'Epidemic' dumping at Scotch Quay

Dumping of household items at Scotch Quay

KIERAN FOLEY REPORTS

A LOCAL Councillor says dumping of household waste in the Scotch Quay area has reached "epidemic" levels.

Cllr Joe Kelly (Ind) has described the level of dumping in the area as "out of control".

"The law abiding residents who live there are sick of their area being used as a dumping ground," he said.

"Having spoken to some of them, the level frustration felt is obvious and there are a lot of young children who play in the area".

He described the area in and around Scotch Quay as "one of the nicest looking in the inner city with buildings tastefully restored to a very high standard".

"With the river at full tide, and the sun shining, it is absolutely beautiful," he said.

"What kind of impression does this type of dumping give to our tourists who are always walking in the area? The Marina Hotel is not 50 metres from this dumping site. The impression given to visitors must be of a ghetto, which is far from the truth. The area is perfect for inner city living and must be protected from this kind of dumping".

Concluding, Cllr Kelly said: "I'm calling on Waterford City & County Council to take effective measures to identify those responsible and prosecute them to the full. Surveillance cameras should be used to monitor the area so clear evidence is gathered for use in prosecutions. This is the least the residents and businesses in the area deserve."

Cllr Joe Kelly

Comhairle Cathrach & Contae Phort Láirge
Waterford City & County Council

TEMPORARY CLOSING OF ROADS SECTION 75 ROADS ACT 1993

Notice is hereby given that Waterford City and County Council, in exercise of its powers pursuant to Section 75 Roads Act 1993, will close the following public road from **5th February to 9th March 2018** to facilitate installation of new water main for Irish Water:

Road to be closed:

- L3035 Faha, Co. Waterford
  Diversion Route:
- Via N25 turning south onto L3029 Stradbally Road and along L3035 to Faha Church.

Fergus Galvin **23rd January 2018**
Director of Services
Roads, Water and Environment

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION FOR A FORESHORE LICENCE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 19 of the Foreshore Act, 1933 that Greenlink Interconnector Limited, Unit C, Building 4200, Cork Airport Business Park, has applied to the Minister of Housing, Planning and Local Government for a licence under Section 3 of the said Act for Marine Surveys in relation to a proposed Interconnector Cable at Hook Head, Co. Wexford.

A copy of the application, and the relevant maps, plans, and drawings, are available for inspection for the next 21 working days, free of charge, at Waterford Garda Station, Ballybricken, Waterford City.

The documentation is available on the Department's website http://www.housing.gov.ie/planning/foreshore/applications/greenlink-interconnector-limited

Any person who wishes to make an objection to, or a representation in respect of the grant of the licence sought should do so in writing, giving reasons, within 21 working days of publication of this Notice (quoting ref: FS006582), to the Foreshore Unit, Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government, Newtown Road, Wexford, Co. Wexford or foreshore@housing.gov.ie. The closing date for submissions is close of business on 22nd February 2018.

All objections and representations received will be forwarded to the applicant for comment prior to any decision being made in the matter. Material upon which the Minster shall determine this application may be published on the Department's website. In this regard the Department wishes to draw attention to its policy on defamatory material that may be contained in submissions it receives, which may be found at: http://www.housing.gov.ie/planning/foreshore/public-participation-foreshore-consent-process

Dated this day 23rd January of 2018
Name and address: Tom Brinicombe, Development Manager, Unit C Building 4200, Cork Airport Business Park, Cork, Ireland

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