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Kilkenny County Council

County Hall John Street Kilkenny R95 A39T



Creating Sustainable Communities and Places

31st May 2023

TO:

An Cathaoirleach and each Elected Member

FROM:

Denis Malone, A/Director of Services

RE:

Report to Council on the Graveyard Grants Scheme 2023.

Dear Councillor

There was a total of 48 applications received under the Graveyard Grants Scheme 2023. The total budget allocation for the Graveyard Grants for 2023 is €20,000.

Of the 48 grant applications, 1 application was deemed ineligible as the works proposed in this application are not possible to commence at present.

Enclosed are details of the 47 applications that have been approved for grant assistance under this scheme. All grant payments will be subject to conditions and works may not commence until the applicants receive a written letter of confirmation outlining the conditions specific to each graveyard.

The total amount of grant assistance recommended is €20,000.

Yours sincerely.

Denis Malone,

A/Director of Services,

Planning, Economic and Environmental Services

| | Graveyard Grant Scheme 2023 Applicants | | | | |
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| Reference No. | Applicant Group / Organisation | Graveyard | Description of Work approved | Amount recommended | |
| | Windgap Finance | | Grass Cutting, trimming of verges, | | |
| GGS 2023 - 1 | Committee | Kilmacoliver Graveyard | maintenance of hedgerows. | €450.00 | |
| | | | Grass Cutting, trimming of verges, | | |
| | | | maintenance of hedgerows, flower beds, | | |
| | Windgap Finance | | planting of shrubs - large graveyard of 4 | | |
| GGS 2023 - 2 | Committee | Windgap Graveyard | acres. | €465.00 | |
| | Windgap Finance | | Grass Cutting, trimming of verges, | | |
| GGS 2023 - 3 | Committee | Killamery Graveyard | maintenance of hedgerows. | €450.00 | |
| | Windgap Finance | | Grass Cutting, trimming of verges, | | |
| GGS 2023 - 4 | Committee | Lamogue Graveyard | maintenance of hedgerows. | €300.00 | |
| | Dunamaggin Parish | | | | |
| GGS 2023 - 5 | Committee | | Grass Cutting, trimming of verges | €300.00 | |
| | Church of Ireland Kells | St. Mathews Church of | Strimming, cutting grass, painting gates, | | |
| GGS 2023 - 6 | Union of Parishes | Ireland, Kilmoganny | public liability insurance | €400.00 | |
| | | | Grass cutting, general maintenance of | | |
| | | | graveyard & equipment. Public Liability | | |
| GGS 2023 - 7 | Kells Union with Inistioge | Glebe (New Graveyard) | Ins. | €365.00 | |
| | | Kells Old Graveyard | General maintenance, petrol, service of | | |
| GGS 2023 - 8 | Kells Union with Inistioge | Rathduff | mower & strimmer | €350.00 | |
| | | | To fell sycamore trees on the boundary | | |
| | | | adjacent to National Sch. Public Liability | | |
| GGS 2023 - 9 | Kells Union with Inistioge | Burnchurch, Co. Kilkenny | Ins. | €1,000.00 | |
| | | | General clean up, cutting & strimming | | |
| | | | of grass. Remove debris from outside | | |
| GGS 2023 - 10 | Glenmore Rural Graveyards | Listerlin, Tullogher | wall. | €400.00 | |

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| | | | General clean up insude church & | |
| | | | cleaning of briars to facilitate pedestrian | |
| | | | entrance. Clean up outside church & | |
| GGS 2023 - 11 | Glenmore Rural Graveyards | Mullinakill, Tullogher | entrance gate. | €350.00 |
| | * | | General clean up, cutting & strimming | |
| GGS 2023 - 12 | Glenmore Rural Graveyards | Kilmakevoge | of grass. | €350.00 |
| | | | General clean up, cutting & strimming | |
| GGS 2023 - 13 | Glenmore Rural Graveyards | Kilcolm | of grass. | €350.00 |
| | 30 | | General clean up, cutting & strimming | |
| GGS 2023 - 14 | Glenmore Rural Graveyards | Kilbride, Glenmore | of grass. | €350.00 |
| | | | General clean up, cutting & strimming | |
| GGS 2023 - 15 | Glenmore Rural Graveyards | Ballygurrim | of grass. | €350.00 |
| 1 | | 2-07 | Maintenance of grass, trimming of | |
| | Inistioge Old Graveyard | | shrubs, painting of gates & railings, | |
| GGS 2023 - 16 | Committee | St. Columcille, Inistioge | flowers. | €500.00 |
| | St. Lachtain's Old Graveyard | St. Lachtain's Old | | |
| GGS 2023 - 17 | Group | Graveyard, Coolcullen | Grass Cutting, Flower Display. | €300.00 |
| | | | Continuity of general maintenance of | |
| | | St. Patricks Church, | graveyard, keeping walls clean & | |
| GGS 2023 - 18 | Clogh Parish Finance | Townland of Clogh | monitoring of Dens Tomb | €500.00 |
| | | Gazbo Sacred Heart | | |
| | | Church, Townland of | Continuity of general maintenance of | |
| GGS 2023 - 19 | Clogh Parish Finance | Moneenroe | graveyard, keeping walls clean. | €500.00 |
| | Killahy Graveyard | | | |
| GGS 2023 - 20 | Community Group | Killahy Graveyard | Grass cutting | €300.00 |
| | Tifeaghna Graveyard | | Annual upkeep & maintenance, incl. | |
| GGS 2023 - 21 | Maintenance Group | Tifeaghna | materials | €500.00 |

