

LEADER Rural Development Programme 2014-2020 **Call for “Expressions of Interest” for Community Grant Aid**

Wexford Local Development (WLD) is now seeking “Expressions of Interest” from applicants seeking to apply for LEADER grant aid to support the community & voluntary sector in County Wexford. Projects will fall under the following areas:

Project Type	Available Budget
• Promotion & protection of biodiversity	€60,000
• Protection & sustainable use of water resources	€40,000
• Development of walking trails (including walking tracks)	€189,000
• Development of youth facilities	€75,000

Applicants must complete a two stage application process:

- Stage 1: Complete and submit an “Expression of Interest” form, which will determine if the proposal meets the objectives of the Wexford Local Development Strategy and complies with the LEADER Programme Operating Rules.
- Stage 2: Applicants that are successful at Stage 1 will be invited to submit a full application with detailed costings, community development plan and associated documentation as required. Invitation to application stage does not mean that you will be awarded grant aid as it is a competitive process.

Please Note: While the maximum eligible grant aid to any individual project is €150,000, given the competitive application process, it is likely that the maximum grant aid given to any project will be less than this amount.

Expression of Interest forms are available to download from www.wld.ie/leader.
Deadline for receipt of completed, signed and dated EOI forms is 12 noon,
Thursday 5th December 2019.

For further information on qualifying criteria, other documentation required, indicative timeframes, etc. please email: leader@wld.ie or visit www.wld.ie



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