



## FOR A BETTER WORLD OF ENERGY **IRELAND COMMUNITY FUND**

#### ANNUAL REVIEW 2019/20

#### Introduction to the SSE Airtricity **Ireland Community Fund**

SSE Airtricity and SSE Renewables are part of the SSE Group. SSE Renewables is Ireland's largest generator of wind power and provides voluntary community funding in support of energy efficiency, safety and sustainability projects. This funding is awarded to community groups near SSE Renewables' wind farms in Ireland. The Community Fund for each wind farm is operated by its sister company SSE Airtricity, with the exception of the community fund for Galway Wind Park which is a joint venture with Greencoat Renewables. The Galway Wind Park Community Fund was launched in 2018 and, at around €400,000 annually, is the largest community fund of its kind in Ireland.

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# FOREWORD

2019/20 has been a busy year for the SSE Airtricity Ireland Community Fund, which distributes funding from SSE Renewables' wind farms across Ireland to community groups and projects, and in particular the funds associated with Galway Wind Park. We saw the completion of the first round of the Galway Wind Park Major Projects Fund (launched in 2018) and the launch of our newest fund, the Galway Wind Park Scholarship Fund.

The Galway Wind Park Major Projects Fund was shaped following consultation with local stakeholders and is part of our commitment of making a genuine and lasting difference to the local area around the wind park. An investment of [€279,000) was made into providing energy efficiency upgrades to 47 homes close to the wind park helping local residents make a contribution towards meeting Ireland's climate change targets.

During 2019 is the award-winning Galway Wind Park Scholarship Fund. The fund is Ireland's first ever windpowered scholarship and is designed to provide third-level education opportunities for local people to gain qualifications and build strong careers in the areas of energy efficiency, sustainability, environment, health, safety and social skills. Along with our joint venture partners Greencoat Renewables, we were delighted that the fund was recognized at this year's Irish Wind Energy Association Awards (IWEA) where it won the "Wind Energy in the Community" award.

In March 2020, the coronavirus pandemic dominated everything. It really is remarkable how guickly communities reacted and mobilised themselves and I hope that by making our funds available to help with the emergency response, it has helped to make things that little bit easier. As we are emerging from lockdown it is clear there are many challenges ahead, but having seen the positive effects that our funding has had with helping towards the coronavirus response so far, our objective is that the funds continue to play a part in helping communities in the recovery phase.

However, this report is focused on the 2019/20 year as a whole. It is a summary of every grant awarded to every community group we work with. Over the year we have awarded  $\leq 1,380,000$  to community groups, charities and grassroots organisations. This report highlights how every penny has been allocated and showcases only a small number of the projects and people that have received support from wind farms owned and operated by SSE Renewables through the SSE Airtricity Ireland Community Fund.

I hope you enjoy reading this report, and that like us you are inspired by the amazing work taking place in communities across Ireland. I would like to thank everyone involved for their hard work and good judgement, particularly the countless volunteers who play a huge part in every community.

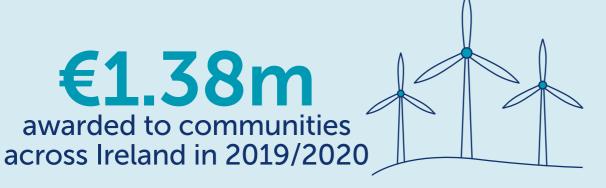


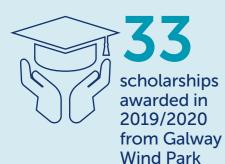
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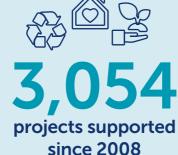
### projects supported in 2019/2020



upgrades as part of **Galway Wind Parks Major Projects Fund** 

# €130,000

worth of scholarships given to awarded in 2019/2020



BRINGING **COMMUNITIES TOGETHER** 

Comhaltas Cosanta Pool Chuil Aodha, is an outdoor pool located in Coolea, Co Cork. The outdoor pool provides a romantic idea of being on holiday and welcomes a number of locals as well as tourists each year. The Chúil Aodha outdoor swimming pool was first built back in 1968 and has been providing a service to schools and local community members for over 40 years.

In 2011 as part of the Coomacheo Wind Farm Community Fund, SSE Airtricity on behalf of sister company SSE Renewables awarded Chúil Aodha over €40,000 towards a major heating upgrade to a highly efficient and modern heat pump which allowed them to become more sustainable, but also greatly reduced heating costs.

In 2018 Cosanta Chúil Aodha applied for funding towards a disability hoist to facilitate the safe access and egress of those who require support to use the pool.



In 2019 further funding was awarded to allow the facilitation of a disabled shower and changing rooms which provided the services required to allow those who require these facilities to use the pool with ease and made the experience more enjoyable.

Siobhán Ní Laocha, Cosanta Chúil Aodha, said "the funding received from SSE to date has been extremely positive for swimmers and families alike in the area. The upgrades to the heating system and facilities for the disabled mean the pool can extend its opening hours, meaning more employment for locals and a better service all year round".

# THIS IS **GENERATION GREEN**

We believe everyone can take small steps to help the environment. Through education and awareness people can themselves can make a significant difference. The stories below highlight a some of the projects funded by the SSE Airtricity Community fund which will help sustain the environment for future generations.

Videos showing some of the local groups who have improved their energy efficiency and sustainability with the support of the community fund can be found at the link opposite, as part of the SSE Airtricity campaign on YouTube.







