

Waterford Area Partnership CLG
Demonstration of Work SICAP 2018 to 2022
Proposed Case Study 2018/9

Thematic Focus: As per option 3 in the Case Study guide 2019. Our Case Study describes a Goal 1 Project/Programme which exemplifies the role and contribution of a typical SICAP project towards social inclusion and activation locally.

Project: Shandon Community Allotments Committee (Local Community Group)

Rationale:

This project is based in a Waterford City & County Council housing estate in Dungarvan. Since 2016 SICAP has provided supports to the community by providing developmental supports to the committee and building links with other service providers and community groups in the area

In 2018 Shandon Community Allotments Committee were part of the Dungarvan entry of the Entente Florale international competition to promote a greener and more pleasant environment in European towns and villages and to facilitate international contacts among the participants. The case study will showcase and exemplify the developmental support provided through a skills based approach and collaboration with Waterford City & County Council (different sections), Healthy Waterford, Waterford and Wexford Educational Training Board and local community groups e.g. Treo Portlairge and Carraiglea Disability Services

Community Setting: Shandon is a local authority housing estate. Although the Pobal Small Area Maps (Id No 227032010) indicate the area is marginally below average the following statistics highlight SICAP target groups residing there

Age Dependency	32%
Lone Parents	40%
Unemployed Male	28%
Unemployed Female	25.19%
Local Authority Rented Accommodation	54.33%

Predominately this work is under Goal 1, however Goal 2 also engaged with supports which will be included in the case study.