dumped bags / general debris			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Thompsons Cottages	Private houses		Dumped bags / general debris			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Sean O'Casey Ave	DCC Houses		Dumped bags / general debris/Household junk/Food and Drink Packaging			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Summerhill	DCC Duplex and Senior citizens accomodation		Dumped bags / general debris/Household junk/Food and Drink Packaging	Derelict Sites		Wednesday	bag	Daily

Langrishe Place	Private houses					Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Tyrell Place	Private houses		general debris/Food and Drink Packaging			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Summer Place	Private houses		general debris/Food and Drink Packaging			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Healy Street	Private houses		general debris/Food and Drink Packaging			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
St Josephs Terrace	Private houses		Dumped bags / general debris			Wednesday	bag	Quarterly
Wellesley Place	DCC Senior citizens accomodation DCC houses		Dumped bags / general debris/Household junk			Wednesday	bag	
Richmond Parade	Private Houses		general debris/Food and Drink Packaging			Wednesday	bag	Weekly
Richmond Crescent	Private Houses		general debris/Food and Drink Packaging			Wednesday	bag	Weekly

5th June 2013

To the Chairperson and Members
of the Central Area Committee

**With reference to Report Number 5 of the North Inner
City Litter Action Group (NICLAG)**

The North Inner City Litter Action Group presents Report Number 5 to the Central Area Committee having regard to its terms of reference which is as follows:

‘To carry out an examination of the litter issues in the North Inner City, to identify the particular causes/sources of same and to devise and implement actions to bring about a gradual and consistent improvement in the situation.’

1. General Update

1.1 Quadrant Update – No. 6

The Quadrant 6 area of the North Inner City(list of streets and map attached) covers streets running from Gardiner St. Middle and Upper, to Richmond Crescent and takes in Mountjoy Square, North Great Charles St. Summerhill and Fitzgibbon St. to name a few. As indicated in Report Number 4 of NICLAG, it was expected that this area would be the most difficult to deal with in relation to illegal dumping and as the survey of the 26 streets shows, all streets in this area had high levels of disregarded rubbish. In the areas where there is a high quantity of private houses (Multi-let Units) and apartments a considerable amount of dumped untagged bags were to be seen every day on the streets.

These particular streets with private rented houses and apartments will be the target of the Environmental Health Section over the next number of weeks and months. The operations of the Environmental Health Section in the area will, it is hoped, also help to identify those people who do not avail of a waste collection service and who indiscriminately dump rubbish onto the streets, with the expectation that Dublin City Council will collect it.

Other targeted approaches will be looked at for this area, in particular, over the coming weeks and these initiatives will be reported on in due course.

1.2 Progress to Date

Poster/Media Campaign

Over the last number of weeks the Central Area Office in conjunction with Media Relations has worked on and promoted a Poster Campaign, which will target the areas in the North Inner City and the wider Central Area most affected by illegal dumping and littering.

The campaign will run for a two week period commencing the 3rd June to the 16th June inclusive, and will see Public Information Posters located at various sites in the North Inner City area which will be clearly visible and highlight the current situation in relation to illegal dumping.

In total 48 hoarding posters with the Central Area Litter Hotline Phone Number 1800 248 348 will be displayed over various sites.

Additionally over 200 posters will be displayed on lamp posts throughout the most affected areas of the North Inner City.

As part of this campaign it was agreed to hire a mobile ad van to be used on Saturday the 1st June 2013, and this van travelled to various locations in the North Inner City over an 8 hour period, displaying ads relating to the Central Areas anti-litter campaign. The routes used by the ad mobile again were routes most concerned with illegal dumping.

1.3 Environmental Health Section

Inspections by the Environmental Health Section on named properties in the North Inner City /Central Area commenced in May. There is a requirement for the Environmental Health Section to give 3 weeks' notice of inspection.

