## COMHAIRLE CATHRACH CHORCAÍ HALLA NA CATHRACH CORCAIGH



## CORK CITY COUNCIL CITY HALL CORK

Bíodh a fhios agat go dtionólfar cruinniú de Chomhairle Cathrach Chorcaí ar an dáta thíosluaite, ar a **5.30 A CHLOG I.N., I SEOMRA NA COMHAIRLE, HALLA NA CATHRACH, CORCAIGH** chun na gnóthaí seo a leanas a dhéanamh:-

Take notice that a Meeting of Cork City Council will be held on the undermentioned date, at the hour of **5.30 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, CORK** for the transaction of the following business:-

## GNÁTHCHRUINNIÚ – DÉ LUAIN, 10<sup>ú</sup> MEÁN FÓMHAIR 2018 ORDINARY MEETING – MONDAY, 10<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018

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

### 3. **LORD MAYOR'S ITEMS**

# 3.1 <u>FIRST CONFERENCE OF EUROPEAN CAPITALS OF CULTURE/UNITY OF DIVERSITY</u>

An Chomhairle to approve the attendance of An tArd-Mhéara at the First Conference of European Capitals of Culture/Unity of Diversity to be held in Florence, Italy from the 5<sup>th</sup> to the 7<sup>th</sup> November 2018.

#### 4. <u>CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S ITEMS</u>

To consider any item the Chief Executive may wish to raise.

#### 5. **PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION**

An Chomhairle to approve the nomination of Senator Joan Freeman as a candidate for the Presidential Election, and if so decided to adopt the following Resolution:-

"RESOLVED THAT under Section 16 of the Presidential Elections Act 1993, Cork City Council hereby nominates Senator Joan Freeman to be a candidate for the Presidential election."

#### 6. **MINUTES**

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

- Ordinary Meeting of An Chomhairle held 9<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- Special meeting of An Chomhairle held 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018.

## 7. **QUESTION TIME**

Questions submitted enclosed.

## 8. **PARTY WHIPS – 3<sup>rd</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018**

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Party Whips, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018.

#### 8.1 **LORD MAYOR ITEMS**

#### 8.1.1 STANDING ORDERS REVIEW GROUP

An tArd-Mhéara referred to the above Item. The proposal was that the group should consist of the 5 Ard-Mhéara's of this Council's term and an appropriate number of Executive Representatives also. The Review Group should meet in advance of the next Party Whips Meeting scheduled for 1<sup>st</sup> October 2018. He also proposed that the Civic List should be reviewed during this process.

#### **Decision of Party Whips**

Party Whips considered and approved the above Proposal and agreed to refer it to An Chomhairle for approval.

## 8.2 **DEPUTY LORD MAYOR DATABASE**

An tArd-Mhéara advised that 13 Elected Members had reverted and an appropriate Deputy Lord Mayor Database was now in place.

#### **Decision of Party Whips**

Party Whips considered the above Item and agreed to refer it to An Chomhairle for their information.

## 8.3 SECTION 40 OF THE DATA PROTECTION ACT 2018

The correspondence from the LGMA dated 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2018 regarding "Proposal for compliance with Section 40 of the Data Protection Act 2018" was noted. A general discussion took place in relation to the content of same. The preferred choice of the Chief Executive; LGMA and the Senior Counsel's Opinion (which had been obtained by Meath County Council) was the "Verification Form" in preference to the "Declaration".

#### **Decision of Party Whips**

Party Whips opted for the Declaration option. It was agreed to refer this matter to An Chomhairle for approval.

It was further agreed that contact would be made with the Data Protection Commission regarding guidelines relating to representations by Elected Members which are scheduled to issue later in 2018.

#### 8.4 **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

An tArd-Mhéara advised that he had been notified by the Head of Finance that the proposed Budget 2019 meeting was scheduled for 15<sup>th</sup> November 2018 at 5.30 p.m.

## **Decision of Party Whips**

Party Whips agreed to refer this matter to An Chomhairle for approval.

# 9. <u>ENVIRONMENT & RECREATION FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE - 3<sup>rd</sup> SEPTMBER</u> 2018

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Environment and Recreation Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018.

#### 9.1 **BONFIRE NIGHT**

The Director of Services report dated 30 August 2018 was considered.

#### **Decision Of Committee**

#### 9.2 **BALLYPHEHANE GAA CLUB**

The Director of Services report dated 30 August 2018 was considered.

