

List of 99 projects approved for €18.3m of funding under the 2021 Town and Village Renewal Scheme:

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CARLOW	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Carlow	Tullogh	Redevelopment of Tullogh Town Park. The project includes a new children's playground, a riverside boardwalk, bandstand/outdoor classroom, vegetation clearance, pergola, seating and associated works.	€450,000
Carlow	Hacketstown	To develop "Firehouse", a Remote Working and Enterprise Hub, accommodating 12 people in Hacketstown, County Carlow.	€246,600
Carlow	Myshall	To develop "The Garden Room", a Remote Working and Enterprise Hub, accommodating 12 people in Myshall, County Carlow.	€250,000
3	TOTAL	CARLOW	€946,600

CAVAN	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Cavan	Cavan Town	Comprehensive upgrade and enhancement of Con Smith Park, a large urban amenity in Cavan Town, Co Cavan.	€499,249.34
Cavan	Bailieborough	Streetscape enhancement to include: façade and gable wall painting and derelict shop front repairs and replacements.	€213,289
Cavan	Swanlinbar	Streetscape enhancement to include façade painting, murals, window graphics for the front of derelict buildings, purchase of wheelchair accessible fishing pods along the river, installation of iron sculptures	€90,000

CAVAN	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Cavan	Kilnaleck	To upgrade and repurpose parts of the Realtóg Centre and the Kilnaleck Community Centre to a Remote Working and Digital Hub.	€89,402
Cavan	Redhills	Village enhancement to include: façade painting of 25 buildings; Upgrade of seven (7) benches; Connecting services to the village green.	€87,812
Cavan	Virginia	Streetscape enhancement through the commissioning of four (4) murals depicting culturally important subjects from the life of Virginia.	€41,435
6	TOTAL	CAVAN	€1,021,187.34

CLARE	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Clare	Clonlara	Regeneration of Clonlara Village centre with the creation of a plaza area at the village crossroads, and the development of a multi-purpose community space in Kiltenanlea Church.	€454,050
Clare	Drumgeely	Town centre regeneration including: general site preparation, resurfacing of the area, erecting a canopy, car parking provision, purchase of street furniture and upgrade of planters.	€225,000
Clare	Mountshannon	Construction of a pavilion using sustainable, low-maintenance materials over the amphitheatre of Aistear Park in Mountshannon, County Clare.	€54,860
3	TOTAL	CLARE	€733,910

CORK CITY	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Cork City Council	Blarney	Development of Inch Park Amenity and completion of upgrade works to the Clogheenmilcon Fen Bog to create an overall integrated and unique ecological riverside walk & natural visitor attraction in Blarney.	€204,120
Cork City Council	Glanmire	Conduct a baseline health check and feasibility study for a community hub centre facility. Enhancements to John O'Callaghan Park including directional signage throughout the park, additional bike racks upgrading playground equipment and other works	€125,000
2	TOTAL	CORK CITY	€329,120

CORK COUNTY	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Cork	Castletownbere	To development of a vertical 'pocket park' using an underused site in the town centre of Castletownbere, Co Cork. Transforming an underused site into a safe and universally accessible area	€98,001
Cork	Cobh	To develop a Community and Enterprise Hub, accommodating 12 desks and up to 30 people per week in the Library Building of Cobh, Co Cork.	€250,000
Cork	Kiskeam	To develop a Remote Working Hub, with five (5) hot desk spaces and a meeting space, accommodating up to 12 people in the vacant building adjacent to the Post Office in Kiskeam, County Cork.	€45,000
Cork	Mitchelstown	To develop an Enterprise Hub, featuring hot desks, own door offices and a meeting room in the Library Building of Mitchelstown, Co Cork.	€500,000
4	TOTAL	CORK COUNTY	€893,001

DONEGAL	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Donegal	Churchill	The project provides for the upgrade and enhancement of the village centre adding colour and vibrancy thereby improving the visual amenity and associated public realm in Churchill, Co Donegal.	€100,000
Donegal	Countywide	Relocation Marketing Campaign: To develop and execute an integrated relocation marketing campaign showcasing Donegal as the ideal location for remote working, and encouraging relocation to rural towns and villages across the County.	€90,000
Donegal	Moville	The project proposal provides for the enhancement and improvement of visual and recreational amenities in the 'Bath Green' to support the economic and social recovery of the community in Moville Co Donegal.	€100,000
Donegal	Newtown Cunningham	The project proposal provides for a dedicated outdoor 'Space for Young People-Generation Alpha' centrally located, and consolidating the village core as a place for all its people, providing a vibrant hub for community enjoyment.	€100,000
4	TOTAL	DONEGAL	€390,000