#### WEXFORD AQUA CLUB



We at Dromore Bee Keepers love to inform people about Bees and their benefits to the environment. There are over 100 species of Bees in Ireland which play a part in the ecosystem. We are very grateful to have received funding from the SSE Airtricity Fund to allow us to continue with our work

#### Jude Walsh

The support from the community fund has provided a space for ourcommunity to come together and do something they love. This facility gives people who might otherwise not see anyone for weeks on end the chance to meet up and socialise other people. It allows members of the community to integrate while doing something we enjoy.

Joe Burns

The beauty of diving off Kilmore Quay really inspires us to protect the environment. The wonderful marine life and the birds in this area are truly spectacular. We organize beach clean ups on a regular basis to do our small part for the environment.

Ivan Donoghue

# **BRIGHT SPARKS**

In August 2019 SSE Renewables and Greencoat Renewables launched the Galway Wind Park Scholarship Fund. This innovative fund is Ireland's first wind-power scholarship. The fund is designed to support students located within a 20km radius of Galway Wind Park.

The scholarship programme was created to help local students with their student fees and living expenses whist creating a pool of well-trained and experienced professionals, transforming career prospects in regional communities and positively impacting future generations. The Galway Wind Park Scholarship Fund is typically worth around €50,000 per annum and provides 50% grant support towards a student's annual fees for a maximum of three years. The Scholarship supports students attending Galway-Mayo Institute of Technology (GMIT) and National University of Ireland (NUI) Galway as well as other educational institutions across the island of Ireland. In order to qualify for the scholarship, recipients have to demonstrate how receiving the scholarship will add benefit to one of the following areas; energy efficiency, safety, social and environmental sustainability, recreation and tourism with education and skills development.

#### The Galway Wind Park Scholarship Fund opens for applications each September for students looking to begin their studies in the following academic year.





- Aedin O'Heocha Assistant Registrar at GMIT said: "The Galway Wind Park Scholarship is a welcome initiative and will allow recipients to focus on their college course thus affording them the opportunity to excel in their studies".
- 33 scholarships were awarded to recipients in 2019/20 with over €130,000 awarded. Successful recipient Eileen Welby from Oughterard, County Galway studying Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Early Childhood Education and Care in GMIT Mayo campus said: "As my course is very intensive I was worrying about working part time to fund the course and managing my studies. Receiving this scholarship has eased that burden and allowed me to focus solely on my studies".

# SUPPORTING LOCAL COMMUNITIES DURING THE COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) CRISIS

SSE Renewables' experience of working with communities has shown that each community is unique and that communities themsleves are best placed to respond to their own needs. When the country went into lockdown in March 2020 due to the coronavirus pandemic it was clear that communities would play a key role in ensuring the most vunerable residents were protected and supported.

The ability of local communities to establish projects and respond so quickly to this unprecedented public health emergency has been particularly impressive. Our response was to make sure that funding was brought

forward and made available to groups to help. Galway Wind Park Covid-19 response fund was the first launched followed closely by the funds for Cavan, Coomatalin and Coomacheo wind farms. It is anticipated that all the 2020/21 repurposed Covid-19 response funds will be administered by the end of October 2020.

To date, there has been significant demand for the funds, with the majority of applications being focused on providing services to vulnerable residents, including the delivery of food, medicine and essential goods and the provision of essential personal protective equipment (PPE).

Baileborough Community Centre, located close to Gartnanene Wind Farm, County Cavan were awarded funding towards their food and medical delivery service as well as the purchase of vital PPE equipment. **Kate Kelly**, a member of the committee said: *"Baileborough Community Centre was utilised as the hub during the initial lockdown and allowed the community responders a space to organise and provide the vital food and medical delivery services to the* 

vulnerable in our community. We were delivering up to 80 meals a day at the peak of the crisis and funding from SSE Renewables provided the resources required to sustain this. Likewise, the funding received was also used for the vital PPE that we needed to sustain this service safely and ensure those volunteering were protected throughout".

As the initial rapid response measures eased the focus on funding shifted towards technology for school children to support distant learning, provision of online mindfulness and exercise programmes to support with mental health and the maintenance of the critical food and medical deliveries to those shielding.

St Michael's National School in Cootehill were awarded funding from the Bindoo Wind Farm Community Fund towards the purchase of tablets to support distance learning. **Norma Sherlock** Principal of the school said: "Unfortunately as is the case in many communities there are families with no access to technology which became a vital resource during the Covid pandemic. Through the funding received from SSE Renewables, St Michaels NS has been able to purchase 10 tablets and allocate these to the families most in need. The tablets have allowed the children to continue with their learning during lockdown and will continue to provide additional benefit to the school when it reopens again".

#### THE ROAD TO RECOVERY

The initial and immediate response to this unprecedented emergency is one thing, but it is clear that the road to recovery is going to be a long one. SSE Renewables' model for sharing the economic value of its investments with the communities around its wind farms will continue, and the funds will be even more critical to helping communities and their economies bounce back over the medium term.

# GALWAY WIND PARK MAJOR PROJECTS FUND

The Galway Wind Park Major Project Fund was launched in 2018 following a period of community consultation to help inform how the fund would be established. The first two years of the fund was set aside for this project which saw homes close to the wind park being part of a a major energy efficiency project. A total of 47 homes in Seanaphaesteen, Fermoyle and Bunagippaun were included and received a number of energy efficiency improvements.

With some of the houses being over 70 years old, the initial stages of the project saw assessments being carried out to determine the level of work that was needed. During 2019, the project progressed to the next stage of delivery where the households were awarded a home energy measures upgrade coupon. In total €294,000 was invested in upgrades which included insulation, Solar PV panels, replacement of doors and windows and climate controls.

Improving the energy efficiency of older housing stock helps play an important part in tackling climate change and helping Ireland meet the energy efficiency targets set out in the Programme for Government. As well as experiencing the benefits that the upgrades have brought the investment has helped residents make the green transition.