The list of properties forwarded by the Central Area Office to Environmental Health, for the most part are multi-let units owned by private landlords, and the particular streets are those streets where the illegal dumping of untagged bags is continuous. These inspections will continue over the next period and it is expected that ongoing updates will be given to the Central Area Office in relation to progress.

1.4 Dublin City Council Tenants

Over 150 letters were sent to Dublin City Council tenants (householders) in Quadrant 1 requesting information in relation to how they dispose of their waste and who is their waste collector. This information is being requested under their tenancy agreement. There were 38 replies and reminders have now been sent to those who have not replied to date.

Those tenants who do not reply to the reminder will be visited by Area Housing Staff with a request to produce evidence of how their waste is disposed of.

Letters are going out to City Council householders in Quadrant 2 this week and this process will continue from Quadrant to Quadrant over the next period.

1.5 Law Enforcement

Dublin City Council intends to strictly enforce the terms of the Bye Laws to assist in dealing with the illegal dumping that is evident throughout the City. Enforcement of the Bye Laws is considered to be crucial in the effort to deal with the illegal dumping and specifically in determining details of persons who have not engaged with any approved method for dealing with their waste. The Enforcement of the Bye Laws will be carried out in a highly visible format which will involve a blitz of identified areas. Details of this is being finalised with the Environment and Engineering Department.

Brendan Hayden
Senior Executive Officer

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51/53 Sean Mac Dermott Street

Dublin 1

June 2013

**The Chairperson and Members of the
Central Area Committee**

Environmental Services Unit Report

Weeding

The Central Area weed spraying programme began on the 25th April 2013 and it was completed on the 2nd May 2013. The second weed spraying programme will begin in the Central Area in early September 2013.

Graffiti Removal

Graffiti has been removed from the following areas using the Probation Services from 1st May to 31st May 2013:

Gloucester Lane, D.1
Fitzgibbon Lane, D.1
Belvedere Place, D.1
Rory O'Connor House, D.1
Seville Place, D.1
Hill Street, D.1
Springgarden Street, D.3
Side door of Cemex site East Wall Rd, D.3
Bolton Street, D.7
Dominick Street Upper, D.7
North Brunswick Street, D.7
Haymarket, Smithfield, D.7
Benburb Street, D.7
Royal Canal Bank, D.7
Prospect Avenue, D.9
Griffith Avenue, Dublin 9

Graffiti has been removed from the following areas using the Corporate Contractor from 1st May to 31st May 2013:

The boardwalk, Dublin 1
Hill Street, D.1
Sherrard Street Lower, D.1

North Circular Road, D.1
 NCR/Russell Street junction, D.1
 Parnell Street, D.1
 Ballybough Bridge, D.1
 26 Jones's Road, D.3
 Ballybough Rd/Clonliffe Road junction, D.3
 Blackhorse Avenue, D.7
 Benburb Street, D.7
 Burgess Lane, D.7
 Smithfield, D.7
 147 Blackhorse Avenue, D.7
 Chancery Place, D.7
 Chancery Street, D.7
 Blackhall Place/Benburb Street junction, D.7
 North Brunswick Street, D.7
 Ard Righ Road/Place, D.7
 East Arran Street, D.7
 Prospect Avenue, D.9

Environmental Response Unit

A total of 91 incidents were attended to by the Environmental Response Unit in the period 1st May – 31st May with 88 tonnes of dumped material removed.

Litter Hotline

In the period 1st May – 31st May 191 incidents were reported to the Litter Hotline:

Abandoned Bins	5
Dumped Bags	114
Fly Tipping	4
Graffiti	9
Household Junk	12
Miscellaneous	20
Litter	12
Overflowing Skip	6
Street Cleaning	3
Overgrowth	0
Sharps/Hazardous Waste	1
Washing	1
Illegal Posters	4

The breakdown of how incidents were reported to the hotline is as follows:

E-mail	75
Phone	76
DCC staff	40

The breakdown of the areas that the complaints relate to is as follows:

Dublin 1	58
Dublin 3	20
Dublin 7	100
Dublin 9	13

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Community Forum Update

Drumcondra/Glasnevin Community Forum

The last meeting of the Drumcondra/Glasnevin Community Forum was held on 15th May 2013. The main issues raised were:

- No. 19 Bus route
- Graffiti and litter
- Griffith Park
- Illegal parking, road markings and double yellow lines
- Tree pruning

The next meeting will take place on 24th July 2013.

