#### **DEPUTATION MEETING REPORT**

Date & Time 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2022 @ 3pm

**Deputation Group** Cypress Grove Residents Association

**Deputation Attendees** Niall Clarke, David McManus, Neville O'Boyle, Paul Swayne

Elected Members Cllr Lynn Hagin Meade, Cllr Pamela Kearns, Cllr Yvonne Collins,

Cllr Lynn McCrave

Council Officials Damien Wildes, Liam McNeela, Angela Kelleghan, Sheila Kelly,

Eamon Harnett, Martin Rogers, Fionnuala Keane, Margaret

Farrell, Marian Travers

Cllr Lynn Hagan Meade presided.

#### Items discussed

# 1. Improvements on the tree growth area on the right side entering Cypress Downs from Glendown

The group expressed concern that the area had become overgrown and unslightly

Damien Wildes replied to the groups query

#### Commitment given:

- To meet on site to determine section by section what unsustainable growth can be cleared and what must remain for ecological and aesthetic purposes. As part of that work dead trees and tree trunks to be removed.
- 2. Footpaths with weed growth and uneven surfaces along our green spaces. Replacement or resurfacing is required.

The group highlighted a green space area between The Heath and The Court where the footpath is currently cobblestone and expressed concern that this path needs weed clearing on a regular basis to keep it under control. They would like to see a circular footpath put in around the green area. Another area given in the estate was the tarmac footpath between Cypress Drive and The Green which is difficult to keep clear as the grass margins encroach on the pathway, the group would like this to be resurfaced. Grass verges along Cypress

Lawn also encroach on the footpath. The group is to provide a list and photos of the areas they feel need to be looked at.

Liam McNeela and Damien Wildes replied to the groups query

### **Commitment given:**

- Roads are in the process of drafting the 2023 Roads programme and will look to include areas within the estate that are most in need of repair, within the budget available. (Liam McNeela)
- Public Realm to meet on site and inspect the areas of concern (Damien Wildes)
- 3. Installation of visual speedometer between The Drive and Kilvere estate to slow vehicles down.

The group would like to see the installation of a visual speedometer as this is a busy stretch of road and there a lot of young people in the estate

Angela Kelleghan replied to the groups query

#### **Commitment given:**

- If there are speeding issues then these are to be brought to the attention of the Gardai.
- To refer to Maeve Cantwell re traffic calming measures that are in place
- 4. Green area and tree stumps opposite laneway from Cypress Grove South to Templeogue Wood. If stumps and roots are removed, grass seeded, and the level flattened the residents will keep it maintained

The group would like the area along the laneway cleared, roots removed and the ground levelled to make it easier to maintain the grass

Damien Wildes replied to the groups query

## **Commitment given:**

To meet on site to discuss possible actions to be taken