



CLÁR Funding 2020 -Application form and details for

Measure 1: Support for Schools/Community Safety Measures

CLÁR (Ceantair Laga Árd-Riachtanais) is a targeted investment programme for rural areas that aims to provide funding for small-scale infrastructural projects in areas that have suffered significant levels of population decline. The funding works in conjunction with local funding and on the basis of locally identified priorities. The scheme is funded by the Department of Rural and Community Development and is an important part of the overall integrated strategy to support stronger rural economies and communities for Rural Development through the Rural Regeneration and Development Fund as outlined in Project Ireland 2040.

The supports provided through CLÁR have been tailored this year to help rural communities to respond to the new COVID-19 environment. This includes the addition of new funding measures.

The measures being funded under the 2020 CLÁR programme are:

Measure 1: Schools/Community Safety measures (expanded in 2020)

CLÁR 2020 will consider support for interventions that make the school/community facility environs healthier and safer for the children attending the schools, and for children and adults using the community facilities. This measure has been broadened to allow additional investments to adapt areas around schools and community facilities to help meet new public health requirements arising from COVID-19. Appendix A (page 6) outlines the grants available in CLÁR areas under this measure – **this list is not definitive**.

A minimum grant of €5,000 and maximum grants as listed in the table above will apply to this measure. The scheme will provide up to 90% of the cost or the maximum amount outlined in Appendix A (page 6), whichever is the lesser. The remaining 10% or balance of the cost should be provided through Local Authority/community/other resources with a minimum of 5% cash contribution from the School/Community. Philanthropic contributions may be accepted as full or part of match funding costs

Data Privacy;

Cork County Council will collect and process your personal data provided in order to manage and administer the relationship between you and us for the purpose of assessing and processing your funding application. We process this personal data under Article 61E GDPR and in the exercise of official authority vested in us as the controller under Section 66 of the Local Government Act 2001. Full details of the collection, processing and sharing of your personal data and your rights in this regard can be found on Cork County Council's main Privacy Statement on our

website <https://www.corkcoco.ie/en/privacy-statement-cork-county-council> or you can contact our Data Protection & Information Compliance Officer at dpo@corkcoco.ie

Completed applications must be received no later than **4pm on Friday 31st July, 2020**

Any queries e-mail: CLAR@CorkCoCo.ie

LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

You are advised to read through the *CLÁR 2020 Scheme Outline for Measures 1 and 2*.

Please complete this application form **in full**.

Measure 1: Support for Schools/Community Safety Measures Application
Form

Local School / Community Group Information:	
Name of School / Community Group:	
Contact Person and position held:	
Correspondence Address:	
Correspondence Email:	
Contact Telephone Number:	
If applicable, School Roll Number:	
Project implementation directly by the Local Development Company (LDC) (Yes/No) Please provide contact details, if applicable:	

Project Information;	
School/Community Facility Name:	
Location of proposed works including Eircode/GPS coordinates as appropriate	
Are these works part of a larger project Y/N If yes, please provide details:	
If application is under Measure 1- please outline the relevant intervention(s) on Appendix A (page 6) :	
Outline the nature and scope of the works:	
Outline the Need & Rationale for works:	
Was an application in respect of this facility approved under CLÁR or any other scheme in the past 3 years (Y/N) If yes, please provide details.	
Has an application for funding for this project been submitted to any other scheme or programme in the past year (Y/N) If yes, please provide details.	
Are all necessary permissions in place?(Y/N/NA) e.g. Planning Permission, Roads Authority Permission	
Where necessary permissions are in place, is documentary evidence attached (Y/N)	
Where necessary permissions are <u>not</u> in place, please provide any relevant information.	
Has evidence of ownership/lease been provided? (Y/N/NA)	

Detailed Costings for Proposed Project:	
Elements 1, 2, etc.	€
	€
	€
Administration/Professional fees element of funding if applicable (not more than 10% of overall project cost)	€
Total Project Cost including Administration/Professional fees:	€
Amount of CLÁR funding sought: (Maximum 90% of total cost up to €50,000)	€
Match Funding: (Minimum of 10% of total cost)	€
Amount of Cash Contribution (minimum of 5% of total cost) Supplied by (LA/LDC/Community/School/Philanthropic body):	€
Has evidence of the source and availability of Match Funding been provided (Y/N) <i>(i.e. letter from Board confirming funding is available and ringfenced, bank statement showing balance)</i>	
Is a full breakdown of the estimated cost attached (Y/N)?	
If you wish to provide any additional relevant information to support the application: Please complete the section below or attach separately.	

If you are a community group, please tick if you are affiliated to **Cork County Council's Public Participation Network**:

Yes No

Please provide **Bank/Credit Union** details for electronic payment to the Applicant:

Account Name:	
Account Number	
IBAN	
BIC/SWIFT	

You must attach a copy of the top of your bank statement showing your account name and account number.

Tax Reference Number: _____

Please tick to confirm the following is included with this application form:

- evidence that all necessary permissions are in place
- evidence, where applicable, that ownership/lease is in place
- full estimated costings including administration/professional fees (procurement is not required at this point)
- evidence that match funding is available and ringfenced
- clear evidence of need for the project
- relevance to the LECP and/or other plan.
- Measure 1 applications - Completed Appendix A (page 6)

I declare that the information provided by me on this application form is truthful and complete. I confirm that I have read and understand the CLÁR 2020 Scheme Outline.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Name in
Block Capitals: _____

Position: _____

Appendix A–CLÁR 2020 Funding Measure 1 applications only

Please indicate the intervention(s) being applied for:

Type of Intervention	Possible Funding to be allocated	Amount of Funding Sought
Purchase and replacement of Flashing Amber Safety Lights.	Max €7,000 per set	
Purchase of Child safety signs	Max €1,000 per sign	
Purchase of Digital Speed safety signs, indicating that cars are entering a particular zone.	Max €14,000 per set	
Upgrade Road markings on approach roads to Schools/community facilities.	Max €1,000	
Erect pedestrian crossings in small towns and villages at schools/community facilities.	Max €22,000	
Construction and upgrading of access footpaths next to schools or community facilities.	Max €30,000	
Car Parking facilities to access schools or community facilities.	Max €30,000	
Provision of Bus Shelters	Max €25,000	
Provision of Public Lighting	Max €30,000	
COVID-19 safety related project (need and rationale must be demonstrated in the Project Information section).	Max €50,000	
Overall max per project if there are a number of elements above included in applications for a single location	Max €50,000	