FINGAL	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Fingal	Naul	The Naul Village Health Check is a collaborative project, which will empower the local community to assess the development needs and potential of the area. This process will identify specific projects and determine related investment levels	€23,436
Fingal	Oldtown	Village Health Check: The proposed project will result in the commissioning of a Village Health Check for Oldtown in Co Dublin. This will include a review of village amenities, public realm, infrastructure, and services to assess current performance and identify actions	€22,500
2	TOTAL	FINGAL	€45,936

GALWAY	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Galway	Barnaderg	The proposed project will result in a number of enhancements to Barnaderg village which will improve access to community facilities,	€100,000
Galway	Galway Villages (5 locations)	Health Checks: Galway County Council is seeking investment to appoint a multi-disciplinary consultancy team to complete Village Health Checks for five individual areas.	€58,500
Galway	Leenane	Leenane Outdoor Recreational Facility: The proposed project will result in the development of Leenane Community Park on a 1.45 hectare site, which overlooks Killary Harbour. The proposed park will be for visitor and resident use.	€250,000
3	TOTAL	GALWAY	€408,500

KERRY	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Kerry	Blennerville	The proposed project will involve the redevelopment of currently disused craft workshops adjoined to the famous Blennerville Windmill. These will be developed into a community bakery and bakery school, both of which will source local organic ingredients.	€500,000
Kerry	Cromane	Cromane Connected Community Hub: The proposed project will involve the development of a connected community hub in the former national school building within Cromane. This will future proof the village and contribute to its development as a thriving, vibrant and healthy rural community.	€100,000
Kerry	Dingle	Dingle Town Park: The proposed project will render Dingle Town Park an accessible and intergenerational recreational space for visitors and residents.	€98,370
3	TOTAL	KERRY	€698,370

KILDARE	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Kildare	Churchtown	Churchtown Community Hub: The proposed project will involve the redevelopment of the former Churchtown Primary School, which dates to the 1860's, into a community hub. This facility will comprise a community kitchen and heritage centre.	€61,200
Kildare	Curragh Camp	The proposed project will result in the preservation of the historic Post Office building which formed part of the Curragh Camp complex. This will enable the building to be re-opened as a multi-use community space.	€45,000
Kildare	Johnstown	The proposed project will involve the development of a derelict site in the centre of Johnstown Village as a community amenity to allow residents to congregate and exercise. The site will also provide a safe play area for children.	€25,200
Kildare	Kilcullen	Kilcullen Community Centre: The proposed investment will complete the redevelopment of a former vacant and derelict building in Kilcullen into a community centre for senior citizens.	€28,530
Kildare	Monasterevin	The proposed project will involve the development of a detailed architectural masterplan for the regeneration of Cassidy's Distillery and Brewery site in Monasterevin, Co Kildare.	€50,000
5	TOTAL	KILDARE	€209,930

Kilkenny	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Kilkenny	Gowran	The proposed project will result in the development of an intergenerational outdoor activity hub in Gowran town centre. The amenity will be designed to enable people of all ages to socialise, exercise and play in an inclusive, stimulating and safe outdoor environment.	€250,000
Kilkenny	Kilmanagh	The proposed project will involve the redevelopment of the former school and ballpark in Kilmanagh, vacant since the 1970's, for future community usage. The project will result in the creation of a multi-purpose community activity hub.	€43,542
Kilkenny	Urlingford	Urlingford Remote Working Hub: The proposed project will result in the repurposing of a vacant Bank on the Main Street in Urlingford into a Remote Working Hub.	€250,000
Kilkenny	Graiguenamanagh	Enhance the successful Barrow Activities Hub in Graiguenamanagh, County Kilkenny. This will increase usage of associated facilities by visitors and residents.	€92,242.84
Kilkenny	Piltown	Piltown Remote Working Hub: The proposed project will result in the regeneration of the Garda Station in Piltown. The redevelopment of this heritage building will see it repurposed as a remote working hub, which can accommodate up to 20 people.	€500,000
5	TOTAL	KILKENNY	€1,135,785

