

DEPUTATION MEETING REPORT

Date & Time	28 th September 2022 @ 4pm
Deputation Group	Templeroan Residents Association
Deputation Attendees	Caroline Egan, Helena Shanahan
Elected Members	Cllr Lynn Hagan Meade, Cllr Yvonne Collins, Cllr William Joseph Carey
Council Officials	Margaret Farrell, Marian Travers, Micheal Murtagh, Brendan Redmond, Eamon Harnett, Angela Kelleghan, Sheila Kelly

Cllr Lynn Hagan Meade presided.

Items discussed

1. Removal of Shrubbery along pathway (from Templeroan roundabout towards Ballyboden roundabout)

The group acknowledged that the Council had trimmed the bushes on the roadside at this location which has improved the area a little, however, the footpath/cycle lane side is still overgrown. This creates a walkway that is badly lit and unsafe for users

Eamon Harnett replied to the groups query

Commitment given:

- To arrange a meeting with the group in the next 3 to 4 weeks to look at the area and agree what needs pruning and thinning out

2. Benches for estate entrance

The group would like to request benches for the estate. The area suggested is at the entrance to the estate in front of the trees.

Brendan Redmond replied to the groups query

Commitment given:

- To meet with the group to discuss where the benches could be located. Will look at including in the improvement works for next year

3. Templeroan View – inadequate space for parking

The group expressed concern that the residents of Templeroan View are unable to park outside their houses due to the increased traffic caused by the opening of the back gate into Sancta Maria. This only became a problem when Sancta Maria were given planning permission for the new entrance into this estate. They requested the possibility of a section of the green area to be designated for car parking spaces.

Angela Kelleghan replied to the groups query

No commitment given – residents advised to contact the Gardai re parking issues.

4. Development of main green space

The group expressed an interest in developing the green space to include pathways and benches.

Brendan Redmond replied to the groups query.

Commitments given:

- Will meet the resident's association on site to discuss the best use of the green area. Has noted it in the list for consideration for 2023 improvement works programme.

5. Templeroan Meadows – removal of tree stumps

The group acknowledged the work of the Council in cutting down trees in the estate that were too close to lampposts. There are a number of stumps still in situ in Templeroan Meadow that the residents would like removed.

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