

**Minutes of
 North Cork Local Community Development Committee (LCDC)
 Monday 21st March 2022 @ 2.00p.m.**

Present:

Name	Organisation	Public/Private
Cllr. Bernard Moynihan	Cork County Council	Public
Cllr. Gearóid Murphy	Cork County Council	Public
Cllr. Gerard Murphy	Cork County Council	Public
Cllr. Pat Hayes	Cork County Council	Public
Ms. Tracie Williams	Dept. of Employment Affairs and Social Protection	Public
Mr. Denis McNamara	Cork County PPN	Private
Mr. Michael Doyle	Environment Pillar	Private
Mr. Padraig Casey	Ballyhoura Development CLG	Private
Mr. Sean Hegarty	Avondu Blackwater Partnership CLG	Private
Mr. Bob Seward	Cork County PPN	Private

Apologies:

Ms. Geraldine Canning	Cork Education & Training Board	Public
Mr. James Fogarty	Divisional Manager North Cork	Public
Mr. Kevin Curran	LEO North Cork	Public
Ms. Maura Walsh	IRD Duhallow CLG	Private
Mr. Declan O'Leary	Foróige	Private
Mr. Julian O'Keeffe	IFA (ICMSA)	Private
Vacant	Respond! Housing	Private

Staff in Attendance:

Ms. Kay Keegan	LCDC Chief Officer	Cork County Council
Mr. Andrew Lewis	Finance Officer	Cork County Council
Mr. Jesse Dorrington	Staff Officer	Cork County Council

<p>Quorum=10 (50% of 17 rounded up + 1 = 10) In attendance= 10 (5 Private: 5 Public) Apologies= 7 Total membership= 17</p>

Welcome and Introduction

The LCDC was conducted through Microsoft Teams.
It was noted that a quorum was in place and the meeting commenced.

1. Confirmation of Minutes of the Previous LCDC Meeting of 14th February 2022

The Minutes were adopted on the proposal of Cllr. Pat Hayes and seconded Cllr. Gerard Murphy.

Matters arising

None.

2. SICAP

End of Year Review 2021 presented by Andrew Lewis.

Andrew Lewis confirmed that the SICAP Subgroup had met with the 3 Local Development Companies to review the End of Year performance for 2021 and the Annual Plans for 2022. There are no performance issues that need to be addressed. Both the KPI 1 relating to Support for Community Groups, and KPI 2 relating to Support for Individuals, had been fully achieved by all three companies. He acknowledged that COVID-19 had a major impact on the companies and how they delivered the SICAP programme in 2021. He added that issues arising out of the review meetings included, a significant number of community groups found 2021 very difficult dealing with the aftermath of the pandemic, there was a loss of community engagement for some due to the digital divide, but that Local Development Company staff were looking forward to delivering services face to face in 2022.

Tracie Williams agreed with the previous comments on the review and confirmed the Sub Group were happy to recommend approval of the End of Year Reviews 2021 and the Annual Plans for 2022 for the three SICAP Lots in North Cork to the LCDC. Cllr. Bernard Moynihan thanked Andrew Lewis and Tracie Williams for their work on the review.

Lot 18.1 proposed by Michael Doyle and seconded by Cllr. Gearóid Murphy.
Lot 18.2 proposed by Sean Hegarty and seconded by Cllr. Gearóid Murphy.
Lot 18.3 proposed by Cllr. Pat Hayes and seconded by Bob Seward.

Annual Plan 2022 presented by Andrew Lewis.

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Lot 18.2 proposed by Sean Hegarty and seconded by Bob Seward.
Lot 18.3 proposed by Cllr. Gearóid Murphy and seconded by Cllr. Pat Hayes.

Cllr. Gerard Murphy said that SICAP has been very successful since the launch of the LCDC. He commented that local authorities will have a substantial new function regarding Ukrainian migrants in the future. The Chief Officer agreed and said that a Community Forum

1. Literacy Tutors and TTRS Mary Anne Murphy, Sinead Guiney and Aoife O'Connor	1. €1420.80
2. Linking independent living skills, confidence and self-esteem and motivation to get on in life- Tutor Margaret Gilbert	2. €152.00
Total Estimated Value to be sub-contracted Q1	€12,106.56

IRD Duhallow CLG Approval of SICAP Grant

IRD Duhallow on 17/12/2021 requested approval to make a SICAP Grant to the value of €2,500 under Goal 1 of the Social and Community Enterprise action to an internal IRD Duhallow Social Enterprise project called REVIVE Paint. This grant is in accordance with the SICAP Programme Requirements and was approved by the Chief Officer on 20/12/2021. The LCDC are asked to note this approval relating to the SICAP year 2021.

3. Community Activities Fund 2022 - Allocations

The Community Activities Fund, national fund of €9M was jointly launched by Minister for Rural & Community Development, Heather Humphreys TD & Minister of State with responsibility for Community Development & Charities, Joe O'Brien TD in late 2021. This once off fund is administered by the LCDCs of Cork County and aims to support groups, particularly in disadvantaged areas with their non pay running costs and also small capital works & purchases.