Mountjoy and District Community Forum

The last meeting of the Mountjoy and District Community Forum was held on 3rd March 2013. The main issues raised were:

- Anti-social behaviour
- Illegal dumping and bin collections
- Dog fouling
- Hostels in area
- Private landlords

The next meeting will take place on 4th June 2013.

North East Inner City Community Forum

The last meeting of the North East Inner City Community Forum took place on Tuesday, 23rd April 2013. The main issues raised were:

- Drug dealing, loitering and anti-social behaviour, particularly around the Pro-Cathedral and Talbot Street
- Illegal parking and other traffic issues
- Illegal dumping

The next meeting will take place on 18th June 2013.

North Strand/Ballybough/East Wall Community Forum

The last meeting of the North Strand/Ballybough/East Wall Community Forum took place on Tuesday, 22nd May 2013. The main issues raised were:

- HGVs on East Wall Road
- Condition of East Wall Road
- Scrambler motorbikes

Date of next meeting to be confirmed.

North Wall Community Forum

The last meeting of the North Wall Community Forum took place on 18th April 2013. The main issues raised were:

- Crime, drug dealing and anti-social behaviour
- Illegal dumping
- Traffic related issues

The next meeting will take place on 20th June 2013.

Central Area Joint Policing Sub-committee

The last meeting of the Central Area Joint Policing Sub-committee was held on 11th March 2013. The main issues raised and discussed were:

- Crime in the Cabra area
- Various anti-social behaviour related issues
- 2013 Policing plans
- Drug searches and seizures

The next meeting will take place on 17th June 2013.

Extinguishment of Public Right of Ways for the period 01/05/13 – 31/05/13

Pre Initiation Stage – awaiting further information

- Laneway to the rear of 25-43 St. Anne's Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9
- Laneway to the rear of 7 Rathdown Road, Dublin 7
- Laneway to the rear of 33/34 Lower Gardiner Street

Procedure initiated by Area Committee

- Harbour Court, Dublin 1 – *public consultation period ended 27th February 2012, recommendation deferred until September 2013*

John MCPartlan

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PROJECTS UNIT, NORTH EAST INNER CITY

Liberty Park Crèche

Davencrest Ltd. T/A Kids Inc operate a full services Crèche on behalf of Dublin City Council at Liberty Park Crèche, Foley Street. The contract is for a period of three years effective from the 1st June 2012 with an option to extend the contract for a further one or two years should finances permit.

There are currently 29 children attending the crèche on a full time basis.

Liberty Corner - Disposal of Nine Retail Units

Five of the units have been disposed of, and there are four remaining units. Lisneys were marketing the remaining units for lease however there was very little interest in the letting of the units. The Council's Development Department have agreed to allow the Arts Office use the 2 larger units located on James Joyce Street for cultural and creative type use.

Units 6 and 7 Liberty Corner Complex, James Joyce Street, Dublin 1 and a Unit in Sean Treacy House, Empress Place, Dublin 1

Following an Expressions of Interest exercise to offer units 6 and 7, Liberty Corner Complex and a unit in Sean Treacy House for community type use to local groups / projects, Tariqa Burhanyia are now in occupation of the unit in Sean Treacy House under a licence agreement. The Acts of Compassion Project Ltd are now in occupation of unit 6 in the Liberty Corner Complex under a licence agreement. Each unit required total fit-out and this was the responsibility of each successful applicant along with utility, rates and maintenance costs.

Unit 7, located in the Liberty Corner Complex is currently vacant.

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June 2013

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NORTH WEST INNER CITY - CABRA AREA OFFICE

The following lists the issues that are regularly raised for attention at the various community / business forums attended by DCC:

NWIC Community Policing Forum

1. Grangegorman Development
2. Landlord properties
3. Street parties
4. Horse Fair
5. Parks management
6. Planning issues

Cabra Community Policing forum

1. Anti-social behaviour
2. Local drugs situation
3. . DCC Housing / property estate management issues
4. Swales

Cabra Rd / Pk Residents Assoc

1. Level of rented properties in area
2. LUAS station – Cabra Rd
3. Impact of hostels / half way houses in the area
4. Planning issues
5. Railway line – dumping / drainage

NCR Res Assoc

1. Trees on NCR – impact on pathways on driveways
2. Anti-social behaviour at Altona Tce.
3. Litter / waste management
4. Roads issues
5. Planning issues

Finglas / Cabra Local Drugs Task Force (LDTF)

1. Supply reduction tactics
2. Communication with DCC and Gardai re drug supply matters
2. Monitoring of impact of local drug treatment services
3. Education and prevention
4. Growth in intimidation of drug users' families over debts
5. Updates from participating agencies on activities

Navan Rd/Pelletstown Area

1. Completion of Pelletstown Development
2. Phoenix park concerts
3. Tolka Valley Linear Park

4. Horses/ motor bikes in Pelletstown
5. Vandalism at Ashington Playground
6. Navan Rd QBC

Swales

Drainage Dept met with public representatives in Cabra Office on 23rd May to discuss the issues with the Killala swale. Drainage engineer pointed out a difficulty with filtration system in one section, Unfortunately he had to appoint a new contractor due to lack of response from original one. New contractor is starting on remedial work straight away. This will involve lifting soil and investigating membrane surrounding pipes in one section. We apologise for inconvenience to residents but aim is to restore green to fully working condition so that it can be enjoyed by all.

Tolka Valley Linear Park – Official Opening

The Lord Mayor will officially open the new park on 17 June at 11 am approx. A series of events to demonstrate the scope of activities that can be enjoyed in the park is being planned involving local groups of children and adults. The park will provide a link between Finglas and Cabra and an extension of the existing Tolka Valley Park.

Broadstone Rail line

This disused railway line, earmarked for the Luas route, has been subject to dumping by both outsiders and some residents. Irish Rail have scheduled a major clean up for the 7th June, starting at Broadstone bus depot and extending to Liam Whelan bridge. We would appeal to people living in the area not to dump here and to report any dumping activity they see to Cabra Office or to Irish Rail.

John Paul Park

The park was subject to anti-social behaviour on the weekend of 24th May when a large number of youths congregated and were drinking and playing loud music. The park was also damaged by a motor bike being used recklessly in goal mouth areas on playing pitches. A local resident provided a power supply from his house to the music system despite being asked not to. Gardai were called and will follow up.

Pelletstown LAP

As it is likely that there will be alterations made to the Draft Local Area Plan after it comes off public display; these alterations will also need to be placed on public display and comments invited; thus completion of the Local Area Plan is likely to be no earlier than September 2013. This timeline reflects the legal requirements of making a local area plan, as described in the Planning & Development Acts 2000-2010.

Shandon railings

Jobcare, an organisation set up to help ex-offenders develop work experience, are painting the railings between Shandon Gardens and the Royal Canal bank. The railings hasn't been painted since the original development of the estate and residents are paying for paint. This is a good example of a co-operative project between residents and a voluntary organisation and facilitated by DCC.

Dunmanus Rd Senior Citizen Complex - proposal

The scheme has received planning permission but Cluid are now waiting to see if there are any appeals to An Bord Pleanala. There are two observations Either party can make an appeal. Cluid are currently doing a submission for their internal appraisal group on the feasibility of financing this project using CALF funding from the DoEHLG and private finance.