#### Award-winning

Since its completion the project has gone on to receive recognition by winning two awards. The first was received at the inaugural Irish Wind Energy Association (IWEA) Awards where it won the "Wind Energy in the Community" and the second at the Chambers Ireland Awards 2019 for the Community Investment Category.





One recipient of the energy upgrades Barbara Allen said "I am very happy with the works done to my home and now that it's done, I wish I had it a long time ago. My only complaint now is my home is sometimes too warm!"



# **HOW TO APPLY**

**The SSE Airtricity Community Fund** 

The application process for the SSE Airtricity Community Fund is simple. Firstly, find out which wind farm is in your vicinity and make sure you meet the criteria listed below:

- Your group is a not-for-profit organisation
- You are requesting funding to benefit a community initiative, not an individual (although individuals may apply on behalf of a community project)
- Your community is situated within a 20km radius of the related wind farm. Priority is given to projects within a 5km radius

Next check the opening and closing dates for each of SSE Airtricity Community Funds on the SSE Renewables website, https://www.sserenewables.com/communities/community-fund-locations/ireland/ and make sure your project fits in one of the following categories. Currently SSE Airtricity prioritises energy efficiency projects.

- Energy Efficiency: Delivers reduced energy consumption
- Sustainability: Drives community-centred environmental and/or social sustainability interest
- Safety: Improves safety for the community

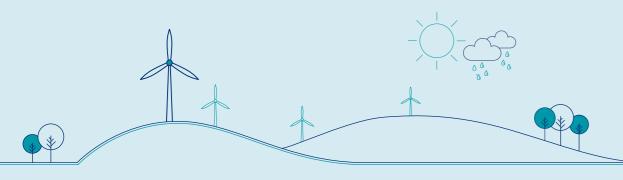
Lastly fill out the three short application forms listed below, telling SSE Airtricity about your community group and project and remember to attach quotes for the measure you are applying for. These forms can also be found on the SSE Ireland website.

- **1.** The SSE Airtricity ROI Community Fund Application Form
- 2. The SSE Airtricity ROI Contractor Quote Form
- 3. The SSE Airtricity ROI Community Fund Declaration Form

Completed application forms should be submitted via email to communityfundireland@sse.com or send to SSE's Community Development Officer, Anne Reynolds, at SSE Airtricity, Red Oak South, South County Business Park, Leopardstown, Dublin, D18 W688

All Community Fund applications are evaluated on a competitive basis by a scoring panel. Proximity to the wind farm and the number of beneficiaries will be a key consideration. All applicants will be informed whether they are successful or unsuccessful. If successful, the team will let you know how much your project will be awarded and will organise a visit to your community to present successful groups with their funding.

If you have any gueries with regards to these forms or the community fund please contact the team by emailing communityfundireland@sse.com or call Anne Reynolds on 01 655 6556.





For information about the Galway Wind Park Scholarship, please visit www.sserenewables.com

Enquiries only should be made directly to your chosen institution



GMIT StudentReg@gmit.ie





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# The Galway Wind Park Scholarship

GWP.Communityfund@sse.com



# BREAKDOWN OF FUNDING 2019/20

Cavan Community Fund

## Gartnanane, Mullananalt & Bindoo Wind Farms

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
St. Brigids Church	Insulation	€2,500.00
Bailieborough Shamrock	LED Lighting upgrade	€3,000.00
Tunnduff National School	Insulation	€3,000.00
Knockbride Church of Ireland	Ceiling insulation	€2,350.00
Cootehill Area Development	Car park upgrade safety	€5,000.00
TRINITY CHURCH	Doors and windows	€2,000.00
Naomh Maodhog East Knockbride NS	Contirbution to Library	€1,000.00
Bailieborough Mental Health Association	Mental Health Programme	€1,126.00
St. Micheals NS Clifferna	Window replacement	€3,000.00
Maudabawn Community Alert	Security lighting for elderly	€1,000.00
KDA Killinkere Development Association	Biodiversity project	€1,000.00
Denn GFC	LED Lighting upgrade	€1,000.00
Mountain Lodge Defib	Defibilators	€2,350.00
Drumgoon Parish Finance committee	LED Lighting	€5,000.00
Darley National School	Roof insulation	€2,500.00
Cootehill Celtic GAA Club	Pitch lighting	€3,500.00
KILLYGARRY GAA CLUB	Pitch lighting	€4,500.00
Latton O'Reilly GAA Club	Pitch lighting	€4,000.00
Scoil Eanna Ballybay	New entrance doors	€4,000.00
Rainbow Kids Community Childcare	Water Heating	€1,500.00
Kilmount Presbyterian Church	Insulation for new hall	€2,000.00
Baileborough Community Resource Hse	Lighting project	€721.00
Kill Community Development	Insulation	€2,000.00
Cavan Beekeepers Association	Education programme	€2,000.00
Lavey Community Group	LED Lighting	€3,500.00
Baileborough Community Association	Planting Trees	€1,500.00
Drumgoon Eire Og	Lighting upgrade	€1,500.00
Laragh Sports Hall	External doors	€2,600.00
Muckno Triathlon	Safety Equi <b>p</b>	€2,000.00
Kill Community Alert	Security lighting for senior citizens	€1,500.00
Kill National School	Yard upgrade on safety grounds	€4,000.00
Drumgoon Community Centre	Meals on Wheels	€2,500.00