LAOIS	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Laois	Camross	Camross Park and Hub: The proposed project will enable the completion of the Camross Community Park and Hub. These are two key projects included in the Camross Development Plan 2019. They will provide outdoor recreational and remote working facilities for the local community.	€33,250
Laois	Killeshin	Killeshin Digital Hub: The proposed project will result in the 2nd phase development of the Killeshin Community Centre. This will involve the installation of a digital hub / hybrid workspace to accommodate 20 people who wish to avail of remote working facilities in Killeshin.	€500,000
Laois	Knock	The proposed project will result in the development of a vintage style Men's Shed on a currently dis-used site in Knock, Co Laois.	€95,850

LAOIS	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Laois	Mountrath	The proposed project will result in the development of a number of vacant rooms in the Bloom HQ Digital Enterprise Hub, for educational and arts purposes.	€137,552
4	TOTAL	LAOIS	€766,652

Leitrim	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Leitrim	Mohill	Redevelopment of the derelict Mohill Station House, which has been vacant for multiple decades into a multi-purpose facility to be used by community, arts and heritage organisations. The project will encompass an enterprise dimension through the installation of distinct self-catering accommodation units. These will be owned and managed by the community with any revenue generated being reinvested back into the building.	€500,000
Leitrim	Carrick on Shannon	The proposed project comprises three individual elements: A marketing and promotional campaign for Carrick on Shannon for implementation in 2022, Works to enhance the main arrival point in the town and installation of two murals.	€238,804
Leitrim	Dromahair	The proposed project will involve the redevelopment of the former Garda station, which has been vacant since 2013, into a much-needed community facility. The building, which is located on Main Street, Dromahair, dates back to the 1840's.	€250,000
Leitrim	Keshcarrigan	The proposed project will involve the redevelopment of the former Garda station in Keshcarrigan, vacant since 2013, for future community usage.	€88,245
Leitrim	Rossinver	This project has two elements as follows: 1. The installation of a monument in honour of Charles Meehan; and 2. The enhancement of a small outdoor amenity located in the centre of Rossinver.	€25,118
5	TOTAL	LEITRIM	€1,102,167

LIMERICK	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Limerick	Doon	To develop dilapidated old former convent buildings into a Community Services and e-Hub facility with Remote working & Conference room facilities	€250,000
Limerick	Askeaton	Creation of a Parklet on a derelict site within the West Square, Askeaton. The project will bring a derelict and vacant site back into use and create a public place within the heart of the town for the local community and visitors to the town.	€250,000
Limerick	Patrickswell	Patrickswell Community Hub: The aim of the project is to bring one of the most prominent vacant sites on Main Street in Patrickswell back into use by developing a multi-purpose community centre/hub to serve the needs of the local population, local community groups and businesses.	€500,000
3	TOTAL	LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY	€1,000,000

LONGFORD	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Longford	Ballinalee	Rose Cottage: The proposed project will complete the renovation of Rose Cottage in Ballinalee. The building will be an interpretive centre which details the story of General Sean MacEoin, the Blacksmith of Ballinalee.	€236,250
Longford	Bunlahy	The proposed project will result in the development of a car park adjacent to a school and 3G pitch facility in Bunlahy. In addition to the associated health and safety benefits, the works will enhance the visual presentation of the village.	€100,000
Longford	Lanesborough	Redevelopment of a former abattoir in Lanesborough town centre as an incubation campus for the Lanesborough Food Hub. This will comprise of four food incubation pods. Proposal also to create a community sensory garden.	€100,000
Longford	Moyne	The proposed project will result in two developments in Moyne as follows: 1. Enhancement of the Latin School Tourism Centre through the recreation of a hedge school in a currently disused building within the grounds; and the 2. Development of an amphitheatre	€240,843
4	TOTAL	LONGFORD	€677,093

LOUTH	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Louth	Baltray	The proposed project will result in the enhancement of a recently developed successful community garden in Baltray Village. The Baltray Community Garden became operational in summer 2019.	€46,148
Louth	Carlingford	The proposed project will enhance recreational facilities in the town and help the village reach its potential as a tourist destination.	€93,755
Louth	Collon	The proposed project will involve the development of a much-needed playground and recreational area in the grounds of the former Parish Hall in Collon Village centre, as well as undertaking a feasibility study for the provision of a Community Hub/Multiuse Facility.	€180,000
Louth	Dunleer	Development of remote working facilities, provision of an outdoor, partially covered multi-purpose space and a central outdoor exhibition detailing Dunleer's journey to becoming a 'flagship greener, smarter, energy efficient town', sustainable street lighting and biodiversity led planting.	€316,563
Louth	Termonfeckin	The proposed project will involve the development of a much needed playground and recreational area in Termonfeckin. The project has been designed to result in considerable social, economic and environmental benefits for the local community.	€207,000
5	TOTAL	LOUTH	€843,466

