PROPERTY
MANAGEMENT
STRATEGY
REPORT

PROPOSED
DEVELOPMENT

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CLIENT

Matina Quarter Ltd



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ABOUT US



Section 1 - About us

Aramark Property is the largest dedicated property and facilities management company in Ireland.

We have been providing clients with property management services and strategic advice across all classes of property for over 70 years.

Our property and facilities management team are supported by a multi-disciplinary team which includes a dedicated sustainability consultancy division, a building consultancy and professional services team, energy specialists and health & safety advisors.

Aramark Property is one of a portfolio of companies that form Aramark Ireland.

The group is headquartered in Dublin and is part of the global Aramark Corporation, an international services group with an annual turnover of over \$18 billion. In Ireland, Aramark works across property, facilities, & food services including retailing as Avoca.





Summary of Relevant Experience

Aramark Property is the largest dedicated property management provider in Ireland, with over 40 years' experience in residential, office, retail, and mixed-use developments. Some of our relevant case studies on major schemes that involve residential management would include:

- Beacon South Quarter
- One Lime Street
- OPUS
- Capital Dock

Our role within these developments includes the property management of the common areas, internal demises, and estate areas, as well as management of some individual stakeholder's properties. Each estate has several interested parties, and it is Aramark's role to maintain the estate and common areas to a high standard as well as meeting the requirements of the different interested parties.









MANAGEMENT STRATEGY SUMMARY

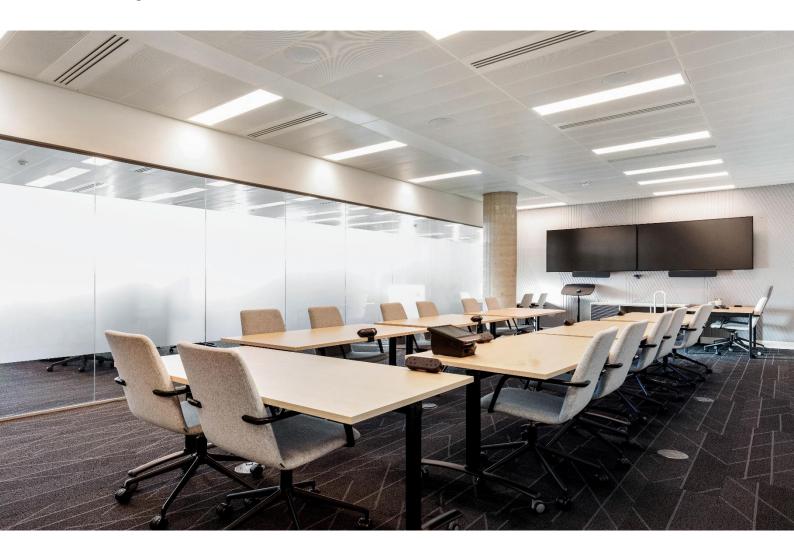


Section 2 – Management Strategy Summary

Aramark Property have been instructed by Matina Quarter Limited to provide a report on the property management strategy for their proposed development, relating to the redevelopment of the Ford Distribution site, Centre Park Road, Cork. and construction for a mixed-use development.

As with any residential scheme, the main challenge for the Developer will be to maintain a secure, peaceful, and attractive environment on a 24/7 basis while each residential occupiers in the development carry out their business.

The intention of this report is to set out the management strategy for the scheme post construction in order to demonstrate how once operational, the mechanics of the residential and estate property management will work in practice and be maintained to the highest standards.





Development Description

The proposed development comprises the following:

The construction of 176 no. 1, 2 and 3 bed apartment units in 2 no. blocks, 1 no. creche, 1 no. gym, a retail/café space and all associated ancillary development works.