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Ashfield Parish Church	LED Lighting	€1,750.00
Gallonray House Afterschool	Equipment	€1,000.00
Baileborough Mental Health	Education programme	€674.00
St. Michaels NS Cootehill	Fire Doors	€4,000.00
Maudabawn Foroige club	Education programme	€500.00
Bunnoe Senior Social club	Senior citizens Summer Outing	€1,500.00
Drumgoon Ladies Football Club	Education Mental Health	€750.00
Kill ICA	Education programme	€500.00
St. Mark's Church KIll	Insulation on exterior walls	€2,800.00
Drung Senior Social Club	Senior citizens Summer Outing	€1,000.00
Cootehill Players	Stage Lighting system	€750.00
Cootehill Beavers	Education programme	€400.00
Drung ICA	Education programme	€500.00
Cootehill Senior Citizens	Senior citizens Summer Outing	€1,500.00
Cootehill Masonic Lodge	Insulation	€1,000.00
Corduff Raferagh Community Assoc	LED Lighting	€1,200.00
St. Patrick's National School	Poly Tunnel garden project	€2,465.00
Corcaghan Community pre school	Insulation	€1,500.00
Drumgoon Hill Old Graveyard Committee	Biodiversity signage	€1,230.00
Clones Town Football Club	Operators fund	€1,000.00
Bravery Blanket	Operators fund	€1,000.00
Bailieborough Community House	upgrade indoor lighting	€1,279.00
St. Oliver Plunkeet NS	Solar panels	€4,000.00
Fingers & Toes Childcare	Garden room	€3,000.00
Doohamlet Community & Resource	Solar panels	€4,000.00
Corduff handball club	Phase 2 insulation	€1,250.00
Knockbride Parish Hall	Lighting	€1,500.00
Corghan Community Pre-school	Insulation	€1,000.00



#### BREAKDOWN OF FUNDING 2019/20

#### Gartnanane, Mullananalt & Bindoo Wind Farms

- Energy efficiency
- Sustainability (Environmental)
- Sustainability (Social)
- Safety
- Running Costs

## Coomacheo & Curragh Wind Farm **Community Fund**

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Comhaltas Cosanta Pool Chuil Aodha	Disabled shower	€4,267.00
Coiste Halla Baile Mhuirne	Energy monitors	€17,000.00
Cuman Liathroid Laimhe & Raicead Naomh Aban	Led lighting project replacement	€4,000.00
Scoil Mhuire Boys National School	Insulation for the school	€3,000.00
Millstreet Community Housing Assoc	Doors & Windows	€5,000.00
Bord Bainistiocht Cholaisate Ghobnatan	Heating up grade	€2,000.00
Comharchumann Forbartha Mhuscrai Teoranta	LED bulb replacement	€2,000.00
Cumann Bheachairi Mhuscrai - Beekeepers	Education Programme	€3,400.00
Carriganima National School	Disabled toilets and ramp	€5,000.00
St. John's GAA Club	Disabled toilets and insulation	€4,500.00
Comhlacht Tithe Sosialta & Forbairt an tSulain Teo	Lighting upgrade	€3,000.00
Millstreet Pitch & Putt	Window & Doors	€3,500.00
Millstreet GAA	Lighting project	€6,000.00
Cumann Peile Naomh Aban Naofa	Fencing near a river on safety grounds	€3,000.00
Rylane National School	Rainwater harvesting	€3,000.00
Millstreet Town Park	playground surface on safety grounds	€1,500.00
West Muskerry AC	Pitchlighting	€1,000.00
Dulta & Duchas Bhaile Bhuirne	Biodiversity education programme	€1,000.00
29th Cork Macroom Scout Group	Windows	€1,000.00
Gleacaiocht Mhuscrai Committee	Equipment upgrade	€1,000.00
Rylane Community Council	Village linking lighting project	€4,000.00
Coiste Forbartha Beal Athan Ghaonthaidh	Bottle bank - in two budgets Curragh also	€220.00
Laura Lynn	Charity fundraise	€1,000.00
Cairde Millstreet	Drier for Senior Citizens laundry	€350.00
Ballyvournney District Community Council	Fencing	€10,000.00
Clondrohid Community Recreational Facility Ltd.	resurface car park on safety grounds	€10,000.00
Banteer Community Sportsfield Ltd.	Insulation	€4,000.00
Ballinagree Community Development Co	Playground equip	€4,000.00
Taispentas Baile Mhuirne	Sponsor Show	€1,000.00
Kilcorney National School	Windows	€1,500.00
Carriganima Broadband	Broadband	€5,000.00
Coiste Forbartha Beal Atha'n Ghaorthaid	Phase Recycling centre	€1,780.00



# **Coomatalin Wind Farm**

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Christ Church Drinagh	Electric Heating	€1,845.00
Cox's Hall	Windows	€1,500.00
Doheny GAA Club	Windows	€1,500.00
Drinagh Community Association	Traffic Calming	€3,000.00
Drinagh National School	Lighting	€2,500.00
Drimoleague Tidy Towns	Community garden	€1,250.00
Dunmanway Sports Hall	Fire Doors	€2,098.00



#### Coomacheo & Curragh Wind Farms

- Energy efficiency
- Sustainability (Environmental)
- Sustainability (Social)
- Safety
- **Running Costs**

## **Coomatalin Wind Farm**

- **Energy efficiency**
- Sustainability (Environmental)
- Sustainability (Social)
- Safety
- **Running Costs**

## **Corneen Wind Farm**

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
St. Aidan's National School	Polytunnel	1,600.00
Bawnboy Workhouse Ltd.	Windows for Laundry building	€2,458.00
Bawnboy Men's shed	Install Sink Health & Safety	€700.00
Bawnboy Tidy Towns	Lawnmower upgrade on safety grounds	€500.00
Smugglers Cycling Club	Operator's fund	€250.00
Belturbet Row Boat club	Operator's fund	€750.00



