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Local Enhancement Programme 2026

Applications are invited by Carlow Local Community Development Committee for grant funding under the **Local Enhancement Programme 2026**.

The Local Enhancement Programme is funded by the Department of Rural and Community Development and the Gaeltacht and administered by Carlow Local Community Development Committee.

A total of **€156,072.58 in capital funding is available** to support necessary repairs and improvements to facilities, energy-efficiency projects, the purchase of equipment, and similar works. This funding is allocated as follows:

- €46,821.77 (30%) is ring-fenced for small-scale grants of €1,000 or less.
- €109,250.81 (70%) is designated as targeted funding for disadvantaged areas, as identified in the County Carlow Local Economic and Community Plan 2023–2029.

Application forms and further information are available from:

- Carlow Local Community Development Committee, Community Section, Carlow County Council, Athy Road, Carlow R93 E7R7
- T: 059 - 9136249
- E-mail: lcdc@carlowcoco.ie

The closing date for receipt of completed applications is 27th February, 2026.