

## DEPUTATION MEETING MINUTES

**Date:** Wednesday 27th APRIL 2011

**Deputation Group:** Brookfield Fettercairn LC & MacUilliam RA

**Venue:** Council Chamber

**Time:** 3pm – 3.45pm

**Electoral Area:** Tallaght South & Tallaght Central

<b>Councillors Present:</b>	Cllr. Cathal King Cllr. John Hannon Cllr. Máire Devine Cllr. Chris Bond
<b>Deputation:</b>	Grace Malone Annette O'Brien Kevin Shortall
<b>Council Officials Present:</b>	
Mbakure Johnson	Roads Dept.
Su Clarke	Community Services
Dee Kelly	Community Services Dept.
Jim Barry	Community Services Dept.

The meeting was **chaired** by Councillor Cathal King

Apologies: Cllr. Marie Corr, Cllr. Mick Duff.

<b>Item No. 1.</b>	To express the need for a pedestrian crossing between the entrance of MacUilliam Estate to the other side of the road. More specifically it is believed that this crossing should be located between the entrance of the estate and St. Aidan's Community School.	
<b>Item No. 2.</b>	What is proposed by South Dublin County Council in relation to this matter? What has been planned by South Dublin County Council to enable access to and from the MacUilliam Estate for pedestrians?	
<b>Item No. 3.</b>	Discussion on the possible area(s) of agreement in relation to the location of a pedestrian crossing(s).	
<b>Item No. 4.</b>	The timeframe/schedule of future works in relation to road safety and pedestrian access to and from the MacUilliam Estate.	

	<b>Action To Be Taken</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All the above items were addressed together.</li> <li>• The Group outlined their concerns regarding road safety for pedestrians crossing the road as there is no pedestrian crossing in place. As there is no safe place to cross the road some parents are driving the short distance to school instead of walking with the children.</li> <li>• Requested a footfall count to be carried out before the schools break up for summer holidays.</li> <li>• The Group also stated that more traffic will be expected along this route when the extension of the LUAS line is operational.</li> <li>• The Part 8 will be examined to see if a pedestrian crossing was included.</li> <li>• Footpaths would have to be put in place first and then determine an appropriate location for a pedestrian crossing. Mbakure Johnson will keep in contact with the Group.</li> <li>• The cost of putting in a pedestrian crossing including lights would be approx. €30,000 to €40,000.</li> <li>• Raise this matter at the Traffic Management Meeting and the Tallaght Area Committee Meeting.</li> </ul>	<p>Mbakure Johnson</p> <p>Mbakure Johnson</p> <p>Mbakure Johnson</p> <p>Cllr. Cathal King</p>