Design Strategy

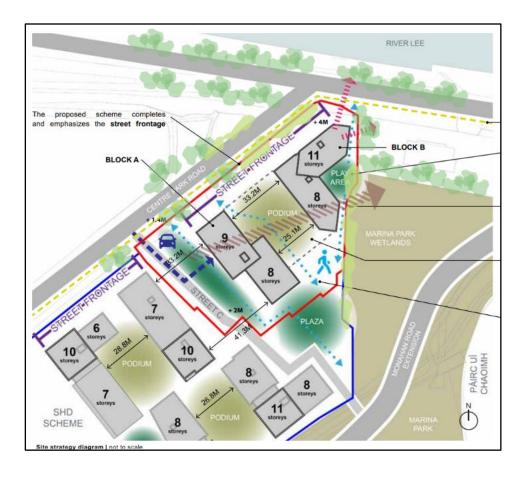
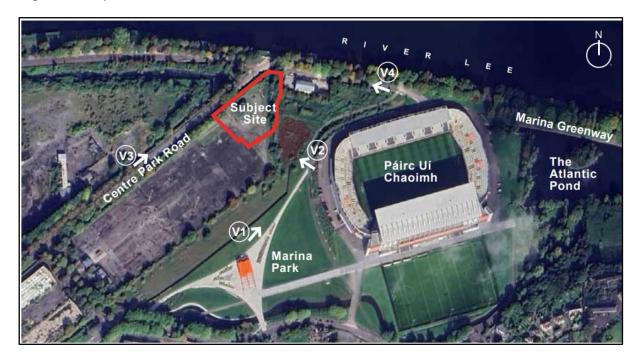




Figure 2: Proposed Site Plan



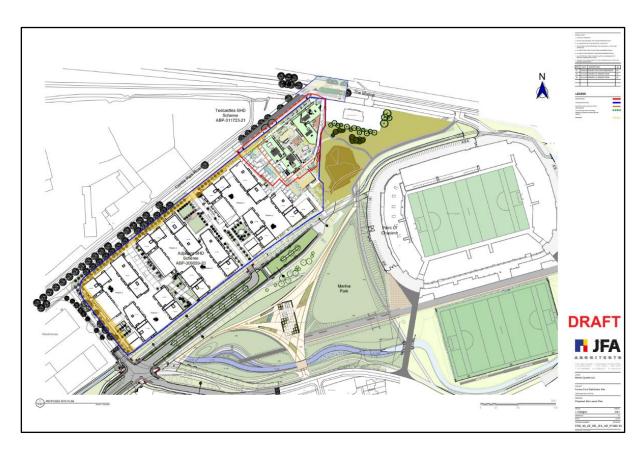
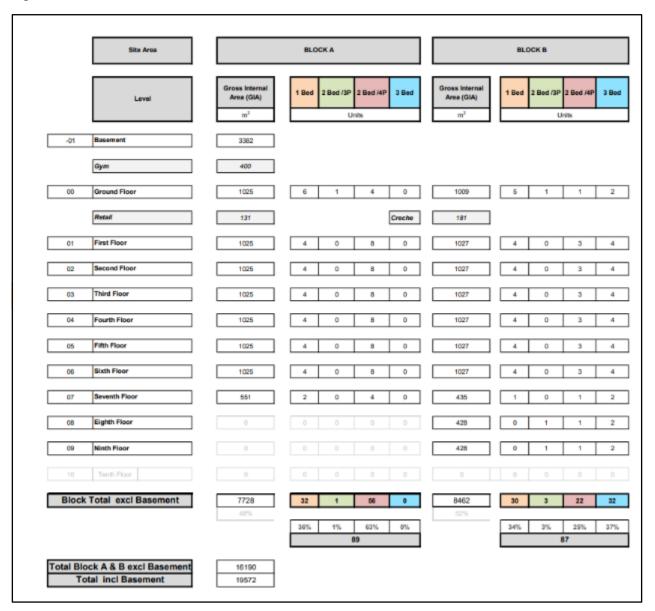
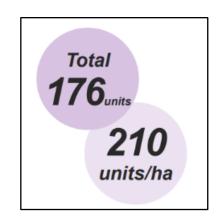




Figure 3: Schedule of Accommodation







APPOINTMENT OF
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MANAGING
AGENT



Section 3 - Appointment of Property Managing Agent & Associated Responsibilities

The timing of the appointment of an experienced property management agent (the "Agent) by the Developer and subsequent engagement between the Agent and the Developer is recommended to take place at least twelve months in advance of completion of the development. Our experience shows that the successful outcome on completion can be aided when the Agent is in place to consult and advise on the operational management strategy.

