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Meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick

to be held on Monday, 15th May, 2023

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor D. McSweeney

I will move at the next Meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that this Council draft a maintenance plan for Patrickswell Village and put the resource in place to action this plan once Patrickswell Village Renewal Scheme is completed later this year.

Reply:

Limerick City and County Council's Active Travel Department are currently delivering the Patrickswell Village Renewal Scheme. Once this scheme is completed by the contractor, the area will be handed back to Limerick City and County Council's Roads operations to maintain under its general maintenance budget allocation outlined on the annual Schedule of Municipal District Works. Any increase in budget required for the maintenance of the scheme would be reviewed as part of the Council's annual budgetary process.

Mike Richardson,
Senior Executive Engineer,

Roads, Traffic & Cleansing

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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor S. Kiely

I will move at the next Meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that the lanes behind the Dochas Offices in Parnell Street be provided with double yellow lines to allow for enforcement of parking regulation, given the fact that fire doors are being blocked by vehicles parked.

Reply: The lane behind the Dochas offices is property registered to Limerick City and County Council but is not a public road. In order to enforce double yellow lines along this laneway it must first be taken in charge as a public road. The Council will examine if this laneway is suitable for taking in charge, this would be subject to a survey, availability of funding to remedy defects, advertisement of a notice of the intention of the Council to take in charge the laneway. It would also require formal consideration by Councillors.

Liam Browne,
Senior Executive Engineer,
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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor J. Leddin

I will move at the next Meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that the Council reconsider my original proposal to introduce stickers on illegally parked cars throughout the city.

Reply:

Section 12 of the Road Traffic Act 2022 and as amended by Section 15 of the Road Traffic Act 2006 of the Local Authorities (Traffic Wardens) Act 1975 provides the Council's Traffic Wardens with the legal basis to issue fixed charge notices to illegally parked cars and to affix such a notice to the vehicle. These notices are bright yellow tickets which are usually placed under a windscreen wiper. There is no legal basis for the Council's Traffic Wardens to affix stickers to vehicles and these would be prohibited under the provisions of the Litter Pollution Acts, 1997 - 2009. The Traffic Section will examine the use of adhesive holders for parking notices for use in limited circumstances, these would be larger and more noticeable than the notice itself.

**Liam Browne,
Senior Executive Engineer,
Roads, Traffic & Cleansing**
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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor C. Sheehan:

I will move at the next Meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that the Metropolitan Council requests the extension of the dockless bike scheme to Corbally, the Northside and to third level institutions not served by the existing public bike scheme.

Reply:

The current dockless bike share scheme is operating in the Castletroy area with two parking zones located in the city, at Locke Quay and at Colbert Station. The operating area for this pilot scheme has been defined in agreement with the NTA.

Subject to the successful operation of this pilot scheme, and in agreement with the NTA, it is the intention that the dockless scheme will be extended to other areas of Limerick Metropolitan District in the future.

**Hugh McGrath,
Senior Engineer,
Transportation and Mobility Directorate**
10th May, 2023



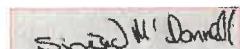
MEETING OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF LIMERICK TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, 15TH May, 2023

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor C. Sheehan

I will move at the next Meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that the Council implements an awareness campaign on the burning of hazardous material/illegal waste at bonfires.

REPLY:

The council would like to this opportunity to once again highlight that the burning of any waste in a bonfire, backyard fire, stove or indoor grate is illegal and dangerous and should not be undertaken by any person. Limerick City and County Council will undertake an awareness campaign in relation to illegal bonfires. The most suitable time for this would be in the run up to May eve (which has just passed) in the Metro area and Halloween in the wider county areas. The council will also investigate doing a collaborative campaign with the fire service and the Gardai.



Sinead Mc Donnell
Environment Awareness Officer
12th May 2023