

**WEXFORD LOCAL DEVELOPMENT (WLD)
Rural Development Programme (RDP)/LEADER Evaluation Questionnaire**



COMMUNITY SECTOR

1. How did you hear about WLD and the RDP/LEADER grant aid? (Tick relevant boxes)

- Information night
- Previous grant
- Word-of-mouth
- Local press
- Radio
- Website
- Advisor (e.g. accountant, bank, etc.)
- Trade show (e.g. Ploughing Championships)
- Other (please specify) _____

2. How would you describe the grant aid process? (Tick relevant box in each case)

	<i>Excellent</i>	<i>Very Good</i>	<i>Good</i>	<i>Fair</i>	<i>Poor</i>
How was your initial enquiry dealt with?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ease of preparing the grant application?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Support given by staff during application process?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The grant payment process?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3. If you had not received grant aid, what would have been the impact on your project? (Tick relevant box)

- Would not have proceeded
- Proceeded on a smaller scale
- Proceeded over a longer timeframe
- Proceeded as planned

4. How would you describe each of the following? (Tick relevant box in each case)

	<i>Excellent</i>	<i>Very Good</i>	<i>Good</i>	<i>Fair</i>	<i>Poor</i>
The impact of the RDP/LEADER Programme in your area?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The impact of the RDP/LEADER Programme in terms of job creation/job retention in your area?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please provide any additional comments you may have:

5. Has your community group availed of other WLD supports? (Tick relevant boxes)

- Local & Community Development Programme (LCDP)
- Rural Transport Programme
- Local Employment Service (LES)
- Meitheal Programme
- WARM Project
- Traveller Programmes
- TUS Programme
- Rural Social Scheme (RSS)
- Get Vocal Programme
- Cornmarket Project
- Other (please specify) _____

6. With regard to bridging finance and matching funds for your project, have you availed of any of the following sources? (Tick relevant boxes)

- Clann Credo
- Credit Union
- Bank Loan
- Private Loan
- Own Resources

7. Please rate your experience of accessing finance using the choices below. (Tick relevant box)

- Very Easy
- Relatively easy
- Neither easy nor difficult
- Relatively difficult
- Very difficult

8. What are the three major challenges/issues facing your community over the next 3 years?

1	
2	
3	

9. List any future projects that your community group has identified?

1	
2	
3	

10. How do you propose to fund these projects? (Insert % in each case)

Clann Credo _____

Loan _____

Grant Aid _____

Own Funds _____

Other (please specify) _____

Total = 100%:

11. Based on your experience of working with us to date, would you advise other communities to apply to WLD for grant aid?

Yes No

State reason(s) for your answer:

13. Please feel free to include any other comments:

Thank you for your Co-operation

Contact Name:

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Community Group Name:

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