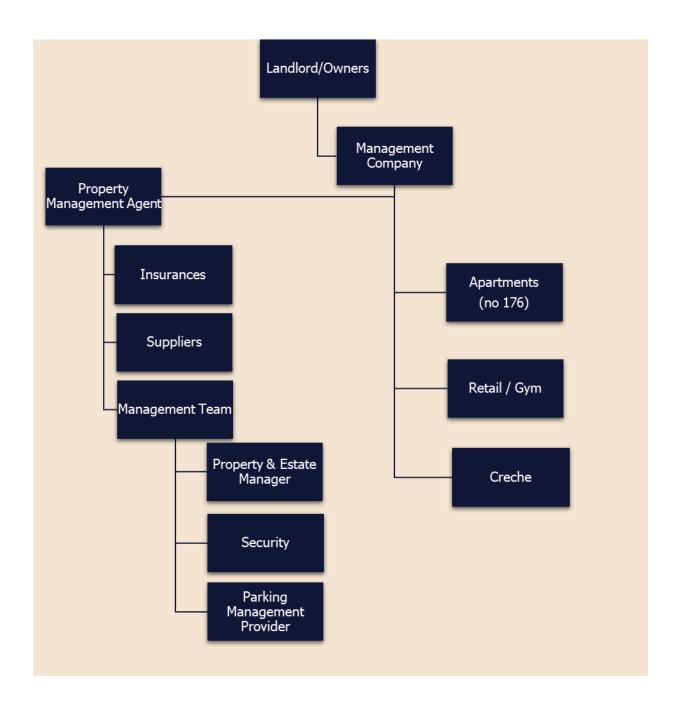
The Agent would be appointed to manage the estate & common areas on behalf of the owners and /or the Developer to ensure that the scheme is well managed, and the development is maintained to an extremely high level in line with the planning permission for this scheme.

The Agents will be responsible for setting the operational service charge budget for the common areas and the estate. To effectively manage the development an annual budget would be billed to the owners and /or the Developer on a quarterly in advance basis to ensure enough funds are received to enable effective management of the scheme.





Figure 5: Proposed Structure – Hierarchy of Title





Proposed Management Company Structure

It is the developer's intention that the development will be run by a management company which will in turn appoint a property management agent to manage the common area and estate of the development.

The purpose of this management company will be to establish a controlling entity that will assume ownership over the development post construction phase. This will ensure the estate common areas, public realm and shared areas of the development are retained as the legal responsibility of this Management Company.

The constitution of the management company is drafted by legal counsel and the shareholding will be calculated by the apportionment of the buildings and tenants that occupy the scheme. The management company will retain control of all shared areas and external public realm. Each owner / tenant will be legally contracted to contribute to the service charge regime through leasing and sale arrangements established.

Legal Entity

The Management Company will be formed as a separate legal entity for the sole purpose of management of the shared common areas, including all roads and open space areas. The entity will be formed prior to the sale of any of the blocks or units within the development so as the structure and legal entity is set out prior to any sale.

In order to effectively maintain the development, the Management Company will then be responsible for appointing an independent property management agent to manage the operational, financial and legal aspect with the estate common area management.

AMENITY
CONSIDERATIONS
& MANAGEMENT



Section 4 – Amenity Considerations

The development has been designed with quality of amenity space as a central consideration for both residents and the wider community. A provision has been made for high-quality, well-integrated public open space to include facilities to benefit new and existing residents which will be taken in charge by the local authority.

These open spaces will utilize high-quality materials such as paving, lighting, and street furniture to establish a distinctive character. An extensive planting scheme will include feature trees, shrubs, herbaceous plants, lawns, and meadows, all focused on native species to boost biodiversity and seamlessly integrate the site with the surrounding landscape.

All open spaces are accessible to all residents and avoid physical and visual barriers. Passive surveillance is considered carefully throughout. The spaces will have the benefit of passive surveillance from apartments and houses and this in addition to the detailed landscape design will foster the provision of safe secure usable and active spaces within the proposed development.

Proposed Open Space



SERVICE CHARGE BUDGET FOR SHARED COMMON ESTATE



Section 5 – Summary of Service Charge Budget for Shared Common Estate

The operational service charge budget will cover all aspects of the estate and common area management. Please see a brief overview of the services we would anticipate would be covered:

