



Monaghan Tidy Towns Circular Economy Plan

Tidy Towns Adjudication

904 entries, categorized by size A – F

- Adjudication gives a benchmark every year usually with recommendations
- Increasing focus on the environment over the last ten years...ie biodiversity and **sustainability**
- Tidy Towns groups have eight categories under which they are judged

8 categories

1. Community - Planning and involvement
2. Streetscape & Public Places
3. Green Spaces and Landscaping
4. Nature and Biodiversity in your Locality
- 5. Sustainability – Doing more with less**
6. Tidiness and Litter Control
7. Residential Streets & Housing Areas
8. Approach Roads, Streets & Lanes

SDGs

United Nations Sustainable Development Goals



Community Foundation Ireland (CFI)

- Funding opportunity – €2,500 to develop and activate a Circular Economy plan.
- 20+ groups across the country funded
 - Facilitator through Voice Ireland
 - (<https://www.voiceireland.org/cceap>)
 - 3 meetings – simple plan
 - 2 further meetings ourselves = draft plan completed
 - Next stage activation

Review previous projects

Have you some unused, vintage or "preloved" bags cluttering up your wardrobe??

Big Bag Day!

Donate to Vision Ireland for our **BIG BAG Sale Day** on **Saturday 1st June**

Recycle bags here!!

Circular Economy in Monaghan

Drop in bags to the shop from Friday 24th May until sale day




Vision Ireland, 31 Glaslough St, Monaghan
087 342 40 88
monaghan.retail@ncbi.ie

Vision Ireland



NCBI Working for People with Sight Loss

Unwanted Gifts??

DONATE YOUR UNWANTED GIFTS TO A GOOD CAUSE!

Now that Christmas is over, you may have some unwanted gifts - the good news is that you can donate them to the NCBI shop at Alma house, Glaslough Street (opposite the Squealing Pig) open Monday to Saturday, 9.30am to 5.30pm.

Thank you!!



Stop Food Waste at Monaghan Street Food Festival

Monaghan Tidy Towns in conjunction with Comhairle na nOg and Monaghan County Council

Saturday 1st October 2022
11am - 4pm

Free food waste caddies
(You will need to bring your Eircode to claim one)

Also available at a discount while stocks last:

- Keep Cups**
- Car bins**
- Free wildflower seeds!**

Clothes Swap
with Comhairle na nOg





Draft Plan

- Introduction “Waste not, Want Not”
- References - Voice, CFI, SDGs etc
- Plan – Vision Statement, Goals, Actions
- Table of actions
- Appendices (previous projects, resources links etc)

Action	Start date	Milestones	Key people/groups - responsibility	Resources
Host info stall at August event - Educate people on local on what goes into bins via an event at the local shopping centre.	August 2024	Completed. Potential for repetition at future Streetfood festival events	Volunteers, Environment Officer We will educate people on existing repair or waste recycling services. We will connect up those who need with those who want to share.	Gazebo CE Pull Ups Leaflets and fliers Kitchen food waste caddies to distribute free to participants



Image: European Parliament

Thank you