## **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

#### 9.3 COMMUNITY MAINTENANCE GRANTS SCHEME 2018

The Director of Services report dated 30 August 2018 was considered.

#### **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

#### 9.4 REMOVE SHARP NEEDLE BIN FROMTHE STEPS OFFWELLINGTON ROAD

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council in conjunction with the HSE immediately remove the sharps needles bin which has been located on the steps off Wellington Road for the past year. Local Residents are becoming increasingly concerned at the location of this bin and are adamant that it be moved immediately.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 17/308)

## **Decision of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

## 9.5 **AIR QUALITY MONITORING ACROSS THE CITY**

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'Following the recent air quality monitoring undertaken by the Centre for Research into Atmospheric Chemistry (CRAC) in St. Patrick's Street and surrounding streets in conjunction with 96FM and the disturbing figures revealed therein, that Cork City Council would institute regular air quality monitoring across the city. These should include measurement of particulates as well as Nitrogen Dioxide (NO<sub>2</sub>) and Ozone. This should be done using a combination of fixed permanent monitoring stations at key locations and regular spot checks using portable air monitoring equipment at points around the city as required'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 18/158)

#### **Decision of Committee**

#### 9.6 <u>AIR QUALITY SURVEY IN MAYFIELD AREA</u>

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'In light of heavy diesel powered goods vehicles travelling from Silver spring's Hotel through to Ballyvolane Service Station, including in particular the Tinker's Cross Mayfield Shopping Centre area, that Cork City Council would employ the services of the Centre for Research into Atmospheric Chemistry (CRAC) to carry out an air quality survey in the area. Surveys to be carried out at peak traffic times on a similar basis to the survey recently carried out in St. Patrick's Street and surrounding streets by CRAC under the auspices of 96FM'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 18/157)

#### **Decision of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

### 9.7 **AIR QUALITY MONITORS IN THE CITY CENTRE**

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That the Council install air quality monitors in the City Centre.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 18/172)

#### **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

9.8 The following motions referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle were considered:-

## 9.8.1 **REPORT ON THE FISH KILL AT THE LOUGH**

'That Cork City Council would as soon as is practicable publish a full and comprehensive report on the recent fish kill at the Lough and going forward would make quarterly reports to the Environment Functional Committee on monitoring of the Lough.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Buttimer 18/179)

#### 9.8.2 **RESTORE WATER QUALITY IN THE LOUGH**

'That Cork City Council seek funding to take necessary measures to clean out the Lough and restore water quality at a time when fish stocks have been seriously depleted and again consider the location of proper fountains throughout the lake as aerating measures.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 18/182)

### **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

## 9.9 OVERGROWN EMBANKMENTS AT MOUNT ST. JOSEPH'S AVENUE AND DRIVE

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council will tend to overgrown embankments at Mount St. Joseph's Avenue & Drive, Bakers Hill.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 18/193)

## **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

#### 9.10 PUBLIC LIGHTING SCHEME IN KENNEDY PARK, VICTORIA ROAD

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council would allocate sufficient funds in the 2019 Budget to install a Public Lighting Scheme in Kennedy Park on Victoria Road.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Shannon 18/099)

## **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

#### 9.11 REMOVAL OF TREES OUTSIDE 30 AVENUE DE RENNES

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council commits to the removal of two trees outside number 30 Avenue De Rennes which are of concern to the resident on a number of fronts including the over grown, blocking out of day light in the front of the property, damage to property from the encroaching roots, recent storms has given rise to health and safety issues.'

(Proposer: Cllr. C. O'Leary 18/163)

#### **Decision Of Committee**

#### 9.12 <u>INSTALL FLOWER BEDS AT AUDLEY PLACE, OUR LADY'S WELL</u>

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That the Council install flower beds at Audley Place, Our Lady's Well and clean up the dumped rubbish on the Fever Hospital Steps ultimately making the space more of a tourist and community quarter.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 18/171)

#### **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

### 9.13 ENVIRONMENTAL GROUP IN KNOCKNAHEENY/HOLLYHILL

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council assist in the setting up of an Environmental group in Knocknaheeny/Hollyhill similar to the group in Farranree.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 18/175)

#### **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

## 9.14 <u>CLOSURE OF LANE BETWEEN PARK COURT AND MEELICK PARK</u>

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council would arrange for the Closure of the Laneway between Park Court & Meelick Park as this has led to anti-social behaviour in the area. This motion is brought on foot of a petition and consultation with Local residents in the area and with the Gardaí.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. O'Flynn 18/166)

