

Dunluce Road Update – Autumn 2013

Dear Resident,

Over the summer I took the opportunity to meet and speak with many of you regarding your local community and my role as your local representative on Dublin City Council. Some of you raised issues of concern within the local area.

- **The most frequently raised issue was the condition of carriageway and the footpaths on Dunluce Road.**
- **Some residents also reported an issue with water quality which has since been resolved.**
- **Water pressure problems are persisting – I have provided a list of addresses to the Council where particular problems are being experienced and the engineers are liaising directly with those householders.**

This leaflet contains the responses I have received so far received from Dublin City Council after raising these issues on your behalf.

If you have any queries on these issues or if there is something you would like me to address on your behalf please don't hesitate to contact me.

I look forward to hearing from you,

Cllr Jane Horgan-Jones

DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL
NORTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE
16th September 2013

Q.11 Question in the name of Councillor Jane Horgan Jones

"To ask the Area Manager to respond to the following issues that have arisen on **Dunluce Road**

- **Drains on Dunluce Road need clearing, there is often brown water seeping out of them at night – the trees are very overgrown on the street and fallen leaves may be contributing to the blocked drains.**
- **Can the potholes on Dunluce Road be repaired?**
- **Surface of Dunluce Road is very bad in general but there is an odd tarmacadam "ridge" just outside 43 Dunluce Road just opposite the cul de sac, can the manager say why this ridge is here and if it could be removed/repaired?**
- **There are also a lot of cracked footpaths on Dunluce Road in particular outside number 108, can these be repaired?**
- **Rubbish on the corner outside number 2 Dunluce Road needs to be cleared**

Reply:

1. Drainage gullies crews cleaned all gullies on **Dunluce Road** on the 02/09/13 and all gullies were found to be in good working order.
2. Road Maintenance Services has scheduled a number of pothole repairs in the coming 4-6 weeks. **Dunluce Road** Carriageway resurfacing repairs will be considered as part of the 2014 North Central Major Works Contract. Project Selection is dependent on funding availability and the condition of a road relative to others in the North Central Area.
3. Road Maintenance Services has inspected this location. The "ridge" appeared to be an old utility reinstatement. A repair has been scheduled at this location.
4. Road Maintenance Services has scheduled a number of footpath repairs in the coming 10-12 weeks.
5. **Dunluce Road** was cleaned on the 12th September 2013.

Some other snippets.....

Dumped Rubbish? Graffiti? Derelict property? Report it to Dublin City Council Self Service Portal

You can report any issues to Dublin City Council using their online web portal, which is on the homepage of www.dublincity.ie

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