Cork County launched this scheme on Friday, 4th February with a **closing date of 4pm on Friday, 25th February, 2022**

The €312,599 allocation to Cork County comprises of:

- €191,033 Current funding (Non-Pay) for use towards running/operating costs, eg. Utility costs, insurance, etc.
(Costs related to the period from 1st July 2021 – 30th June 2022 only eligible under this category)
- €121,566 Capital funding for use towards carrying out necessary repairs and improvements to facilities, purchase of equipment etc.

Total Allocations North Cork:	Operation Costs	€77,597
	€1k or less	€10,996
	More than €1k	€22,904

		€111,497

CAF 2022 Successful North Cork

Organisation	Project Details	MD	Amount Offered for Operational Costs	Amount Offered for Capital Costs	Amount Applied for Operational Costs	Amount Applied for Capital Costs
22nd Cork Kildorrery Scout Group	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€1,315.00		€1,315.00	
Ballindangan Community Council	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€2,000.00		€4,397.62	
Ballygiblin GAA	Ball stop nets.	Fermoy		€1,254.00		€1,254.60
Ballyhooly Community Sports Field	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€2,000.00		€2,800.00	
Bartlemy Parish Hall Ltd	Operational costs and lighting and sound equipment.	Fermoy	€500.00	€1,500.00	€670.00	€1,500.00
Castlelyons Community Centre	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€1,295.00		€1,295.00	€2,400.00
Castlelyons GAA Club	Heaters.	Fermoy		€1,000.00		€1,000.00
Castlelyons Juvenile GAA Club	Goalposts and sports equipment.	Fermoy		€1,000.00		€5,000.00
Conna Community Council	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€2,000.00		€8,875.00	€1,305.00
Coolagown Development Group	Operational costs and hedge trimmers.	Fermoy	€625.00	€720.00	€625.00	€720.00
Fermoy Community Youth Centre Ltd	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€2,000.00		€5,700.00	
Fermoy Concert Band	Office equipment.	Fermoy		€2,000.00		€2,008.18
Fermoy St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€1,000.00		€1,000.00	
Kildorrery Community Development CLG	Office equipment.	Fermoy		€1,600.00		€1,600.00

Killavullen Community Council	Operational costs and lawnmower.	Fermoy	€1,000.00	€1,000.00	€1,000.00	€1,090.00
Killavullen GAA Club	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€1,000.00		€1,000.00	
Kilworth Celtic FC	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€1,938.00		€1,938.61	€750.00
Kilworth Sports Complex	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€2,000.00		€2,974.09	
Mitchelstown Community Council	Operational costs and printer.	Fermoy	€1,000.00	€436.00	€1,000.00	€436.00
Mitchelstown GAA	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€2,000.00		€2,180.00	€7,740.00
Mitchelstown Scout Group	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€2,000.00		€3,257.72	
Mitchelstown Town Hall Committee c/o Mitchelstown Parish	Landscaping equipment and alarm.	Fermoy		€3,000.00		€6,500.00
Rathcormac Community Council	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€2,000.00		€4,606.00	
Rathcormac Game & Wildlife Club	Composting unit.	Fermoy		€1,250.00		€1,250.00
Saint George's Arts and Heritage Centre	Equipment.	Fermoy		€2,000.00		€2,009.00
St Catherine's GAA Club	Operational costs.	Fermoy	€780.00		€780.00	
Ballydesmond Community Centre	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€5,763.40	€11,558.31
Ballyhea Parish New Hall Committee	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€900.00		€931.00	
Banteer Community Centre Assoc	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,500.00		€15,000.00	
Banteer Old School Heritage and Drama Ltd t/a Glen Theatre	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,500.00		€10,000.00	
Boherbue and District Community Development Association	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€650.00		€650.00	€2,400.00

Boherbue Community Park and Playground	Clear trees.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,200.00		€15,000.00
Bweeng Hall and Grounds	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€2,267.00	
Castlemagner Community Centre	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,000.00		€1,000.00	
Castlemagner Sinsir Club	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,000.00		€3,000.00	
Charleville Community Sports Complex Ltd	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€10,000.00	€19,000.00
Charleville Incubation units CLG t/a Charleville E Centre	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,000.00		€1,000.00	
Churchtown Development Association	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€2,200.00	
Cullen Community Centre	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€7,000.00	
DBM Community First Responder Scheme	Defibrillator parts.	Kanturk & Mallow		€2,000.00		€4,574.37
Dromahane Community Hall	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,744.00		€1,781.33	
Dromina Community Council	Operational costs and lawnmower parts.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,000.00	€1,000.00	€1,000.00	€4,650.00
Dromtariffe GAA	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,500.00		€7,000.00	
Dromtarriffe Community Club	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,500.00		€6,500.00	
Foiloghig Development Association	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,000.00		€1,125.02	
Freemount Comhaltas Branch	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€2,780.00	

