

**Comhairle Contae Fine Gall
Fingal County Council
BLANCHARDSTOWN-MULHUDDART/CASTLEKNOCK/ONGAR
AREA COMMITTEE
(Services A – Operational Matters)
Thursday 25th June 2026**

A meeting of the Members of the Blanchardstown-Mulhuddart/Castleknock/Ongar Area Committee (Services A-Operational Matters) was held in the Council Chamber, Civic Offices, Blanchardstown, at 3.30pm on Thursday 25th June 2026.

PRESENT

Councillors

John Burtchaell
Kieran Dennison
Eimear Carbone-Mangan
Breda Hanaphy
Angela Donnelly
Tom Kitt
Mary McCamley

Councillors

JK. Onwumereh
Tania Doyle
Siobhan Shovlin
Ellen Troy
John Walsh
Ted Leddy

The Area Chairperson, Councillor Eimear Carbone Mangan, presided.

Apologies for inability to attend were received for Councillor H. Redwood, Councillor P. Quinlan and Councillor G. Sheehan

OFFICIALS PRESENT

Vanessa Carey (Senior Executive Officer); Deirdre Sinclair (Administrative Officer); Hugh James (Senior Executive Engineer); Quintin Greally (Executive Engineer); Stephen Johnson (Executive Parks & Landscape Officer); Lourda D'arcy (Assistant Parks & Landscape Officer); (Ronan Davis (Staff Officer); Elaine Tobin (Assistant Staff Officer)

The following agenda items were considered during the meeting:

CMA/143/26 (Agenda Item No 1)

Confirmation and Re-Affirmation of Minutes of the Blanchardstown-Mulhuddart/Castleknock/Ongar Area Committee (Services A - Operational Matters) Meeting held on Thursday the 28th of May 2026

Minutes of the Blanchardstown-Mulhuddart/Castleknock/Ongar Area Committee (Services A – Operational Matters) held in the Council Chambers on Thursday 28th May 2026 which had been circulated were submitted and **APPROVED** as a true record.

It was proposed by Councillor M. McCamley and seconded by Councillor B. Hanaphy and **RESOLVED**:

“That the recommendations contained in the Minutes of the Blanchardstown-Mulhuddart/Castleknock/Ongar Area Committee (Services A- Operational Matters) Hybrid Meeting held on Thursday 28th May 2026 be **ADOPTED**.”

CMA/144/26 (Agenda Item No)

QUESTIONS

It was proposed by Councillor J. Walsh and seconded by Councillor M. McCamley and **RESOLVED**:

“That pursuant to Standing Order No. 51, Questions numbered 02 to 17 inclusive be **ADOPTED** .”

CMA/145/26 (Agenda Item No 2)

Councillor S. Shovlin - Signage for 3.5 Tonne Vehicles at Porterstown Road - AI108927

CMA/146/26 (Agenda Item No 3)

Councillor J. Walsh - Update on Completion Works and Re-opening of Porterstown Park - AI109023

CMA/147/26 (Agenda Item No 4)

Councillor J. Walsh - Installation of Traffic Calming Measures on Blanchardstown Road South - AI109122

CMA/148/26 (Agenda Item No 5)

Councillor J. Walsh - Update on Traffic Survey for Old Navan Road/Castleknock Manor - AI109123

CMA/149/26 (Agenda Item No 6)

Councillor J. Walsh - Site Meeting for Planting and Improvements by Coolmine Woods Estate - AI109124

CMA/150/26 (Agenda Item No 7)

Councillor A. Donnelly - Update on Planting Scheme at Ongar Distributor Road - AI109099

CMA/151/26 (Agenda Item No 8)

Councillor A. Donnelly - Update on Spring Bulbs in this LEA - AI109101

CMA/152/26 (Agenda Item No 9)

Councillor A. Donnelly - Planting Scheme at Entrance to Hartstown Park - AI109102

CMA/153/26 (Agenda Item No 10)

Councillor A. Donnelly - Maintenance Works at Green Areas of Hansfield Wood - AI109103