MEATH	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Meath	Dunboyne	This proposal aims to redevelop Dunboyne Playground, which will provide more age specific play equipment for younger and older age groups and will also include repair of the existing skate park.	€100,000
Meath	Enfield	Enfield Multi-purpose Hall: The proposal seeks to develop and refurbish St. Patrick's Parish Hall, on the main street in Enfield, into a usable space for the community providing a community facility for a young and diverse community as well as bringing back into use a vacant building.	€250,000
Meath	Kilcloon	This proposal aims to develop the village square into a fully inclusive, accessible space which caters for all sections of the community and acts as a focal point in the village.	€100,000

MEATH	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Meath	Kilmainhamwood	Kilmainhamwood Multipurpose Centre: This proposal seeks to refurbish a derelict building in the centre of Kilmainhamwood into a community centre with a multi-purpose space and a remote working space.	€250,000
4	TOTAL	Meath	€700,000

MONAGHAN	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Monaghan	Clones	This application is for the streetscape enhancements on Fermanagh Street and town centre land use survey.	€231,759
Monaghan	Drum and Rockcorry	Preparation of village plans, including health checks and economic audits, and identification of synergies for development for the villages of Drum and Rockcorry.	€45,000
Monaghan	Inniskeen	This proposal is for village public realm, heritage and amenity enhancements to reinforce the rural village character as an attractive place to live and enhance the visitor attraction.	€250,000
Monaghan	Monaghan town	Funding for Market Street and Park Street town centre streetscape enhancement. This encompasses façade painting and gutter repair/replacement aimed at addressing vacancy and seeking to attract footfall to the area.	€136,635
Monaghan	Threemilehouse	This proposal is for the construction of a Multi-Use Games Area (MUGA), the removal and re-positioning of fence and landscaping of grounds adjacent to the river running through the village of Threemilehouse, and the restoration of flowerbeds on the village Main Street.	€100,000
5	TOTAL	Monaghan	€763,394

OFFALY	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Offaly	Ballyboy	To develop a green space and recreational area in Ballyboy village centre, including landscaped area with seating, lighting and amenity car parking area.	€100,000
Offaly	Clonbullogue	To create a “People’s Park” at the river amenity in Clonbullogue village and complete a safe bridge link forming a looped River Walk accessible to all.	€100,000

OFFALY	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Offaly	Killeagh	Killeagh Remote Working Hub: Refurbishment of vacant Macra Hall, Killeigh into a modern remote working hub as part of a multifunctional community space serving Killeigh village and its' surrounding hinterlands.	€250,000
3	TOTAL	OFFALY	€450,000

ROSCOMMON	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Roscommon	Ballintubber	This proposal is for the development of a community park and recreational amenity accessible to all members of the with high quality directional signage.	€99,990
Roscommon	Cloonfad	5 Proposals to develop Cloonfad: Creation of a digital hub, Provision of an outdoor meeting area, Development of a waiting area for public transport, Enhancement of the village streetscape, Use of Interpretive signage and finally the development of recreational facilities in the town	€249,975
Roscommon	Monksland	This application is for the development of the first phase of Central Park incorporating multi-use, multi-generational area, tiered seating, performance area, walking trails etc.	€500,000
Roscommon	Roscommon	To build the national and international profile of Roscommon and promote the county as a location for remote workers / mobile talent. It will build upon the Roscommon Bound 'Global Rossie' platform to accelerate investment in the county's towns and villages.	€100,100
4	TOTAL	ROSCOMMON	€950,065

SLIGO	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Sligo	Aclare	Aclare Remote working hub: Refurbishment of a vacant former childcare facility in the centre of Aclare to provide for a digital hub/remote working space incorporating a community space and outreach services/ facilities.	€100,000
Sligo	Calry	Repurposing and upgrading of a vacant former parish hall to provide the wider Calry region with a modern, more sustainable community facility incorporating multi-purpose and remote working spaces.(Calry Hall closed in 2019, declared unfit for public use).	€250,000