Freemount GAA Club	Dugouts.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,000.00		€998.00
Glantane Community Council	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€500.00		€523.46	€12,115.00
Glash community center	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€3,598.43	
Grenagh Parish Field	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€5,000.00	
Hazelwood Tennis Club	Operational costs and picnic table.	Kanturk & Mallow	€700.00	€940.00	€700.00	€940.00
Kanturk AFC	Operational costs and sports equipment.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,000.00	€1,000.00	€1,000.00	€2,910.00
Kilbrin Community Council	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€11,598.62	
Kilcorney Community Council	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,200.00		€1,256.92	
Kilshannig Ladies Football Club	Sports equipment.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,000.00		€1,000.00
Kiskeam Development Association	Painting.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,000.00		€999.00
Kiskeam GAA	Painting.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,000.00		€999.00
Knocknagree community development Group (CLG)	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,500.00		€1,825.00	
Knocknagree Fairfield Tidy Towns Committee	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€500.00		€500.00	
Knocknagree youth and community centre	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,000.00		€1,100.00	
Laharn Community Action CLG	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,500.00		€1,654.30	

Liscarroll Community Council	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€3,480.61	
Lombardstown Community Council	Operational costs and defibrillator.	Kanturk & Mallow	€500.00	€1,600.00	€500.00	€1,600.00
Lombardstown Tennis Club	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€800.00		€829.76	€30,695.00
Mallow Camogie Club	Sports equipment.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,000.00		€1,000.00
mallow town fc	Portable toilets.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,000.00		€999.00
Milford Area Community Council CLG	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€2,237.51	
Millstreet Day Centre	Defibrillators.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,500.00		€1,968.00
Millstreet Town Park Committee	Roof repairs.	Kanturk & Mallow		€1,000.00		€999.00
Newmarket Sports & Leisure	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,800.00		€1,877.00	€8,285.00
Rockchapel GAA	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€1,500.00		€2,000.00	€12,000.00
Shanballymore Community Development Association	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€2,000.00		€3,521.69	
Twopothouse Development Association	Operational costs and bench.	Kanturk & Mallow	€350.00	€900.00	€350.00	€900.00
			€77,597.00	€33,900.00	€167,965.09	€172,152.46

CAF 2022 Unsuccessful North Cork

Organisation	Project Details	MD	Amount Offered for Operational Costs	Amount Offered for Capital Costs	Amount Applied for Operational Costs	Amount Applied for Capital Costs
Ballyhooly 88th Scout Group	Training and ground works.	Fermoy	€0.00	€0.00	€300.00	€10,000.00
Fermoy Community Youth Centre Ltd	Laptops.	Fermoy	€0.00	€0.00		€1,449.00
Glenville Community Council	Dealing with damp.	Fermoy	€0.00	€0.00		€9,624.00
Legion of Mary - Carraig An Aifrinn	Ground works for lighting and benches.	Fermoy	€0.00	€0.00		€7,957.50
Meadows Residents' Association	Garden equipment.	Fermoy	€0.00	€0.00		€708.00
Mitchelstown Lawn Tennis Club	Kitchen appliances.	Fermoy	€0.00	€0.00		€8,960.00
Mitchelstown Leisure Centre	Lawnmower.	Fermoy	€0.00	€0.00		€6,150.00
T.O. Park Community and Sports Club	Operational costs and hall refurbishment.	Fermoy	€0.00	€0.00	€2,000.00	€4,177.00
Charleville Agricultural Show	Laptops.	Kanturk & Mallow	€0.00	€0.00		€3,000.00
Freemount Community Development Association	Stage works.	Kanturk & Mallow	€0.00	€0.00		€9,000.00
Kanturk Tidy Towns Committee	Tarmacadam.	Kanturk & Mallow	€0.00	€0.00		€23,000.00
Manor Park Residents' Association	Tree cutting.	Kanturk & Mallow	€0.00	€0.00	€1,000.00	
Meelin Community Council	Footpath.	Kanturk & Mallow	€0.00	€0.00		€26,218.50
Millstreet Toddler Group	Operational costs and toys.	Kanturk & Mallow	€0.00	€0.00	€197.00	€999.00

Newmarket Community Development Association	Operational costs.	Kanturk & Mallow	€0.00	€0.00	€1,830.73	
Rockchapel Community Centre	Extension.	Kanturk & Mallow	€0.00	€0.00		€15,000.00
			€0.00	€0.00	€5,327.73	€126,243.00

Cllr. Pat Hayes asked if the Charleville Agricultural Show had received funding under the scheme. The Chief Officer said that a query regarding the eligibility of agricultural shows had been sent to the Department, and it had been confirmed that agricultural shows had already received national funding in 2022 and that none had been supported under the Community Activities Fund in Cork.

The Chair, Cllr. Bernard Moynihan thanked the Chief Officer for her work on the scheme.

Community Activities Fund 2022 allocations proposed by Cllr. Gearóid Murphy and seconded by Sean Hegarty.

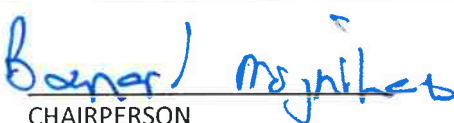
4. **AOB**

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5. **Date of Next Meeting**

The date for the next meeting is 25th April 2022.

Meeting Concluded

Signed:	 CHAIRPERSON
Dated:	<u>26th April 2022</u>