

## **1. Municipal District of Dundalk**

In **Dundalk**, works are progressing on the preparation for 2018 Road Works Programme starting on site.

Minor repairs to roads, footpaths, signage, manhole covers and gullies is carryout as required.

White line refreshing has continued at various location in the Town with Additional Road Marking having been placed.

Maintenance continues on the Public Parks. The Borders and Flower Beds have been planted and the Hanging baskets and Planters put out. Grass cutting is ongoing in all areas.

Litter picking, emptying bins & street sweeping continues on a daily basis. Removal & disposal of dumped household and similar rubbish from public areas continues.

Maintenance of the public foul and storm sewerage network continues with blockages and flooding being cleared as required.

Traffic Light Maintenance and collision repairs continues.

In **Cooley**, general maintenance of roads, footpaths, signage, gullies, drains, verges, etc continues.

Surface Dressing has been completed at Ballygoly, Benagh, Moneycrockroe, Corrakit & Glenmore.

Pothole patching has continued as required.

Verge cutting is underway on the Regional Roads in the Cooley Area.

Street Cleaning and Bin Collection continues in Carlingford, Omeath & Greenore.

Increased amounts of Illegally dumped rubbish and tyres have been lifted at various locations. Asbestos containing materials have been dumped at a number of locations and require the services of specialist licensed Contractors to dispose off.

Gardai were assisted with Traffic Management provision/ Road Closure at RTA/ Emergency Incidents, etc.

## **Blackrock / Faughart Monthly Report For July 2018**

Works carried out this month mainly connected to surface dressing roads including LS-7108 Balregan to Kilcurry. LS-7108 Kilcurry to marmions Cross. LS-7184 from Dunmahon cross to Ardee road. LS-7098 Faughart Hill. LP-3122 Maghereagh Cross to Belrobin, LP-3122 from Belroin to N53, LP-3136 from Mullabohy to Carrickacreagh, LS-5137 from R178 to Little Ash, LS-7107 Balregan, LS-7114 Killin, LS-7111 Tateetra. All roads surface dressed and all white lines and stop lines reinstated all temporary management signage removed all surface dressing roads completed .

Tar patching repairing pot holes was carried out on road numbers LS-7093 Faughart, LS 7120 Shannmullagh, LS-7112 Roche Hackballscross.

Illegally dumped rubbish/litter was lifted at various locations including N53 Newtownbalregan, Dublin Road, LS-7103 Carn and Kilcurry.

Cleaning and repairing of gullies was carried out at Ferns Blackrock R172 from Green Gates Blackrock to the Loakers

Emptying of litter bin is going with bins emptied on Fridays and Mondays .

## **2. Ardee Municipal District Operations**

Road maintenance operations including patching and pothole repairs were carried out at various locations including: - LP1212 Stabannon, LP2223-29, LP1233 Churchtown, LP2257-27 Whiteriver, LP2215 Mansfieldstown, LP2226 Stabannon, LS5207 Churchtown, LS5211 Irishtown and LP1296 Leabby Cross – Meath Border.

Overlay works on roads included in the RWP 2018 were suspended for the duration of the Fleadh.

Drainage maintenance, such as opening of drainage outlets, back-drains and cleaning of gullies, is continuing on an ongoing basis at various locations including: - R165 Blakestown area, LS6270 Gunstown, Philipstown and Mountain View, Dunleer.

Litter collection, playground inspections, lifebuoy inspections and routine graveyard maintenance are ongoing on a weekly basis throughout the area including.

Other road maintenance operations such as maintaining, cleaning and replacing of road signage, repairing pedestrian railing, removal of vegetation around signs and traffic light maintenance was undertaken at various locations throughout the area.

Vegetation was also cut back at various crossroads to improve driver sightlines and around traffic signs at various locations.

Footpath refurbishment works took place in Ferdia Park, Ardee. Works were also carried out on the Slip Way, Salterstown.

Road markings to regulate parking and maintain traffic flows are continuing on an ongoing basis. Works are prioritised due to limited resources and carried out when the weather is suitable.

