

Sandymount & Merrion Residents Association

Annual General Meeting 2016

Sandymount Hotel

29th November 2016

8.00 pm

Agenda

Minutes of AGM 2015

Chairman's Report

Hon. Treasurer's Report.

Any Other Business.

Present: Mrs J. Macarthur, Chairperson. J. Cassidy, Hon Secretary. L. Handy, Hon Treasurer.

Mrs. L. Kelly. Mrs. I. Lynch. P. Dunne.

Apologies were received from D. Flynn. Ms. M. Brindley. Ms. M. Higgins.

In attendance: Cllrs. D. Lacey, P. McCartan, F. Kennedy, K. Humpries.

Eoin Murphy T.D. sent his apologies for his inability to attend.

Minutes were read and adapted.

Hon. Treasurer read Financial Statement.

Mrs. Macarthur reported on the events of the year. Noting that the Family Fun Day had to be cancelled together with the raffle which normally was a major part of SAMRA's income. She thanked the committee members for their work during the year with special thanks to the members who distributed the AGM fliers. Mrs Macarthur regretted the small number of members who are willing to become members of the committee also the relatively small number of people living in the district who are members of SAMRA. She expressed thanks to Mr. Declan Hayden from D.C.C. for his help and assistance at Tidy Towns and Family Fun Day. It was noted that Mr Hayden had been awarded the Lifetime Recognition Award for his work with the community.

The Chairman then invited members questions. The flood proposals and raising the sea wall was discussed at length including the difficulty getting house insurance which led into the N.T.A. proposal regarding rerouting traffic at Merrion Hall. The Councillors present were

unanimous in their opinion that the latter will never happen but the former was a necessity and would alleviate the house insurance problem

The condition of the surface of Strand Road was raised particularly in relation to heavy trucks and the opening in the Spring of the Incinerator.