Royal Canal Volunteer Clean Up

A litter picking day took place on 18th May when approx 50 volunteers turned up as part of National Volunteer Week to help. It was a terrific success and the event was professionally run by Lisa Cavern of volunteerdublincitynorth.ie. A great deal of work was done to improve the environment of the canal and the day enjoyed by all. The only downside was the lack of involvement by local residents and we

would appeal to them to get involved. Lisa will run monthly litter picks starting on 8th June at 11 am for 2 hours max. Meet at Cross Guns Bridge.

Community Development Update

Summer Projects

The community development staff are working with seven summer projects in the Cabra & NWIC area this summer including Ventry Park, Annamoe, Riverston Abbey, ***Sharing the Journey***, which caters for deaf children and their siblings, Dorset St, Dominic St, Blackhall, Georges Place and Greek St. The project leaders are all required to undergo Child Protection Training and Garda Vetting. The programmes have a great variety of activities both home and away and provide fun and learning opportunities for the children. It also provides an opportunity for parents and children to make new friends in their communities and to build relationships and community spirit.

Plant Sales.

The community development staff organised and delivered over 1000 trays of plants to 12 community groups the last week in May. These plants are for non-profit making community plant sales and are heavily subsidised by DCC. Many of the groups enter the City Neighbourhoods Competition and they sell the plants to their neighbours for hanging baskets and window boxes, others plant around trees and name stones, others have baskets on bridges and other communal areas, i.e. Manor St. Old Cabra Rd and St. Peters Ave. The new Senior Citizens Complex in Mc Kee Court are entering this year and are holding their first plant sale. The flowers are of a very good quality this year and everyone was delighted to get them to plant up over the Bank Holiday Weekend.

Dates for the Diary.

Christ the King parish celebrated its 80th Anniversary on 25th of May with a community day in the grounds and a concert in the Hall on the 26th.

St Peters Church is hosting a Family Fun Day on Sunday 16th June.

C. A. S. A. (Skreen Rd Residents and surrounds) are having their fun day on Saturday 22nd June. They are involved with the community development staff in organising the Walk & Talk on 11th June which will start at the Cabra Library at 7 pm lead by Pat Liddy and includes the Military Cemetery on Blackhorse Ave.

Serenity Garden are having a poetry reading evening for mid-summer in the garden on Saturday 22nd June.

Rathborne Residents Group are organising a Family Fun Day in the local Park on the 22nd June .

Fergus Synnott
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Dublin 1

June 2013

**The Chairperson and Members of the
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North Inner City Housing Update

Liberty House (Peadar Kearney House)

Works commenced on site on January 2nd. The contract allows for a 104 week construction programme. Work is progressing well and Duggan Brothers Ltd. are confident they can complete the works on or before the scheduled programme completion. Access to the site will be via Railway Street only for the duration of the project and as a result the street will be closed off at its midpoint but vehicular access to Liberty House, St. Mary's Mansions etc. will be maintained. It has been decided that the new development will be managed by Circle Housing Association.

The situation regarding residents in the Atrium apartments has progressed. All residents who we needed to relocate have now relocated to alternative accommodation.

St. Mary's Mansions

As a result of internal discussions around the future of St. Mary's Mansions, a decision was made to transfer management of the complex to Cluid Housing Association. They were requested to prepare a Feasibility Study on the transfer of the complex, with the tenants in situ by April 2013. They have requested more time to complete this study and it is likely to be mid June before it is completed. It should be noted that it would be premature at this stage for DCC to formulate policies in relation to transfers, rents or other issues which may arise if the transfer of the complex goes ahead. Once the Feasibility Report has been submitted a decision will be made on the practicality of the proposal and any outstanding issues or concerns which residents have will be dealt with at that stage.

A residents committee has been formed in the complex and DCC has met with them on a number of occasions. This committee are very active and work closely with DCC, with the assistance of ICON. DCC have carried out some works at their request such as removing trees, power hosing the playground and upgrading external lights. DCC has also supplied them with paint and residents have painted the playground and have been keeping stairwells clean with cleaning equipment and supplies which the Housing section has provided. There are also plans to hold a Fun Day in the complex with the assistance of DCC's Community Section.

Patrick Heeney House and Crescent

The issues in relation to heating and water ingress have not progressed significantly since the last meeting. Detailed Tender documents which were to be drawn up by City Architects were not completed in the time frame given and this has delayed works. It is now expected that these works will be completed during the Summer.

Due to ongoing issues in relation to litter collection it has now been decided that Communal bins will be introduced to the complex and individual bins removed. Tenants will now have a charge added to their rent to cover the cost of waste management services. This is the same system that is in place in our flat complexes.

Avondale House

Work on the Precinct Improvement Project commenced on site June 12th, 2012. Following on from an initial unavoidable delay work progressed well and substantial completion was achieved at the end of March. Some of the works carried out as part of the PIP included installation of CCTV, installation of Security Doors, installation of new play equipment and installation of new car parking facilities. In addition to these works the contractor, C&A construction, has now been engaged to carry out required Fire Upgrading Works in the attic. Painting of the exterior of the complex will shortly be undertaken by Dublin City Council's painting crew.

Alfie Byrne/Hill Street

PIP works commenced on site on March 12th, 2012 with a works programme of 52 weeks. The majority of major construction/repairs were completed before Christmas. Unfortunately while the complex was handed back to DCC by the contractor, the ball play area remained unfinished due to the poor weather adversely affecting the laying of the surface. As a result of the improvement in the weather the surface has now been laid and the PIP is completed. Works carried out in the complex as part of the PIP included installation of CCTV, creation of private garden areas for tenants on the ground floor, new fencing and gates, installation of play facilities and the construction of a new pump house. Painting of the exterior of the complex is underway.

Father Scully House

Catholic Housing Aid Association (CHAS) have received approval and funding from the DOE to commence redevelopment of the site. The redevelopment will provide 100 social housing units for older persons. This will be comprised of 88 one bed units and 12 two bed units. CHAS has in the region of 35 tenants temporarily living in other complexes who are due to move back to the redeveloped complex. Construction commenced April 30th. The project is progressing well. The structure is complete to the third floor level and sample completed apartments are being prepared for sign off by the client and design team. External materials have been agreed in principle with both CHAS and DCC including brick, stone etc. The current completion date is January 2014.

Waste Management

Following on from the NICLAG report we are currently writing to all tenants in houses and duplexes, in quadrant 1 of the NEIC area, requesting they supply details on who disposes of their waste. A data base will be created and tenants who cannot show they are legally and appropriately disposing of household waste will be targeted for action under their Tenancy Agreements. Approx. 150 letters were sent to tenants in the Quadrant 1 but only 38 responded with the information requested. A follow up letter has now been sent out to the tenants who did not respond.

Poplar Row, Taaffe Place, Annesley Avenue & Place

Regular measurement are continuing and being monitored on a regular basis.

Croke Villas

There are now 12 dwellings out of a total of 79 occupied in the complex. The Estate Manager is liaising with the remaining individuals/families in trying to identify suitable accommodation in the areas they have requested. However, this process is becoming more difficult with the remaining families in Croke Villas being very specific in where they want to be accommodated.

The Area Housing Manager is continuing to identify suitable properties for sale in Area H that would assist with the detenanting of this complex. These identified properties are submitted to Housing &

Residential Services for consideration. So far this year 15 properties have been submitted to Housing & Residential Services. Negotiations' between Dublin City Council and the Selling Agent's are ongoing with regard to 3 properties that have been inspected and deemed suitable for purchase.

Ballybough House

Housing Maintenance Division is continuing to refurbish the void dwellings in the complex. To date 7 dwellings have been allocated in this complex so far this year.

There have been a total of five vacant dwellings broken into by a group who are known locally. These break-ins caused damage to two flats that were ready for allocation. The Estate Manager has been liaising with An Garda Siochana to try and identify the individuals involved in this criminality.

The Area Housing Manager & Estate Manager is continuing to meet with the Resident's Association.

Nth Clarence Street

All works on repairing and repositioning some of the CCTV cameras is complete. There are a total of 13 cameras operational between 3 blocks.

The Estate Manager and Community Officer are working with the residents on enhancing the appearance of their blocks. The Community Officer has supplied flowers, planters and hanging baskets. The rear courtyard has been cleaned and graffiti has been removed.

The Area Housing Manager and Estate Manager are continuing to meet with the Resident's Association along with the Community Policing Forum.

Nth William Street

The Area Housing Manager and Estate Manager have been liaising with An Garda Siochana over the serious incident that occurred in the block beside the Local Health Centre. CCTV has been provided to An Garda Siochana to assist them with their investigations.

Newcomen Court – Community Garden Project's

Both Community Garden projects are operating on site without any outstanding issues.

The Larkin Unemployment Centre is running a Horticulture Programme for men in the area from the Community Garden. This course commenced the week beginning 20th May 2013.

Charlie Lowe
Executive Manager

**The Chairman and Members of
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North West Inner City Housing Report – June 2013

Dominick Street Lower

The new security doors have been erected in each block and keys have been distributed to all residents. The new road is currently being designed by D.C.C road design team, it is expected to go to tender by September, further information to follow.

Ongoing discussions with The Department of the Environment to identify funding for phase one. Discussions with the Department of Education regarding the disposal of part of the Dominick St (agreed at area committee in Oct 2011) site are ongoing, report to follow.

Dorset Street Flat Complex

An external enhancement of the open space in this complex is being examined and I expected these works to be under way in September. We are in constant contact with An Garda Síochána in relation to Anti Social behaviour.

Saint Michan's House

Environmental project commenced in February 2013 and is ongoing. This project will enhance certain facilities in the complex i.e., play-equipment, washing-line poles, seating, painting of bin chambers. The illuminating of the small playing pitch is now complete. The leaking roof in the Crèche, has been repaired. The pillars surrounding this complex have been cleaned.

Hardwicke Street (Dermot O'Dwyer & Rory O'Connor)

The community centre is now open in the evening time and parents have organised new activities, they will be teaching the local children how to play "old style games", i.e. Skipping, Balls etc. Summer clubs will commence in June 2013.

The boundary fence on the football pitch will be repaired this week.

East Aran Street/Little Strand Street

External painting programme commenced in April and has been completed. All front doors and windows were painted.

Constitution Hill

The installation of C.C.T.V for the complex started in May and is now complete, all cameras are connected to the Housing Office Parnell St for monitoring. The part 8 for Broadstone Gate has been on public display in our office for the last number of weeks.

North King Street

Parks will develop a temporary park at our vacant site on the corner of Nth King Street and Church Street.

The Following Complexes have ongoing meetings between residents and Estate Management and there are no outstanding issues.

- **Chancery House**
- **Friary Court**
- **Henrietta House**
- **Blessington Street**
- **Dominick Court**
- **Dominick House/Palmerston Place**
- **Dominick Street Upper**
- **Sheridan Court**
- **Georges Place**
- **Eccles Court**
- **Saint Peters Court**
- **Wolfe Tone Close**
- **Saint Mary's Terrace**
- **Kevin Barry House**
- **Sheridan Place**

Seán Smith

Area Housing Projects Manager

Question to City Manager

**Central Area Committee
Meeting 11th June 2013**

Q1 Councillor Ray McAdam

To ask the Manager (details supplied).

Q2 Councillor Ray McAdam

To ask the Manager (details supplied).

Q3 Councillor Ray McAdam

To ask the Manager (details supplied).

Q4 Councillor Christy Burke

To ask the Manager (details supplied).

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Q13 Councillor Seamas McGrattan

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Q23 Councillor Mary O'Shea

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Q24 Councillor Padraig McLoughlin

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