Management	• This aspect of the budget would cover any direct management of the development. This includes the managing agent's costs, any on				
Costs	site staffing costs, the company audit fee and any other consultancy				
	works that may be required.				
Utilities	 Any costs incurred for water usage, electricity, and gas. 				
Soft Services					
	This element of the budget will allow for any Security Guarding				
	or patrol requirements that may be required outside of the onsite staff				
Security	teams working hours. It will also make a provision for the maintenance				
	and repair to any security systems including CCTV and access control				
	systems.				
	· The cleaning of the external and internal common areas will be				
	covered under this section. It is vitally important that the common				
	areas are kept as clean as possible, and any vandalism or graffiti is				
	addressed as quickly as possible.				
	· A maintenance schedule will be put in place and will ensure				
	common areas are checked and cleaned daily.				
	Any common furniture, water features, sculptures and litter				
Cleaning	bins will form part of the cleaning and maintenance protocols which				
	will be defined by the onsite team.				
	Window cleaning and external façade cleaning to be carried				
	out 2 – 4 times per annum using boom lift / cherry picker / abseiling or				
	reach and wash systems where appropriate.				
	Any common areas with furniture will form part of the cleaning				
	and maintenance protocols.				
	• Bin stores will be regularly inspected to ensure the area is clean,				
	secure and free from hazards. The residents will take all waste and				
Waste	recycling to this location for disposal.				
Management	· Facilities and guidance to residents will be provided to ensure				
	high levels of recycling/brown bin recycling and to encourage a				



	reduction of waste. Residents will be required to segregate waste
	within their own units. This will be closely monitored by the onsite resident's management team.
	 Signage will be posted on or above the bins to show which
	wastes can be put in each receptacle. Residents will be informed by
	the management company where they are required to deposit their
	waste and fobs/keys for access will be provided to their dedicated
	storage areas.
	· Collection frequency and designated collection points to be
	communicated to residents upon move in.
	Please refer to the Operational Waste Management Plan for
	further details.
	· The Management Team post-handover will design a health and
	safety strategy and Occupiers' Handbook that will ensure the
	development has the utmost health and safety standards. This will be
	provided to the residents and staff/contractors that will be managing
	and working in the development.
	The Handbook will contain protocols for the times of operation,
	weather events and planned shutdowns of the water amongst other
Health &	things.
Safety	The amenity areas will be the focal point of the development and
	will have a specific health and safety focus. The Management Team will
	work with the insurance surveyors to ensure that a policy is suitable for an area with use of this nature. There will be an individual set of risk
	assessments and method statements relating to any outdoor areas.
	 This document will also govern the protocols for contractors
	visiting site to carry out works.
	 A comprehensive General Risk Assessment to be completed by
	an appointed surveyor prior to occupation of the building.
Hard Services	
	· An allowance will be made for any maintenance required on
	plant and equipment. This includes the servicing and management of
	any pumps, lifts, gates, and any other items of plant located within the
M & E	external and internal common areas.
	There will be a budget for general repairs which will cover basic
	works such as lighting repairs and any rectification to areas of the
	common areas that may become damaged or dilapidated.



	· Based on the landscape plans received, the communal areas will
	be of the forefront of management's maintenance priorities.
	· Given the scale of the proposed public/communal space it will
	be essential for an appropriate maintenance schedule to be devised and
	implemented by the Agents, with a focus on the planting scheme as
	envisaged by the landscape architects.
	· A schedule of maintenance will be implemented for cleaning of
	hard surfaces and garden features throughout the landscaped areas
	and open spaces.
	· The landscape maintenance schedule will include annual
Open Spaces &	contracts that specify weekly visits by the external contractors and this
Landscaping	service will be closely managed and tailored to suit the scheme specifics
	to ensure a high standard is upheld.
	· A policy document will be developed around this process and
	issued to all residents of the overall estate.
	· The outdoor communal amenity areas would allow outdoor
	events, such as barbecues, outdoor cinema, and other events. These
	would be organised by the on-site team to the benefit of the residents.
	Attendance at all community events will be organised and controlled
	centrally through the management team, with the assistance of the on-
	site security team.
	· Provision for all electronic access control systems including
	access control devices that control barriers to bicycle storerooms and
	block entrance doors will be made.
Access Control	Apartment access: Residents will be provided with keys/fobs/app
	enabled access control depending on the system installed. Visitors will
	be required to request access through electronic intercom/access
	system installed at the block entrance doors and gates.
	· Location: CCTV will be in operation in key circulation areas as
	part of the overall security strategy.
	 Monitoring: All CCTV systems shall be configured such that they
	form one site wide system that can be remotely monitored from the
CCTV	management office.
	Maintenance: Provision will be in place for camera maintenance
	and routine checks in accordance with manufacturer guidelines.
	GDPR compliance will be paramount.