## **Ardee Municipal Area – North Louth**

### *SD and Patching*

The patching crew cleaned and swept roads that are been surface dressed and they also patched at Rathbrist and Charleville as part of regular maintenance work.

Road patching was also carried out at, Mooretown and Arthurstown, at Cuillenstown, Ballyoran road and the Mills of Louth, Stonetown Lower and at the Bollies at Williamstown, Mullacrew road and on Arthurstown Little – Charlestown road.

The patching crew removed the signage from the surface dressed roads after they had been swept.

### *Cutting Hedges*

Hedges were cut around various junctions to improve sightlines including Killany, Lannet, Tullygowan, Stonetown, Ballykelly and the Crum Rubber road.

Hedge cutting was also carried out at Seabank and at the Pepperstown and Ballybaille junctions

The flail was also cutting around the following junctions Mansfieldtown, Newtowndarver, Channonrock, Readypenny Mullacrew and a start was made at Milltown, Dromiskin, Louth Village, Springhill and Crowmartin.

### *Rubbish*

Illegally dumped rubbish from the Charleville road, Commons Rd and Little Road Dromiskin for the Litter Warden

The rubbish was collected from Tallanstown and Louth Village

### *Drainage*

Drainage outlets were opened in the Dromiskin area.

The drainage work at Cavanrobert was concluded.

The jetter cleaned gullies and pipelines at various locations including Ardee – Tallanstown Rd, Fr Finn Park in Louth Village, Reaghstown, and the Knockbridge – Louth Village Rd and the Rathneety road.

Drainage stone was placed along the edge of the Cavanrobert road.

### *Play grounds etc.*

lifebuoys and playgrounds were checked.

Road Signage was power washed at various locations across the Ardee-North Louth area.

### **3. Borough District of Drogheda Operations**

Road maintenance operations, such as patching and pothole repairs have been carried out at various locations across the road network including: - Termon Abbey, Boyne Road, Oak Lawns, Sunday's Gate and Rope Walk.

Drainage maintenance, such as cleaning of road gullies is continuing on an ongoing basis at various locations throughout the Town.

Overlay works on roads included in the RWP 2018 were suspended for the duration of the Fleadh.

Preparation works for the upcoming Fleadh 2018 continued daily throughout the Town; hired cleaning machines working on West st and others to enhance appearance.

Other road maintenance operations such as maintaining and replacing road signage, traffic light maintenance, barrier was undertaken at various locations throughout the Town. Bollards were repaired, washed, painted and new reflective paint applied at various locations including the Dublin Road.

Footpath repairs were carried out at various locations around the Town including the following: - Dublin Road and Riverview, Mell.

Road markings to regulate parking and maintain traffic flows are continuing on an ongoing basis throughout the Town. Works are prioritised due to limited resources. Traffic Calming road markings are also being carried out throughout the Town.

Works continued on a daily basis with the maintenance of the various green verges/areas, flower and shrub areas and parks around the Town

Litter collection, playground and skate-park inspections and lifebuoy inspections are ongoing on a weekly basis.

### **South Louth District Area.**

Road maintenance operations, such as patching and pothole repairs have been carried out at: - Boyne Road, Sandpit Road, Newtown Road, Train Road, Gallagher and Clonmore to Keenan's Cross Road.

Overlay works on roads included in the RWP 2018 were suspended for the duration of the Fleadh.

Other road maintenance operations such as maintaining and replacing road signage were undertaken at various locations throughout the area including the slip road at Clogherhead.

Drainage maintenance is continuing on an ongoing basis throughout the area including opening and re-opening verge cuts along various roads.

Road markings to regulate parking and maintain traffic flows are continuing on an ongoing basis. Works are prioritised due to limited resources and carried out when the weather is suitable.

Road marking works on Pay Parking issues commenced before the commencement of the Fleadh. Works will resume when the Fleadh is over.

Litter collection, the collection of illegal dumping, playground inspections, lifebuoy inspections (Clogherhead, Termonfeckin and Curley Hole, Slane Road) and general graveyard maintenance are carried out on a weekly basis throughout the area.