

## Tidy Towns Grants Awarded by County Council

North Tipperary County Council has awarded funding of €70,000 in Tidy Towns Grants to thirty four community groups around the County to assist them in carrying out projects that enhance and improve the local community. A variety of projects are carried out by the various groups - planting of trees, shrubs and flowers; painting; creating nature amenity and wildlife areas and pathways; picnic areas, information signs; maintaining of green areas and community clean ups.

The following groups were awarded funding under the scheme:

<b>Tidy Towns Name</b>	<b>Grant awarded in 2009</b>
Ballycahill Tidy Village	600
Ballina Tidy Towns	6500
Ballingarry Tidy Towns	2000
Ballinahinch Tidy Towns	700
Birdhill Tidy Towns	2300
Borrisoleigh Tidy Towns	1250
Borrisokane Tidy Towns	2300
Carrig Tidy Towns	1100
Castleiney Tidy Towns	1350
Carrigahorig Development Association	1500
Cloughjordan Tidy Towns	2400
Garrykennedy Tidy Towns	2100
Holycross Development Society	1100
Inch, Ragg, Bouladuff Tidy Village	3200
Killoscully Development Association	1300
Kilcommon Community Council	2500
Kilbarron Development Association	2000
Loughmore Tidy Village	1250
Milestone Development Association	1000
Moyne Tidy Village Committee	1400
Newport Environmentally Friendly Group	3100
Littleton Tidy Towns	1500
Lorrha Dev. Association	2000
Portroe Tidy Towns	2400
Puckane Tidy Towns	2300
Rathcabbin Development Association	1250
Rearcross Community Council	700
Roscrea Tidy Towns	7000
Riverstown Tidy Towns	2000
Shevry Development Association	1300
Silvermines Enhancement Group	3000
Terryglass Improvements Associations	3000
Templetuohy Tidy Village	1000
Upperchurch Tidy Village	1600

The Tidy Towns Grant Scheme has proved to be a very positive initiative since its introduction in 2002 and aims to reward and assist the voluntary time and effort given by Tidy Towns/Village Groups in North Tipperary.

Assistance to local recognised community groups is granted at the rate of 75% of eligible costs. The remaining 25% must be provided by the group in the form of cash receipts or voluntary labour and all successful applicants have been requested to submit receipts from works carried out so that payment can be issued. For further information on the Tidy Towns grants scheme and how to apply please contact Áine Mc Carthy, Environmental Awareness Officer, North Tipperary County Council, email [amccarthy@northtippcoco.ie](mailto:amccarthy@northtippcoco.ie) or phone 067 44784.

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