CMA/154/26 (Agenda Item No 11)

Councillor A. Donnelly - Anti-Social Behaviour Hartstown Park - AI109104

CMA/155/26 (Agenda Item No 12)

Councillor A. Donnelly - Anti-Social Behaviour in Hazelbury Park - AI109105

CMA/156/26 (Agenda Item No 13)

Councillor A. Donnelly - Anti-Social Behaviour in Ongar Park - AI109106

CMA/157/26 (Agenda Item No 14)

Councillor B. Hanaphy - Update on Opening of Car Park at Tyrrelstown Park - AI109114

CMA/158/26 (Agenda Item No 15)

Councillor B. Hanaphy - Maintenance of Grass Verges on the Churchfields Link Road - AI109115

CMA/159/26 (Agenda Item No 16)

Councillor B. Hanaphy - Additional Road Sweeping on the R135 - AI109116

CMA/160/26 (Agenda Item No 17)

Councillor E. Troy - Report on Bulky Waste Disposal Costs in this LEA - AI109121

OPERATIONAL NEW WORKS, ETC.

CMA/161/26 (Agenda Item No 18)

Review of Casual Trading Bye-Laws 2021

Following discussion, the report was **NOTED**.

CMA/162/26 (Agenda Item No 19)

Update on Scrambler Activity in Hartstown Park

Following discussion, the report was **NOTED**.

CMA/163/26 (Agenda Item No 20)

Extinguishment of right of way in favour of Fingal County Council, on lands in the ownership of St. Laurence O'Toole Diocesan at Corduff

Following discussion, the report was **NOTED**.

MOTIONS

CMA/164/26 (Agenda Item No 21)

Councillor S. Shovlin - Installation of Pedestrian Crossing between Phoenix Park Entrance (Castleknock Gate) and Auburn Avenue Junction - AI108789

The Motion in the name of Councillor S. Shovlin was proposed by Councillor S. Shovlin and seconded by Councillor J. Walsh

The report by the Chief Executive which had been circulated was considered.

Following discussion, the report was **ACCEPTED**.

CMA/165/26 (Agenda Item No 22)

Councillor J. Walsh - Reinstatement of Road in College Grove - AI109022

The Motion in the name of Councillor J. Walsh was proposed by Councillor J. Walsh and seconded by Councillor A. Donnelly

The report by the Chief Executive which had been circulated was considered.

Following discussion, the report was **ACCEPTED**.

CMA/166/26 (Agenda Item No 23)

Councillor A. Donnelly - All Weather Pitch at Hartstown Park - AI109100

The Motion in the name of Councillor A. Donnelly was proposed by Councillor A. Donnelly and seconded by Councillor B. Hanaphy

The report by the Chief Executive which had been circulated was considered.

Following discussion, the report was **ACCEPTED**.

CMA/167/26 (Agenda Item No 24)

Councillor B. Hanaphy - Extension of Fencing at Mount Garrett Grove and Tyrrelstown Park - AI109119

The Motion in the name of Councillor B. Hanaphy was proposed by Councillor B. Hanaphy and seconded by Councillor A. Donnelly

The report by the Chief Executive which had been circulated was considered.

Following discussion, the report was **ACCEPTED**.

CMA/168/26 (Agenda Item No 25)

Councillor J. Walsh - Repairs to Swing Gate at Bramley Walk - AI109051

The Motion in the name of Councillor J. Walsh was proposed by Councillor J. Walsh and seconded by Councillor M. McCamley

The report by the Chief Executive which had been circulated was considered.

Following discussion, the report was **ACCEPTED**.

CMA/169/26 (Agenda Item No 26)

Councillor A. Donnelly - Report on Bus Shelters in this LEA - AI109113

The Motion in the name of Councillor A. Donnelly was proposed by Councillor A. Donnelly and seconded by Councillor B. Hanaphy

The report by the Chief Executive which had been circulated was considered.

Following discussion, the report was **ACCEPTED**.

The Meeting concluded at 16.45hrs

AREA CHAIRPERSON

DATED