### **Corneen Wind Farm**

- Energy efficiency
- Sustainability (Environmental)
- Sustainability (Social)
- Safety
- Running Costs

## **Richfield Wind Farm**

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Kilmore Quary Dev Assoc Meals on Wheels	Meals on wheels	€1,000.00
Rathangan Senior Citizens	Insulation	€2,000.00
St. Fintan's National School	Lighting project	€1,000.00
Scoil Realt na mara	Phase 2 lighting	€2,000.00
St. Anne's GAA Club	Resurface driveways on safety	€2,000.00
Kilmore United	Track lighting	€2,000.00
Kilmore Quay community Development Assoc	Equipment upgrade	€2,160.00
Bridgetowns Men's Shed	roof insulation	€2,000.00
St. Anne's National School	floor covering on safety	€2,500.00
Mulrankin Church	Lighting project	€2,500.00
Wexford Sub Aqua Club	Beach clean up Project	€2,000.00
Equine Conection (Railway Yard Gallops)	Horse training	€2,000.00
Forth Mountain Walking Group	Restoring old house	€1,000.00
Yola Hedge Schoool & Family School	Solar Panels	€1,000.00



## Kingsmountain & Dunneill Wind Farms

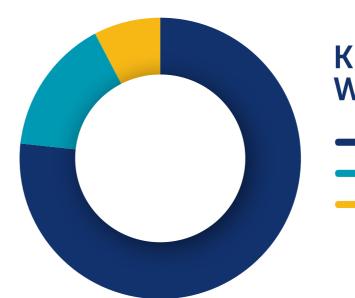
COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
St. Farnan's GAA Club	Operators Fund	€1,000.00
St. Mary's National School	Playground resurface	€3,000.00
Windmill players	Sound system	€1,000.00
The F Word Group(Craft Group)	Educational Programme	€500.00
Dromore West National School	Electric heaters	€2,000.00
St. Farnan's Community Park Association	New mower	€1,000.00
Dromore Villa	Goal posts on safety grounds	€1,000.00
Templeboy Aughris Rural Action	Lighting project	€1,000.00
Skreen Church of Ireland	Window replacement	€1,000.00
High Park Parents Assoc	LED Lighting	€500.00
Easkey Community council	LED Lighting	€500.00
Killeenduff National School	Lighting project	€1,000.00
Enniscrone & District Community Dev	LED pitch lighting	€3,000.00
Enniscrone Men's shed	Insulation	€500.00
Castleconnor GAA	Sports lighting	€1,000.00
Castleconnor Community Company	LED Lighting	€500.00
Owenbeg National School	LED Lighting	€1,000.00
Beltra Men's Shed	Equipment	€500.00
Beltra Country Market	Window replacement	€800.00
Coolaney Mullinabreena GAA	Sports lighting	€424.00
St. Farnan's GAA Club	Operators fund	€1,000.00
The Old School House	Phase 2 dampness	€3,000.00
Mayo Beekeepers	Education programme	€2,500.00
St. Josephs National School	Playground upgrade	€2,000.00
Dromore West Astro Turf	Astro turf upgrade on safety grounds	€2,000.00
Dromore West Village Enhancement	Christmas lights	€1,000.00
Dromore West Community Council Ltd.	Doors & Windows	€1,000.00

## **Richfield Wind Farm**

- **Energy efficiency**
- Sustainability (Environmental)
- Sustainability (Social)
- Safety
- **Running Costs**

BREAKDOWN OF FUNDING 2019/20

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
West Sligo Young at Heart	Senior citizens programme	€500.00
Skreen Dromard Community Preschool	LED Lighting	€500.00
Skreen Dromard Community Care	Senior citizens programme	€500.00
Rathlee National School	Solar panels	€1,000.00
Eoghan Rua Ladies Football Club	Equipment	€500.00
Colaiste Iascaigh	LED Lighting	€1,000.00
Kilglass Enniscrone United	Disabled ramp to stand	€500.00
Western Gaels Hurling Club	Equipment	€500.00
Enniscrone Community Playgroup	Equipment	€500.00
Coolaney Mullinabreena GAA	Sports lighting	€376.00





#### Kingsmountain & Dunneill Wind Farms

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## Knockastanna Wind Farm

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Kilcommon Community Council	Energy efficient equip	€1,500.00
Rearcross Football Club	Water heating system	€1,500.00
Rearcross National School	Heating system	€1,500.00
Sean Traceys GAA Club	Pitch lighting	€1,500.00
DOON GAA CLUB	Pitch lighting	€1,500.00
Doon Historical & Literary Society	Contribution towards book	€500.00
Doon Community Centre	Outdoor lighting	€1,000.00
Cappawhite National School	external doors	€1,000.00
Cullen-Lattin AFC	Led Lighting	€800.00
Donohill Development Council Ltd.	Mower	€1,000.00
Curreeny Community Hall	Attic insulation	€628.00
East Limerick Red Cross	Operators fund	€1,000.00

