



INISHOWEN COMMUNITY FORUM

Working in Partnership with Inishowen Development Partnership (IDP) and Donegal County Development Board (CDB) COMMUNITY AND VOLUNTARY DIRECTORY QUESTIONNAIRE

Guidelines: There are two parts to this form. Part [A] is the information required to ensure your group is accurately registered on the Donegal CDB's Community and Voluntary Directory. Part [B] asks for your views on specific challenges and suggestions on how Inishowen can support the delivery of the Donegal County Development Board (CDB) Priority Actions. The aim of the CDB is to achieve co-ordination of services at point of delivery to all citizens.

It is essential that you complete Part [A]. Part [B] is optional but we would appreciate you taking the time to give us your thoughts as it will help frame the future agenda for both Inishowen Community Forum (ICF) and Inishowen Development Partnership (IDP).

PART [A]. INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR REGISTRATION ON DCC COMMUNITY & VOLUNTARY REGISTER

1.0 GROUP CONTACT DETAILS

1.1 NAME & ADDRESS OF GROUP:

1.2 TOWNLAND:

1.3 TELEPHONE:

1.4 MOBILE:

1.5 FAX:

1.6 EMAIL:

1.7 WEB:

1.8 CONTACT PERSON

If your group does not have a fixed location where meetings etc. take place, please provide the townland address of the main contact person: _____

2.0 COMMITTEE DETAILS

2.1 CHAIRPERSON NAME

2.2 SECRETARY NAME

2.3 TREASURER

2.4 AIM(S) OF THE GROUP:

2.5 SET UP DATE/DATE ESTABLISHED: _____

2.6 STATUS OF THE GROUP (e.g. Ltd. Company, registered charity, branch etc.) _____

2.7 DOES YOUR GROUP HAVE? (PLEASE TICK APPROPRIATE BOXES)

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| 1. A CONSTITUTION? | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. AIMS AND OBJECTIVES? | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. MEMORANDUM & ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION? | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |

2.8 HOW OFTEN DOES THE GROUP MEET? (I.E. WEEKLY, MONTHLY, ANNUALLY) _____

2.9 CAN YOU PLEASE SPECIFY THE DATE OF YOUR LAST AGM? _____

2.10 ARE THERE ANY WORKING GROUPS OR SUBGROUPS? YES NO
(IF YES, PLEASE SUPPLY DETAILS)

All of the above information will appear on the IDP website and on the Donegal CDB's Community & Voluntary Directory on their website. Please tick this box if you do not want your group contact details to be displayed on these websites.

2.11 IS YOUR GROUP AWARE OF THE EXISTENCE OF THE FOLLOWING COMMUNITY STRUCTURES IN COUNTY DONEGAL/INISHOWEN?

COUNTY COMMUNITY FORUM	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
INISHOWEN DEVELOPMENT PARTNERSHIP	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
INISHOWEN COMMUNITY FORUM	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

2.12 (a) WHAT GEOGRAPHICAL AREA DOES YOUR GROUP SERVE (I.E. PROVIDE SERVICES TO?)

(b) IS YOUR GROUP **ISSUE** SPECIFIC I.E. SET UP TO ADDRESS ISSUES LIKE UNEMPLOYMENT, OLDER PEOPLE, WOMEN, YOUTH, DISABILITY, ETC? YES NO

IF **YES** CAN YOU PLEASE INDICATE FROM THE LIST BELOW THE MAIN FOCUS OF YOUR GROUP (IF NECESSARY PLEASE TICK MORE THAN ONE BOX)?

WOMEN	<input type="checkbox"/>	HERITAGE	<input type="checkbox"/>	DISABILITY	<input type="checkbox"/>
MEN	<input type="checkbox"/>	YOUTH	<input type="checkbox"/>	CULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/>
SPORTS & RECREATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	DEVELOPMENT	<input type="checkbox"/>	RELIGIOUS	<input type="checkbox"/>
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	<input type="checkbox"/>	TRAVELLERS	<input type="checkbox"/>	ENTERPRISE	<input type="checkbox"/>
EXPRISONERS	<input type="checkbox"/>	OLDER PEOPLE	<input type="checkbox"/>	RURAL TRANSPORT	<input type="checkbox"/>
CHILDCARE/PLAYGROUP	<input type="checkbox"/>	TOURISM	<input type="checkbox"/>	PARISH COUNCIL	<input type="checkbox"/>
HOUSING/RESIDENTIAL ASSOCIATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	FESTIVAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	
REFUGEES/ASYLUM SEEKERS	<input type="checkbox"/>	ENVIRONMENT	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	

PART [B]. THIS PART OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE IS OPTIONAL BUT WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOU TAKING THE TIME TO COMPLETE IT.

3 [a] FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF YOUR COMMUNITY GROUP WHAT ARE THE KEY CHALLENGES YOU FACE?

[b] WHAT SUPPORT DO YOU THINK IS REQUIRED FOR YOU TO OVERCOME THESE CHALLENGES?

4 LOOKING MORE BROADLY AT INISHOWEN WHAT ARE YOUR VIEWS ON THE PRIORITY ACTION AREAS OF THE COUNTY DEVELOPMENT BOARD AS LISTED BELOW. Please give your suggestions under each heading.

1. TO DEVELOP DONEGAL AS A LEAD REGION FOR THE **GREEN ECONOMY**
(I.E. RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES, ORGANIC PRODUCE & PRODUCTS, GREEN BUILDINGS, ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES ETC.)

2. TO PROMOTE **ENTERPRISE AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT** IN THE REGION

3. TO DEVELOP A **DONEGAL BRAND** ACROSS ALL SECTORS

4. TO ENSURE **BEST ACCESS TO SERVICES** FOR THE COMMUNITY OF DONEGAL

5. TO FULLY DEVELOP THE COUNTY'S **CULTURAL RESOURCES**

6. TO DEVELOP THE REGION'S NATURAL **RESOURCES**

5 PLEASE USE THE SPACE BELOW TO PROVIDE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THAT YOU FEEL WILL HELP US DEVELOP OUR WORK MORE EFFECTIVELY.

Return Address:

**Kate Wilkinson, CDB Community & Voluntary Directory Questionnaire,
St. Mary's Road, Buncrana, Donegal.**

**THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.
WE VALUE YOUR CONTRIBUTION.**