#### **Decision of Committee**

#### 9.15 STREET CLEANSING SCHEDULE

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council draw up an immediate street cleansing schedule apart from standard sweeping in order to ensure the City streets do not continue in their current manky condition and that mechanised cleansing machines be used.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 18/229)

#### **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

## 9.16 PLAYGROUND ON URSULINE CONVENT GROUNDS

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That the City Council re-commits to the concept of having a playground on the Ursuline Convent grounds, as proposed in the original plans for the Blackrock Pier Regeneration project'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 18/121)

## **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval. It was also noted that a small playground would be provided at Blackrock in the medium term.

#### 9.17 WORK TO BE CARRIED OUT ON CLASHDUV PARKS WALK WAY

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'Considering the number of years Clashduv Park walk way has been left in such poor repair and the fact that funding has been secured out of the 2018 Capital Budget for works to be done in Autumn 2018. I request that these works be fast tracked and carried out within the next couple of weeks so as the community will be able to enjoy this facility fully in the summer months.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Moloney 18/181)

## **Decision Of Committee**

#### 9.18 PRUNE TREES ON WELLINGTON ROAD

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council in the interest of Public Safety undertake immediate action to prune trees on Wellington Road as they are dangerously overgrown and seriously impede street lighting such as to endanger the safety of pedestrians and cyclists. The trees need to be trimmed back like those on Clashduv Estate.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 18/198)

## **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

#### 9.19 FENCING AT ARDCULLEN ESTATE, HOLLYHILL

The following motion referred to the Committee by An Chomhairle was considered:-

'That Cork City Council would replace fencing at the left side entrance to Ardcullen Estate, Hollyhill with well appointed bollards which could protect the green area. The green area could Then be developed as an amenity linked to the area around the nearby reservoir, earmarked for development as amenity under the Regeneration Masterplan, by a pedestrian crossing.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 18/201)

#### **Decision Of Committee**

It was agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

## 10. <u>STRATEGIC PLANNING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & ENTERPRISE</u> FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE – 3<sup>rd</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018.

## 10.1 <u>INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE</u>

# 10.1.1 TWINNING GRANT APPLICATION 2018 – ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SUBMITTED

The Committee considered further information submitted by R. Donovan regarding his application for a twinning grant in respect of the production "Gerros, Minos & him" as part of the 2018 Quarter Block Party and the recommendation from the International Relations committee.

## **Decision of Committee**

The committee recommended that a grant of €3,000 subject to the usual terms and conditions be awarded and agreed to refer this to An Chomhairle for approval.

## 10.2 MOTION REFERRED TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE FROM COUNCIL 9<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2018

The committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Corporate and External Affairs dated 30<sup>th</sup> August on the following motion which was referred to the International Relations Committee from Council Meeting on 09<sup>th</sup> July 2018.

## **SIGNPOST LISTING TWINNED CITIES**

'In view of the fact the San Francisco had recently erected a signpost listing their twinned cites and their distances, that Cork City Council would erect a similar signpost, in a prominent city location, giving the direction and distance to our twinned cities.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 18/225)

## **Decision of Committee**

The committee approved the report of the Director of Services, Corporate and External Affairs on the above motion and agreed to refer the report to An Chomhairle for approval.

It was further agreed that in the meantime the proposal be costed and suitable locations and sponsorship opportunities identified.

## 10.3 **HOUSING ESTATES**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 on Housing Estates for Q2 2018.

#### **Decision of Committee**

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 on Housing Estates for Q2 2018 and refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

#### 10.4 PLANNING STATISTICS

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 on the number of planning applications determined and deferred for Q1 & Q2 2018.

#### **Decision of Committee**

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 on the number of planning applications determined and deferred for Q2 2018 and refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

### 10.5 PLANNING ENFORCEMENT STATISTICS

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 on Planning Enforcement Statistics for period for Q2 2018.

## **Decision of Committee**

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 on Planning Enforcement Statistics for period for Q2 2018 and refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

#### 10.6 <u>UP-DATE ON SIGNIFICANT DECISIONS</u>

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 regarding the Up-date on Significant Decisions for Q2 2018.

#### **Decision of Committee**

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018, on the Significant Developments and to refer it to An Chomhairle for information.

#### 10.7 **DERELICT SITES QUARTERLY REPORT**

The Committee considered the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September, 2018 on the Derelict Sites Quarterly Report.

#### **Decision of Committee**

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018, on Derelict Sites and to refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

## 10.8 MOTIONS REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE BY AN CHOMHAIRLE:

## 10.8.1 **TANK FIELD**

'In view of the fact that the officials did not forward my Motion 16.12 (as listed on Agenda of May 28<sup>th</sup>) in relation to the Tank Field to the Planning Functional Committee, as they were directed to do by the Council at its meeting of 28<sup>th</sup> May 2018, and in view of the consequences of this action, that has not enabled the Planning Functional Committee to consider the issue, the Council hereby directs the Chief Executive Officer, under Section 47 of the Local Government Reform Act 2014, to formally notify, if possible, by an appropriate legal notice, the Department of Education and skills and instruct them to desist from taking any actions that may restrict in any way the options open to Cork City Council in relation to the future of the Tank Field, until the Cork City Council has considered the issue fully in the Planning Functional Committee and, furthermore, in particular, it directs the Chief Executive to cease all proposed developments on the Tank Field until a final decision on Motion 16.12 is agreed.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 18/214)

#### **Decision of Committee**

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 and refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

#### 10.8.2 **DISPOSAL OF LANDS IN THE TANK FIELD**

'That Cork City Council clarify that decisions in relation to the disposal of lands in the Tank Field, recently activated, were made on the basis of materially incorrect and incomplete information during both the disposal and associated Part 8 process.

That Cork City Council further clarify that this disposal purported to dispose of lands that the City Council didn't actually own at the time of disposal.

It is noted that the disposal report and associated map, presented to the Council as a basis for their decision, stated that the lands in question were acquired by Order of the County Registrar by means of Conveyance dated 9th October 2001, when in fact, this was not strictly the case, as illustrated below.

- Councillors were not told that (i) a significant portion of the lands were not included in the County Registrar's order, and (ii) also importantly, they were not told that this land formed part of the statutory 10% green area of Mayfield Heights housing estate (located across the road from The Tank Field).
- Furthermore, it should be noted that members were informed that Council retrospectively claimed ownership of this 10% green area by means of Possessory Title (Squatters Rights), even though it subsequently was acknowledged that no such Possessory Title had been registered, as is required by law.

• It is also an issue of concern that the information contained in the subsequent Part 8 Certification which stated that the development does not contravene the Development Plan for the City of Cork, despite the fact that it was proposing to utilise a significant area in a manner not in accordance with its Public Amenity Zoning.

In view of the above, can I propose that Cork City Council resolves to seek independent legal advice into the validity of the aforementioned Disposal Order, and the associated Part 8, and that in the meantime, no further development be undertaken on the Tank Field until such time as this issue is clarified and resolved.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 18/186)

#### **Decision of Committee**

The Committee agreed to accept the report of the Director of Services, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Enterprise dated 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 and refer it to An Chomhairle for consideration.

## 11. <u>FINANCE & ESTIMATES FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE - 4<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018</u>

An Chomhairle to note the minutes of the Finance and Estimates Functional Committee, and if so decided to approve the following recommendations from its meeting held, 4<sup>th</sup> September 2018

## 11.1 **FINANCE RELATED REPORTS**

#### 11.1.1 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO END OF MAY 2018

Members considered the Financial Statements to end of May 2018.

#### **Decision of Committee**

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

#### 11.2 **MOTIONS**

The Committee considered the report of John Hallahan, Head of Finance, on the following motion referred to the Committee by Roads & Transportation SPC.

## 11.2.1 **4X4 VEHICLES FOR EMERGENCY STAFF**

'That Cork City Council invests in a fleet of 4X4's and make available these type of vehicles to emergency staff such as Community Wardens, Plumbers, Electricians to combat our adverse weather conditions.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 18/083)

### **Decision of Committee**

It was agreed to note the report of the Head of Finance and refer to An Chomhairle for approval.

## 12. **CORRESPONDENCE**

An Chomhairle to note correspondence, if any.

### 13. <u>CONFERENCE/SEMINAR SUMMARIES</u>

An Chomhairle to note summaries by Members of Conferences/Seminars attended, if any.

## 14. <u>CONFERENCES/SEMINARS</u>

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

#### 15. TRAINING

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

#### 16. CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S MONTHLY MANAGEMENT REPORT

An Chomhairle to note the Chief Executive's Monthly Management Report for June 2018.

## 17. **MOTIONS**

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

#### 17.1 POLICY ON OWNERSHIP OF COMMON DRAINS

'To ask can Cork City Council look at their policy in relation to ownership of private common drains. Is there a chance that IW will be taking these into public ownership.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 18/165)

#### **Environment & Recreation Functional Committee**

#### 17.2 TREE OUTSIDE 6 ILEN COURT, DEANROCK ESTATE

'That City Council would trim back the branches of a tree right outside No. 6 Ilen Court Deanrock Estate as a matter of urgency as these tree branches are on top of this property presently.'

(Proposer: Cllr. H. Cremin 18/226)

#### **Environment & Recreation Functional Committee**

### 17.3 INFILL HOUSING AT CUSHING PLACE, FARRANREE

'That Cork City Council will build infill housing at Cushing Place Farranree to counteract the illegal dumping and antisocial behaviour that is taking place.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. Collins 18/233)

## **Housing & Community Functional Committee**

#### 17.4 LANDS AT THE REAR OF AVONMORE PARK AND MOUNT BROSNA, MAYFIELD

'That Cork City Council undertake to clean up and develop and draw up an area plan for the lands at the rear of Avonmore Park and Mount Brosna in Mayfield by doing the following:-

- Remove all the Rubbish from all this area.
- Cut all the grass and remove all the weeds and overgrowth and most importantly, landscape the area in exactly the same way as the adjacent Glenamoy Lawn is finished.
- Repair all the lighting fittings along the pathway.
- The residents have expressed interest in helping to develop and maintaining this area and also the allocation of allotments. There is a significant interest in this.
- Residents have asked if the clean up of this area and pathway could be enhanced further by the introduction of benches along this pathway and they have requested that this newly developed enhanced area be called "Mayfield Memorial Gardens" in memory of all those affected by suicide in the Mayfield area. People who have previously used this area as a public dumping ground would hopefully have more respect for the area in its new guise.

The residents are very much in favour of the potential development of this area of waste land and are very keen to put it to good use and of positive benefit to our local Community.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Kavanagh 18/237)

#### **Environment & Recreation Functional Committee**

#### 17.5 INFILL HOUSING AT LAGAN GROVE

'That Cork City Council construct infill public housing on the existing Lagan Grove pathway to the South of Lagan Grove, and on the pathway known locally as the "Tarry Path" to the rear of Mount Brosna, Avonmore Park and Glenamoy Lawn.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Tynan 18/238)

## **Housing & Community Functional Committee**

### 17.6 **REPORT ON CORK LIMESTONE**

'That Cork City Council compile a report on the quantity of Cork Limestone available in Cork for further projects. The report should identify the quality of the limestone and areas within the city where it could be used.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Fitzgerald 18/239)

#### **Roads & Transportation Functional Committee**

## 17.7 TRAFFIC AT THE MARINA

'That Cork City Council follows through on its commitment to close part of the Marina to traffic at weekends, to start with Sundays. As the main works of the village are complete which was the deadline from a previous Motion.'

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Cahill 18/240)

#### **Roads & Transportation Functional Committee**

## 17.8 **FENCING AT FAIRFIELD, FARRANREE**

'That Cork City Council installs fencing around the Fairfield similar to Popham's Park Farranree to prevent antisocial behaviour and to protect the many users of this popular amenity.'

(Proposer: Cllr. Kenneth Collins 18/241)

#### **Environment & Recreation Functional Committee**

## 17.9 **RELAUNCH OF CORK CITY ORBITAL ROUTE**

'That the Cork City orbital route be relaunched as part of the strategy to encourage motorists to avoid the core city centre streets whenever possible.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. O'Driscoll 18/242)

#### **Roads & Transportation Functional Committee**

#### 17.10 TREES IN WILLOW BANK, CHURCH ROAD, BLACKROCK

'That the trees in Willow Bank, Church Road, Blackrock would as soon as possible be trimmed as they are currently grossly overgrown.'

(Proposer: Cllr. D. Cahill 18/243)

#### **Environment & Recreation Functional Committee**

## 17.11 EXTEND AREA OF ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION

'That City Council would extend the Area of Architectural Conservation to include areas of Glasheen Road which is very similar to Magazine Road. The area of most concern runs from Landscape Terrace to the entrance to Croaghta Park which are/were for the most part all terrace houses and are now in danger of being destroyed by developers changing house frontages and removal of railings, extensions etc.'