## Meentycat, Meentycat Extension & Culliagh Wind Farms

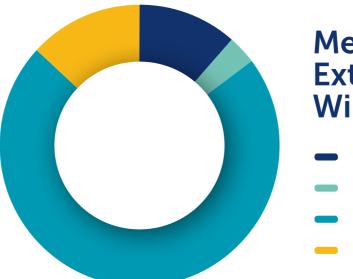
COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
1st Convoy Girl Guides	Sponsored Walk	€600.00
Adult Day Centre - Cuanannnie	Sponsored Walk	€825.00
Alcohol Forum	Sponsored Walk	€900.00
Ballybofey United	Sponsored Walk	€1,025.00
Ballybofey & Stranorlar Tidy Towns	Sponsored Walk	€700.00
Ballybofey & Stranlar Men's Shed	Sponsored Walk	€550.00
Buthall Tennis Club	Sponsored Walk	€775.00
Cappry Rovers Ballybofey	Sponsored Walk	€1,325.00
Cloghan Childcare Centre	Sponsored Walk	€1,125.00
Convoy ABC Boxing Club	Sponsored Walk	€900.00
Convoy Hall Rebuilding Fund	Sponsored Walk	€925.00
Convoy Community & Enviromentel Committee	Sponsored Walk	€900.00
Donegal Down Syndrome	Sponsored Walk	€975.00
Dooish National School	Sponsored Walk	€1,050.00
Drumkeen Community Childcare Centre	Sponsored Walk	€750.00
Drumkeen United Football Club	Sponsored Walk	€700.00
Finn Community Childcare (TT Chilcare Ltd.)	Sponsored Walk	€550.00
Finn Valley Ladies Football club	Sponsored Walk	€1,900.00
Finn Valley Rugby Valley	Sponsored Walk	€1,375.00
Gairmscoill	Sponsored Walk	€1,575.00
Glencovitte National School	Sponsored Walk	€750.00
Glenfinn Football Club	Sponsored Walk	€1,350.00
Killygordon National School	Sponsored Walk	€1,250.00
Letterkenny Rugby Club	Sponsored Walk	€4,900.00
Meeneragh Resource Centre	Sponsored Walk	€725.00

#### Knockastanna Wind Farm

- Energy efficiency
- Sustainability (Social)
- Running Costs

**Meentycat Wind Farm** 

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Meenglass Church of Ireland	Sponsored Walk	€725.00
North West Shotekan Karate Club	Sponsored Walk	€1,225.00
Planet Youth	Sponsored Walk	€475.00
Red Hughs GAA Club	Sponsored Walk	€1,425.00
Robert Emmets GAA Club	Sponsored Walk	€2,225.00
Scoil Bhride	Sponsored Walk	€800.00
Sean Mac Cumhaills GAA Club	Sponsored Walk	€1,725.00
Setanta Hurlling Club	Sponsored Walk	€1,125.00
S.N Cholmcille Bailena Finne & Naionra	Sponsored Walk	€800.00
Stranorlar Presbyterian Church	Sponsored Walk	€1,175.00
Twin Town Boxing Club	Sponsored Walk	€1,150.00
Three Rivers Badminton	Sponsored Walk	€1,500.00
St. Mary's GAA Club	Sponsored Walk	€600.00
Swilly Seals Letterkenny Association	Sponsored Walk	€2,825.00
S.N. Taobhoige	Sponsored Walk	€1,175.00
St. Ninians Convoy Parish Church	Sponsored Walk	€800.00
St. Patrick's National School	Sponsored Walk	€1,050.00
Welchtown National School	Sponsored Walk	€1,725.00
Rapoe Lourdes Pilgrimage	Sponsored Walk	€925.00
Glenfinn Ladies GAA	Operators fund	€1,000.00
St. Ninians Convoy Parish Church	wall inculation	€3,000.00
The Green Residents Group	Planting	€1,000.00
The Green Residents Amiran Group	Planting	€1,000.00
Twin Town Boxing Club	upgrade showers	€5,000.00
Illistrin Football Club	Pitch lighting	€430.00
Cappry Rovers Ballybofey	Astro Turf upgrade	€8,000.00
Raphoe Congregational Church	Phase 2 Lighting	€3,919.00
Finn Harps Academy	Return Funding	€-425.00
Letterkenny Rugby Club	insulation	€1,200.00
Glenfinn GAA Club	Roof repairs	€15,000.00
SEAN MACCUMHAILLS GAA	LED lighting	€5,730.00
Gairmscoil	Phase 2 electric heating	€3,000.00
Raphoe Congregational Church	Phase 2 lighting	€81.00
Illistrin Football Club	Pitch Lighting	€5,570.00
Letterkenny Rugby Club	Insulation - arrears 2018	€4,800.00
Ballybofey United Football Club	Insulation - arrears 2018	€3,000.00



#### West Limerick and North Kerry Community Fund

## Tournafulla 1 & 2, Leanamore, Athea, Dromada & Rathcahill Wind Farms

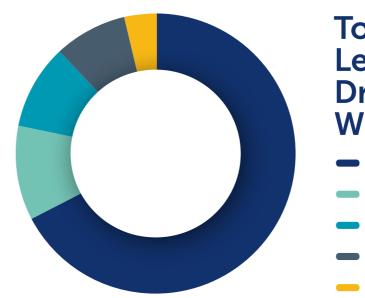
COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Limerick Boat Club	Operators Fund	€500.00
Athea GAA	Led Lighting project	€7,000.00
Athea United AFC	Solar panels	€7,000.00
Athea Tidy Towns	Boidiversity project	€3,000.00
Con Colbert Community Hall	Insulation	€5,000.00
Athea Fishing Club	Safety foot bridge	€2,000.00
Athea Gun & Conservation Club	Habitate control	€2,000.00
Athea Drama Group	Stage Lighting	€2,000.00
Athea Parish	exterior lighting	€5,000.00
Athea Craft Group	Education programme	€725.00
Carrigkerry Community Centre	Car park lighting project	€3,500.00
Ardagh District Recreational & Sporting Co.	Lighting for handball alley	€5,000.00
Ardagh Development Association	Christmas Lights	€2,000.00
Tarbert Development Association	Biodivisity project	€685.00
Meenkilly National school	Insulation	€3,000.00
Abbeyfeale Community Alert	Fire Blankets for senior citizens	€2,000.00
Scoil Padraig Knocknasna	Led Lighting project	€2,000.00
Newcastle West & District Community Centre	Lighting	€3,000.00
Kilmeedy National School	Doors	€4,000.00
Scoil Naomh Ide Ashford	Solar panels	€2,000.00
Knockdown Vintage Club	Equipment upgrade	€1,000.00
Feale Biodiversity	Biodiversity project	€1,000.00
Tournafulla Village Tidy Towns	Biodiversity Area	€3,000.00
Tournafulla Camogie Club	Fencing on safety grounds	€3,500.00