SLIGO	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Sligo	Kilglass	This proposal is for the development of a modern fit-for-purpose community facility including multi-purpose spaces, meeting rooms and remote working facilities serving the large dispersed and disadvantaged rural population of West Sligo.	€500,000
Sligo	Ballygawley	Provision of multi-purpose, part-covered outdoor performance and event spaces at Ballygawley Community Park and associated amenity site improvements, public realm landscaping interventions, and promotional activities.	€100,000
Sligo	Keash	Increase the amenity value and attractiveness of Keash by developing in the village centre outdoor public gathering spaces and new trailhead/ orientation facilities for the nearby Caves of Keash heritage site.	€100,000
Sligo	Ballymote	Provision of town centre co-working facilities and community multi-purpose spaces, public realm enhancements, landscaping and upgrade works for the Ballymote town park.	€250,000
6	TOTAL	SLIGO	€1,300,000

TIPPERARY	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Tipperary	Ballyporeen	Ballyporeen Remote working Hub and multipurpose space: This proposal is for the restoration and refurbishment of the Old Schoolhouse in Ballyporeen as a multipurpose facility for community/regional groups (Commercial, Social, and Recreational), local business, start-ups and working spaces.	€198,000
Tipperary	Carrick on Suir	Proposal to develop lands abutting Co-Op in Carrick Beg on southern bank of River Suir to provide a public amenity park which will extend existing parkland east of Dillon Bridge.	€90,000
Tipperary	Tipperary Town	The public open space known locally as the 'The Hills', is located approx. 400m north-west of Main Street, Tipperary Town. This proposal to create a superior recreational amenity with the provision of improved access, increased paths, a play area that is accessible, picnic benches, biodiversity planting and reflective areas.	€500,000
3	TOTAL	TIPPERARY	€788,000

WATERFORD	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Waterford	Ballyduff	This proposal is to bring a vacant derelict storehouse located in the village centre back to use as a multi-purpose space incorporating a shop, café, remote working/video-conferencing facilities, youth hub and gym facility.	€250,000
Waterford	Dunmore East	This application is for the remediation of the Fisherman's Hall building for multi-purpose use and repurposing of rooms to facilitate remote working functionality and public realm and open space enhancement including access arrangement to Stony Cove.	€250,000
Waterford	Touraneena	This proposal is for the repurposing of the first floor of Sliabh gCua Community Centre in Touraneena to facilitate multipurpose flexible usage including dedicated remote working space.	€100,000
Waterford	Villierstown	Fit out of a multi-purpose community building with a remote working hub facility.	€91,814
4	TOTAL	WATERFORD CITY AND COUNTY	€691,814

WESTMEATH	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Westmeath	Fore	Install Public Lighting along the L5637, creation of a community space in the heart of the village and construction of a stone wall along the L1663.	€157,231
Westmeath	Kinnegad	Rejuvenation of the Main Street of Kinnegad which would include an overhaul of the aesthetics, seating, facades, shopfronts, disability access, connectivity to main street river park, floral displays, and amenity signage.	€100,000
2	TOTAL	WESTMEATH	€257,231

WEXFORD	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Wexford	Craanford	Provision of a remote working hub in Craanford village, to be located in the former village shop(currently derelict)	€100,000
Wexford	Murrintown	This proposal is for the development of a Remote Working Hub with high-speed broadband and a café to support job creation in the rural area of Murrintown. The aim of the project is to enhance the existing social and economic infrastructure.	€220,914
Wexford	New Ross	This project has two elements: Renovating Brennan's Lane which is the main link from the town centre to the Library Park, Barrack Lane and the main town centre parking facilities. Renovating the Shambles as a vibrant multi-functional space	€500,000
Wexford	Ramsgrange	Repurposing of an unused, derelict space within the former convent at Ramsgrange Centre through the development of a rural remote working hub with high-speed broadband.	€100,000
4	TOTAL	WEXFORD	€920,914

Wicklow	Project / Location	Description	Allocation
Wicklow	Ballinaclash	The renovation of Ballinaclash Community Hall to provide remote working facilities and community hub for the area. The project will start with facilities for 4 remote working spaces including kitchen and toilet facilities. In addition, there will be accessible meeting room facilities.	€63,000
Wicklow	Donard	The applicant is seeking support for the renovation of Donard local Community Hall to provide 4 remote working desks with meeting facilities as well as the development of the cafe area.	€26,100
Wicklow	Wicklow	This project aims to reconnect Wicklow town centre to the port through its network of laneways. The proposal seeks to reanimate and revitalise these important linkage laneways and enhance their appearance.	€221,339
3	TOTAL	WICKLOW	€310,439