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BY EMAIL ONLY

Ruth Carty
Secretary
Griffith Avenue & District Residents Association
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Re: Corpus Christi Parish Hall (the "Property").

Dear Ms. Carty,

Thank you for your email 12 April 2022.

The principal concern for Drumcondra parish is the safety of parishioners and other community users of its property. Following a review by two separate fire safety experts the Property was found to be of a very high-risk from a fire safety perspective. As such, the Property closed due to safety concerns.

I note with concern the current conflict in Ukraine. Many parishes within the Diocese continue to provide vital support for the people affected by offers of accommodation where a suitable property is available and through donations from parishioners and the wider community.

Dublin City Council ultimately initiated a proposed change in rezoning of certain properties in their administrative area through their Dublin City Council Development Plan 2022 – 2028. The Archdiocese on behalf of all parishes with the Dublin City Council area have made a submission in response to the public invitation to submit views as part of the statutory planning process.

Yours sincerely,



+ Dermot Farrell,
Archbishop of Dublin.