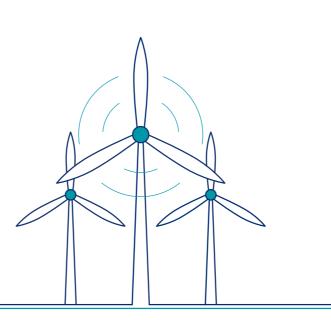
#### Meentycat, Meentycat Extension & Culliagh Wind Farms

- Energy efficiency
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COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Templeglantine GAA	Solar water heating system	€5,000.00
Templeglantine Parish Finance Committee	Insulation of Hall	€5,000.00
Templeglantine Tidy Towns	Planting for Village Green	€1,500.00
Glantine FC	Insulation of Hall	€3,000.00
Kantoher Development Group CLG	Windows & Doors	€4,000.00
Killeedy GAA Club	Solar Panels	€4,000.00
Strand Community Development	Solar lights	€2,500.00
St. Ita's Ashford	Lighting project	€3,500.00
Duagh Sports & Leisure	Electric heating	€4,000.00
Foynes Yacht Club	Electric showers	€4,000.00
Glinn GAA	LED Lighting	€3,000.00
Abbeyfeale United FC	LED Lighting	€3,000.00
Fr. Casey's GAA Club	Gas Heating	€1,848.00
Noonan Lights	Operators fund	€500.00
Multiple Myeloma Ireland	Operators fund	€300.00
Yet to be raised	Operators fund	€200.00
St. Ita's Day Care Centre	Operators Fund	€1,000.00
Tournafulla Sustainable Living	Polytunnel	€6,000.00
Tournafulla Community Council CLG	Lighting project	€5,000.00
Abbeyfeale Brothers of Charity	Lighting project	€1,435.00
Abbeyfeale Folk Theatre	Lighting project	€3,000.00
Abbeyfeale Rugby Club	Pitchlighting	€2,500.00
Abbeyfeale Community Council	LED Lighting	€2,000.00
Abbeyfeale Community Leisure Ltd	Doors & Windows	€2,000.00
Monagea National School	Internal doors	€3,000.00
Monagea GAA	Lighting project	€3,000.00
Newcastle West GAA	Water heating system	€2,000.00
Glengurt National School	Car park safety	€8,000.00
Tournafulla Community Alert	Security lighting senior citizens	€1,980.00
Moyvane Community Sports Hall	Windows	€4,000.00
Abbeyfeale Men's Shed	Equipment	€789.00
Tournafulla Comhaltas	Sound system	€2,000.00
Kerry Hospice	Operators fund	€500.00
Tournafulla Development Assoc	Phase 3 car park resurface on safety	€7,000.00
Tournafulla GAA	Gas Heating	€7,000.00
Muintir na TireHall Templeglantine	Insulation	€4,000.00
Tournafulla & District Vintage Club	Marque floor on safety grounds	€2,000.00
Tournafulla Mountcollins Church Restoration	Bell structure support - safety	€6,000.00
Tarbert Development Association	Planting	€315.00
Moyvane & Knockanure Parish	Insulation	€4,000.00
Moyvane Development Association	Christmas Lights	€3,000.00
Abbeyfeale Brothers of Charity	Lighting	€515.00
Abbeyfeale Tidy Towns	Biodiversity project	€1,000.00
	Operators fund yet to be spent	€500.00
Lenamore Roverc FC	Showers & Toilets	€5,000.00
Ballylongford National School	Exterior lighting	€5,000.00

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Lenamore National School	Roof insulation	€7,000.00
Ballylongford Christmas Lights	Xmas lights	€4,000.00
Ballylongford Tidy Towns	Rain water harvesting	€3,000.00
Tarbert Comprehensive School	Lighting project	€5,000.00
Loughill Community Development Assoc	Wheelchair access to picnic area	€2,000.00
Gerald Griffin National School	Lighting project	€5,000.00
Glin Rovers	Lighting project	€3,000.00
Tarbert National School	windows	€5,000.00
Father Caseys GAA	Heating	€1,152.00
Abbeyfeale Men's Shed	Equipment / Facilities upgrade	€1,152.00