(Proposers: H. Cremin, T. Moloney 18/247)

Strategic Planning, Economic Development & Enterprise Functional Committee

#### 17.12 CHILDREN AT PLAY SIGN AT UPPER DOYLE ROAD, TURNERS CROSS

'That Cork City Council erect a Children at play sign at Upper Doyle Road, Turners Cross.'

(Proposer: Cllr. F. Kerins 18/251)

#### **Roads & Transportation Functional Committee**

## 17.13 **TREE PLANTING PROGRAMME**

'That the Council put in place a significant tree planting programme within the 2019 budget'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 18/252)

#### **Environment & Recreation Functional Committee**

#### 17.14 REVIEW OF OPW LOWER LEE SCHEME

'At the meeting of the passing of the Morrison's Island Part 8 it was tentatively agreed by some Party Whips that a review of the overall proposed OPW Lower Lee scheme be implemented. I am calling that a review be discussed again at a Party Whips meeting with a view to possible implementation.'

(Proposer: Cllr. K. McCarthy 18/253)

**Party Whips** 

#### 17.15 FORMER SOURCE HEALTH AND FITNESS COMPLEX

'That Cork City Council, further to my recent request to the CE would make every effort to purchase the former Source Health and Fitness Complex as a public leisure facility for the North East area of the city and that it should be managed by Leisureworld which has a proven track record in running similar facilities in Bishopstown and Churchfield.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 18/254)

#### **Environment & Recreation Functional Committee**

#### 17.16 UNUSED FIELDS NORTH OF MAYFIELD COMMUNITY SCHOOL

'That Cork City Council look to secure the two unused fields north of Mayfield Community School with view to constructing Social and Affordable Housing to meet the demand for housing in the area.'

(Proposer: Cllr. T. Brosnan 18/255)

#### **Housing & Community Functional Committee**

## 17.17 TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES AT O'MAHONEY'S AVENUE, ST. LUKE'S

'That appropriate traffic calming measures be examined and implemented on O'Mahoney's Avenue, St. Luke's. The street is being used as a shortcut by a great number of drivers and poses a threat to the health and safety of residents and pedestrians. Residents' vehicles have also been damaged by speeding motorists.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Cunningham 18/257)

#### **Roads & Transportation Functional Committee**

## 17.18 ROAD SIGNAGE AT O'MAHONEY'S AVENUE, ST. LUKE'S

'That road signage be erected on O'Mahoney's Avenue, St. Luke's to inform road users that a right-hand turn through Mayfield, Montenotte and St. Luke's Cross is not permitted. Such signage was removed in the past and should be re-installed.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Cunningham 18/258)

#### **Roads & Transportation Functional Committee**

### 17.19 STEPS AT BLAIR'S HILL, SUNDAY'S WELL

'That Cork City Council survey Blair's Hill, Sundays Well to determine if steps there can be gated to enhance community safety on a schedule agreeable to local residents.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 18/259)

### **Roads & Transportation Functional Committee**

### 17.20 <u>HOMELESS PERSONS UNIT, DRINAN ST.</u>

'The Cork City Council report on the services provided and budget available to the Homeless Persons Unit at Drinan St. and the Council's role in same. Council to clarify if the unit is to be relocated to a more suitable premises that is fit for purpose in addressing the ever growing numbers of the public needing support.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Nugent 18/260)

#### **Housing & Community Functional Committee**

#### 18. **MOTIONS**

#### 18.1 **V.A.T. RELIEF TO CITY RETAILERS**

'That Cork City Council calls on the government to target city retail with the same V.A.T. relief as is being given to the hotel sector. VAT Relief should be used in a targeted fashion to take pressure off sectors who are finding it difficult.'

(Proposer: Cllr. S. Martin 18/156)

#### 18.2 <u>CAMS REFERRALS FROM THE NORTH LEE CATCHMENT AREA</u>

'That Cork City Council calls on the HSE to put in place measures to ensure that CAMS referrals from the North Lee Catchment area are dealt with without having to send all vulnerable children to A/E.'

(Proposer: Cllr. J. Sheehan 18/248)

#### 18.3 <u>RETENTION OF HISTORY AS A JUNIOR CYCLE SUBJECT</u>

'That Cork City Council supports the retention of History as a Junior Cycle subject and calls on the Education Minister to review plans to drop it as a core subject.'

(Proposer: Cllr. M. Finn 18/256)

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