

Welcome to our first news brief in July.

Dublin City Council Customer Survey

Chance to win €500 in prizes for your group

Dublin City Council is preparing a new Customer Action Plan and a Service Delivery Strategy. The City Council would like to hear your views on how it can improve customer service and make it easier for you to interact with the Council and access Council services. Your feedback will be used to help develop new and improved ways of delivering services to the citizens, businesses and communities of Dublin.

There are three One 4 All vouchers to give away, worth €250, €150 and €100. To be in with a chance of winning one of these great prizes for your group please click <http://surveys.delve-surveys.com/s3/ppn2017> to complete the survey. The survey will only take 10 minutes of your time. The closing date for completing this survey is **6pm on Friday 14th July**.

PPN Linkage Group Meetings

Disability and Environmental Linkage Group Meetings

There is an Environmental Pillar Linkage Group Meeting on **Tuesday 11th July at 6.30pm** in the Housing Conference Room, Block 2, Floor 2, Civic Offices, Woodquay, Dublin 8.

The purpose of this meeting is to meet with the Environment SPC elected Representatives and to discuss any environmental issues. Dublin City Council Biodiversity Officer, Shane Casey, will be attending this meeting.

Please find attached the Representatives report from the last SPC meeting on 26th April. Supporting documents can be found at <https://www.dublincity.ie/councilmeetings/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=152&MId=2178&Ver=4>

If you would like to attend this linkage group meeting please RSVP to nina.farrell@dublincity.ie by Friday 7th July 2017.

There is an inaugural meeting to form a new Disability Linkage Group on **Tuesday 18th July at 6.30pm** in the Housing Conference Room, Block 2, Floor 2, Civic Offices, Woodquay, Dublin 8.

If you would like to join the Disability Linkage Group and attend this linkage group meeting please RSVP to nina.farrell@dublincity.ie by Friday 14th July 2017.

If you have any queries about either of these meetings please contact Nina Farrell, PPN Coordinator, on 01-2223851 or email nina.farrell@dublincity.ie

Sutton to Sandycove Cycleway & Footway

It is proposed to amend the previously approved Planning Permission 3601/12 for Sutton to Sandycove Cycleway & Footway Interim Works to include for the modification of the flood defence sea wall on James Larkin Road D3 between Mount Prospect Avenue D3 and Watermill Road D5.

It is proposed to reduce the height of the flood defence sea wall from 4.25mOD to a height ranging from 4.06mOD to 3.95mOD to provide an effect flood defence height of a minimum of 3.95mOD and a pedestrian parapet of a minimum of 500mm high.

Plans and Particulars of the proposed development may be inspected or purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy until 26th July 2017 during public opening hours at the offices of Dublin City Council, Public Counter, Planning & Property Development Department, Block 4, Ground Floor, Civic Offices, Wood Quay, Dublin 8, Monday - Friday 9.00am to 4.30pm.

The proposal can also be viewed at:

- Marino Library, 14 - 20 Marino Mart, Clontarf, Dublin 3
- Raheny Library, Howth Road, Dublin 5
- Red Stables, St Anne's Park, Mount Prospect Avenue, Dublin 3

Plans and particulars can be viewed online at www.cycledublin.ie

A submission or observation in relation to the proposed development, dealing with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area in which the development would be situated may be made, in writing, to the Executive Manager, Planning & Property Development Department, Dublin City Council, Civic Offices, Wood Quay, Dublin 8, before **4.30pm on 10th August 2017**.

Beat the Street

Play the walking and cycling game from 13th September - 1st November 2017

Beat the Street is a fun, free, real-life walking and cycling game. Earn points and win prizes by tapping special cards onto sensors known as Beat Boxes as you travel around.

The Beat Boxes will be placed on lamp posts across Dublin and will be activated from 13th September 2017. Tapping two Beat Boxes within an hour records your journey. How far can you go?!

Register online at beatthestreet.me/dublin to win prizes, see your points and distance travelled; watch your team move up the leaderboard and see how far we travel into space! Prizes will be given for 'lucky taps' for adults and children and the top teams will win prizes over the seven week race.

Beat the Street is for everyone. Individuals, schools, workplaces, community groups and families can all take part. All ages and levels of fitness welcome. Join up with any team by visiting beatthestreet.me/dublin

You can pick up a Beat the Street card from your library, leisure centre or community centre. Full details on events, bonus boxes and Terms and Conditions on beatthestreet.me/dublin

"Check it Fits" Service

Did you know it's the law that all children under 150cms or 36kgs must use a child car seat appropriate to their weight and height. In Ireland as many as 4 out of 5 child car seats are incorrectly fitted which can lead to serious injury or even death in a collision.

Since October 2013, the RSA's 'Check it Fits' Service has checked over 21,000 child car seats and restraints in Ireland. Worryingly, 79% of seats required a major adjustment, of which 3% were deemed not fit for purpose and condemned, meaning they could have caused injury or even death in the event of a collision.

The RSA's Check it Fits service will be visiting Toyota in Liffey Valley Business Park, Dublin 22 on **Thursday 20th July from 10.00am – 5.30pm.**

The Check it Fits service is quick, it's easy, it's free. On the day our experts will advise on how to fix any problem, demonstrate how to fit the restraint correctly and answer any queries participants might have. Our experts aim to put parent's, grandparent's and guardian's minds at ease that their child's car seat is safely and securely fitted in their car.

For more information on the service visit www.checkitfits.ie