#### BREAKDOWN OF FUNDING 2019/20

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# Galway Wind Park

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Clonbur Community Council	sponsorship	€400
Corrib Beo	sponsorship	€500
Maam Cross Text Alert	sponsorship	€500
Club Imanaiochta Bearna/na Forbacha	sponsorship	€150
Maam Cross Pony show	sponsorship	€500
Corrib Beo Catchment Partnership	sponsorship	€500
Galway Ladies Football	sponsorship	€300
Oughterard Golf Club	sponsorship	€250
Friends of James Kelly	sponsorship	€500
Oughterard Lions Club	sponsorship	€300
Lap Tech Ltd Joyce country mens shed	sponsorship	€400
Discover Oughterard	sponsorship	€300
Oughterard Social Services	sponsorship	€300
Oughterard Ladies Gaelic Football Club	Sponsorship	€500
Oughterard Airsoft Club	Sponsorship	€500
Kieran Molloy	Sponsorship	€500
Oughterard Social Services	Sponsorship	€300
Cuman Peile Seamus O'Maille	Sponsorship	€500
Doon East Enhancement Scheme	Pathways	€4,000
Coiste Pobal Ceanter Sheanadh Pheistin	Equipment upgrade	€2,500
Coiste Pobal Ceanter Sheanadh Pheistin	Defibrillator	€5,000
Naionra an Dreollin & an Fhainleogg	Sensory garden	€3,000
Coiste Currachai an Spideal	running event	€1,500
Baboro International Arts Festival for Children	running event	€3,000
Oughterard Youth Club	Solar panels	€4,142
Rosscahill Text Alert	Carbon monixide Alarms	€1,500
15th Galway Scout Group Oughterard	Trailer	€1,500
Corribale Grounds Committee Ltd.	lighting for the park	€4,000
Collinamuch & District Angling Club	Storage hut	€1,750
Mothers & Others Killannin	Jerseys	€900
Oughterard Tidy Towns	Polytunnel	€1,200
Discover Oughterard	Storage hut	€2,000
Oughterard community Centre	lighting project	€10,000
Killannin Ladies Gaelic Football Club	Training programme for club	€2,500
Oughterard AFC	Insulation	€5,500
Oughterard Lights Committee	Christmas Lights for Oughterard	€1,000
Killannin Badminton Club	new equipment	€1,200
Killannin Development Committee	Lawnmower	€2,500
Killannin Pitch Committee	Line marking equip	€400
Oughterard GAA Club	Pitchlighting	€12,500
29th Galway Killannin Scout Group	Storage hut	€1,750
Galway Rape Crises Centre	programme for oughterard	€3,500

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Oughterard Rugby Club	building of sports facility	€3,000
St. Annin's National School	Court resurfacing	€5,000
Killannin Community Centre	Sound system	€450
Oughterard Active Retirement Association	Senior Citizens programme	€3,750
Oughterard Meals on Wheels	meals on wheels service	€3,000
Oughterard Anglers & Boatmen's Association	Education programme	€1,500
Forum Connemarra (Forum Ability Project)	Education programme	€2,250
Tearmann Eanna Ctr	Replacement doors & windows	€15,000
Club Leabhar Cois Fharraige	Contribution towards books	€1,500
An Crann Tace	Contribution towards books	€2,000
Rosscahill Tidy Towns	Planting programme	
Killannin GAA	Trainin equipment	€2,000
Oughterard Golf Club	Solar panels	€4,000
Corrib Athletic Club	Gabezo	€2,750
Oughterard Camera club	Laptops	€850
Scoil Muire Doireglinne Parents Association	After school programme	€750
St. Annin's Day Centre Retirement Group	Senior Citizens programme	€3,000
Oughterard Youth Café	12 week programme	€650
Clan Resource Centre	Solar panels	€2,200
Oughterard Men's Shed	Equipment upgrade	€3,300
Clan Resource Active Retirement	Senior Citizens programme	€3,000
Oughterard Show Society CLG	towards running show	€2,000
Domestic Violence Response	programme for oughterard	€1,500
Beekeepers Association	Install Apiary	€2,500
Cumannn Peil na mBan Maigh Cuilinn	running event	€1,300
Forbairt Pobail Maigh Cuiilinn	Doors & Windows	€3,000
Moycullen Community First Responders	Defibrillator	€4,000
Tar Isteach Playground Moycullen	Fencing	€2,000
Coiste an Chillin	Flooring insulation	€3,000
Moycullen Girl Guides	Outdoor equipment	€2,000
Scoil Cholmain Tuairini	Special needs class room	€7,000
Ability West Meitheal Centre	Kitchen equipment	€5,000
Coil Ard and Bun nCoille Residents	Planting programme	€500
Connemare Hub Down Syndrome	electrical work	€4,346
Moycullen Walking Club	Printing maps	€1,000
Maigh Cuilinn Community Bingo	running event	€500
Moycullen Activities & Social Club	Running senior citizens programme	€500
Ionad Cois Cladaigh Brothers of Charity	Running programme	€450
ICA Guild Moycullen	Running programme	€700
Scoil Cholmcille	Autism unit	€6,500
Coiste Pairc Spraoi an Spidell	Playground equipment	€6,000
Coiste Ceantair Tuairini	Playground equipment	€2,500
Cro na bhFear Maigh Cuillinn	Electric heaters	€1,000
Moycullen Heritage	Heritage trails	€1,000
Sonas Senior Citizens	Senior Citizens programme	€5,000
Naionra an Chnoic	Playground equipment	€1,250

#### BREAKDOWN OF FUNDING 2019/20

COMMUNITY GROUP	PROJECT	AWARD
Comhairle Ceantar na nOilean	Building wall	€1,500
Bearna na Foracha Aonaithe	lighting project	€10,000
Corrib Beo	Education programme	€2,000
Horse Connects	Education programme	€1,700
Pair an chathanaigh	Goal posts	€700
Scoil Naisiunta Colmcille Leiter Moir	Library	€1,500
An Seid Carroe Men's shed	Equipment upgrade	€3,000
32nd Galway - Menlo Scouts	Tents	€4,000
Club Judo na Ceathrun Rua	Mats	€2,000
Venture Out Wilderness Project CLG	Towards programme	€2,000
Corrib Mask Search & Rescue	Equipment upgrade	€6,000
Major Projects Fund	Energy Efficiency Upgrades at local dwellings	€329,000
Scholarship x 33	GWP Scholarship	€130,423.00

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- Regional Fund Scholarship
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