



Comhpháirtíocht Leader Waterford Leader
Phort Láirge Partnership

Date: 3rd December 2020
WLP Board Meeting

LO2 Rural Enterprise Development	SA2.1 Capital investment in existing technology	Board Members Observations
Design, supply and installation of an energy efficient IR Combi Finishing Oven	A maximum of €82,331.00 or 50% of eligible expenditure, whichever is the lesser	Board Members agreed with the recommendation of the Evaluation Committee noting that it is important to support businesses in employment blackspots like Tallow.
L.O. 1 – Rural Tourism; S.A.1.1 Activity Tourism		
Sea Safari Boat & Replacement Equipment	A maximum of €119,751.35 or 74.99997% of eligible expenditure, whichever is the lesser.	Board Members agreed with the recommendation of the Evaluation Committee noting that the promoters are good operators and have successfully managed the business through some difficult times. The importance of supporting the tourism industry beyond Covid was stressed.
L.O. 1 – Rural Tourism; S.A.1.2 Culture & Heritage		
Gallows Hill Architect Landscape Report	A maximum of €13,491.00 or 90% of eligible expenditure, whichever is the lesser	Board Members agreed with the recommendation of the Evaluation Committee but noted that the documentation being presented should be clearer on what is being protected for those unfamiliar with the area. Board Member's clarified that the site is an ancient burial ground of great significance and is supported by the Heritage Office of WC&CC and the OPW.

L.O. 1 – Rural Tourism; S.A. 1.4 RV Parks/Camping/Glamping		
Ardmore Open Farm & Glamping Pods Appeal	A maximum of €158,193.77 <i>or</i> 40% of eligible expenditure, whichever is the lesser	Board Members agreed with the recommendation of the Evaluation Committee to increase the percentage rate from 25% to 40% following the promoter's clarifications on their finances. Board Members agreed that it is important to support the tourism industry to ensure their continuation beyond Covid.