	Cold Water Storage & Feed: The cold-water storage and feed will
	be maintained in accordance with manufacturer guidelines.
	· Risk Assessment: An independent and comprehensive
	Legionella Risk Assessment and Water Testing will be completed. Both
Water Management	are to be completed by an approved surveyor prior to occupation.
	Tanks: The water tanks will be maintained in accordance with
	manufacturer guidelines.
	· Pumps: The pumps will be maintained in accordance with
	manufacturer guidelines.
	• Evacuation:
	o Excavation Strategy / Resident Guide: A step by step
	guide of what to do in the event of a fire will be provided to the
	Residents within the Residents Guide.
	o Signage: Appropriate exit signage will be in place
	throughout the property.
	o Notices: Notices will be displayed in high traffic areas
	advising of the fire action policy.
	· Prevention Equipment: The Management Team will ensure Fire
	Protection Equipment is provided.
	· A Risk Assessment will be instructed to be carried out by an
	independent consultant and a comprehensive Fire Risk Assessment will
	be completed prior to occupation of the building.
	· Alarm: The fire alarm panel will be maintained and serviced in
	accordance with manufacturer guidelines. Each unit will have its own
	fire alarm system.
	· Dry and wet risers: Dry and wet risers will be maintained in
	accordance with manufacturer guidelines.
	· Sprinklers: The sprinklers will be maintained by a suitably
	qualified professional and serviced in accordance with manufacturer
	guidelines. The Property Manager will ensure appropriate contracts are
	in place with a contractor for maintenance of the risers.

PARKING &
MOBILITY
MANAGEMENT



Section 6 – Parking & Mobility Management

Parking Management Strategy

The site benefits from excellent frontage on to Centre Park Road and the infrastructure locally is expected to improve with the development of the Monahan Road extension to the southeast, and future bridge immediately to the northeast. It is also envisaged that the site will be adjacent to the future Light Rail Transit route along Centre Park Road.

At present buses 202, 202a and 212 all pass near the site and plentiful transport links are available within a short walk. The site is ideally suited to cycling and walking routes to the city centre and will benefit from upgrades ongoing throughout the South Docks, including light rail

The revised scheme has a secure bike parking area underneath the podium with direct access to the street, segregating cycle, vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

The managing agent will ensure an active parking management strategy is regularly enforced in the development via the on-site management team. Car parking spaces will be allocated in accordance with Management Company policies for the development. The purchase /rental of a unit will not guarantee the right to a designated parking space. Residents who request a private car parking space will be allocated on a 'first come, first served' basis.

Residents will only be able to utilise their allocated car parking space and the onsite management team will provide a permit to the resident who will display it on the window of the vehicle.

No additional car parking will be provided by the proposed development. If no car parking spaces are available, the future owner / resident will be informed of this prior to occupation of a unit.

Car spaces	56
Car parking ratio	0.32

Bike Spaces	427
Bike ratio	2.43

CONCLUSION & CONTACT DETAILS



Section 7 – Conclusion & Contact Details

Based on the information provided, Aramark Property have considered the schemes proposals. From our experience to date of similar schemes we manage, we have set out an overview of how we believe the overarching management of the scheme can be successfully managed in best practice for the benefit of the owners of this scheme, the future occupiers and the wider community.

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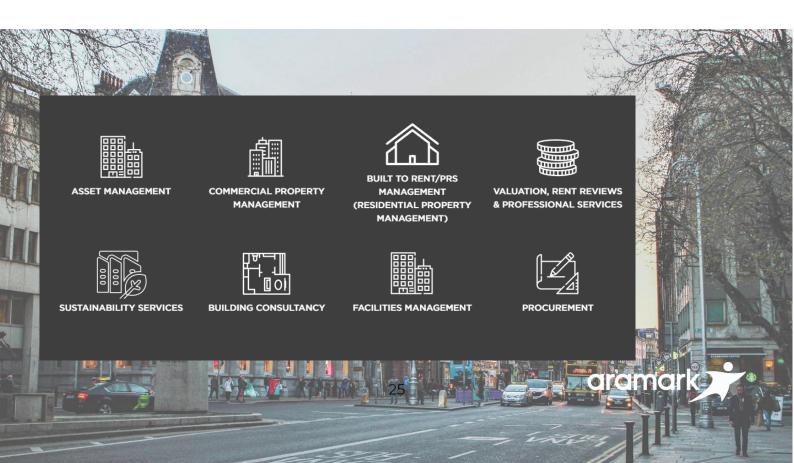
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