| | | | Clean up of graveyard, removal of | |
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| | | | debris, grass cutting, planting relating to | |
| | Castleinch Church & | | diversity, maintain access. Complete | |
| GGS 2023 - 22 | Graveyard Committee | St. Davids, Castleinch | recording of graves/history of families. | €500.00 |
| | Eirke Churchyard | | | |
| GGS 2023 - 23 | Preservation Committee | Eirke Church & Graveyard | Maintenance of lawns & hedges | €500.00 |
| | Thornback Church Yard | | Grass cutting & clean up, insurance | |
| GGS 2023 - 24 | Committee | Thornback Graveyard | costs. | €500.00 |
| | St. Aidans Church | St. Aidans Graveyard, | | |
| GGS 2023 - 25 | Kilmanagh | Kilmanagh | Grass cutting as required. | €500.00 |
| | | | Upkeep & maintenance of graveyard, | |
| | Stoneyford Churchyard | | cutting grass, clipping hedges, buying | |
| GGS 2023 - 26 | Committee | St. Brendans Graveyard | new strimmer | €500.00 |
| | | | Grass cutting, general maintenance, | |
| GGS 2023 - 27 | Kells Union of Parishes | Kilfane Graveyard | maintenance of mower & strimmer. | €450.00 |
| | | St. Mary's Old Graveyard, | Grass cutting, general maintenance, | |
| GGS 2023 - 28 | Kells Union of Parishes | Thomastown | maintenance of mower & strimmer. | €450.00 |
| | | Knocktopher CoI | | |
| GGS 2023 - 29 | Kells Union of Parishes | Graveyard | Grass Cutting, petrol, insurance | €500.00 |
| GGS 2023 - 30 | Coolagh Pattern Committee | Coolagh Graveyard | General Maintenance | €500.00 |
| | | | General maintenance, litter collection, | |
| | Paulstown Development | | planting of pollinators, maintenance to | |
| GGS 2023 - 31 | Association | Church of the Assumption | entrance | €400.00 |
| | | | General maintenance, litter collection, | |
| | Paulstown Development | | planting of pollinators, maintenance to | |
| GGS 2023 - 32 | Association | St. Johns Church, Shankill | entrance | €400.00 |
| | Paulstown Development | Abbey Graveyard, | General maintenance, litter collection, | |
| GGS 2023 - 33 | Association | Kellymount | planting of pollinators | €400.00 |

| | Paulstown Development | Kilmacahil Graveyard, | General maintenance, litter collection, | |
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| GGS 2023 - 34 | Association | Garryduff | planting of pollinators | €350.00 |
| | Ballyragget Development | | Grass maintenance, hedge & tree | |
| GGS 2023 - 35 | Association | Donaghmore Graveyard | maintenance | €400.00 |
| | Kilmacow Parish Old | Dunkitt, Kilmacow Lwr, | Strimming & General Maintenance. Ins. | |
| GGS 2023 - 36 | Graveyards Committee | Ballinamorahan | Costs. | €430.00 |
| | | | General maintenance & upkeep, | |
| | Castlecomer Union of | Mothel Graveyard, | assessment of trees & removal of | |
| GGS 2023 - 37 | Parishes Mothel Parish | Coolcullen | dangerous/hazardous trees | €500.00 |
| | St. Mary's Parish, | St. Mary's Church of | General Maintenance, grass cutting, | |
| GGS 2023 - 39 | Castlecomer | Ireland | trimming of shrubs/ trees | €500.00 |
| | St. Mary's Parish, | The Colliery Church, | General Maintenance, grass cutting, | |
| GGS 2023 - 40 | Castlecomer | Moneenroe | hedge trimming where needed | €500.00 |
| | | | