DEPUTATION MEETING MINUTES

Date: Wednesday 26th October 2011

Deputation Group: Orwell Park (Templeogue) Residents Association

Councillors Present:	Cllr. Pamela Kearns,
	Cllr. Eamonn Walsh,
	Cllr. Colm Brophy,
	Cllr. Maire Devine.
Deputation:	Stephen Willoughby
	Ciaran Boylan
	Denis Donoghue
Council Officials Present:	
Carmel O'Grady	Parks Dept.
Michael Hannon	Parks Dept.
Michael Glynn	Roads Dept.
Donna Lakes	Environmental Services.
Dee Kelly	Community Services Dept.
Patricia Davis	Community Services Dept.

The meeting was **chaired** by Councillor Pamela Kearns.

Apologies: Cllr. Dermot Looney, Cllr. Marie Corr & Cllr. Emma Coburn.

Item No. 1.	Halloween - support from Parks Department on the day.		
	Action To Be Taken	Responsibility	
	• Services to remove bonfire material will be stretched this year following the recent flooding in the SDCC area. Parks Department will assist in the removal of bonfire material where possible.	Michael Hannon	

Item No. 2.	Trees within Orwell Park Estate a list has already identified planting and pruning. Possible additions for the future.		
	Action To Be Taken	Responsibility	
	A draft Arboriculture Programme was recently presented to the Councillors. Carmel O'Grady advised the Residents Association to compare the draft programme with their list. Any comments will be kept on file for future programmes.	Carmel O'Grady	
	• The removal of the tree stumps is being carried out at the moment.		

Item No. 3.	Litter and graffiti - identify who in SDCC removes the litter and enforces fines, - who removes the Graffiti which seems to be a growing problem throughout the County.	
	Action To Be Taken	Responsibility
	 Reports of litter and illegal dumping can be submitted on a Customer Care Form which is located at the top of the www.sdcc.ie website. SDCC are stretched on resources therefore no money is available to provide residents with paint to remove graffiti. The Environmental Welfare Officers visit schools to talk about litter and graffiti outlining various projects that money could be spent on if litter and graffiti were not such a big problem. 	Donna Lakes

Item No. 4.	Road Ramp Maintenance - the ramps are in very bad repair on Wellington Lane and surrounding area.	
	Action To Be Taken	Responsibility
	• Some ramps have been repaired recently and others will be repaired in 2012. The Residents Association are to submit a list of ramps in need of repair to Roads Department.	Michael Glynn

Item No. 5.	Orwell Park Green - discuss and investigate the completion, as previously identified on Development Plan.	
	Action To Be Taken	Responsibility
	• A site meeting has been arranged for Wednesday 16 th November 2011 at 10.30am.	Carmel O'Grady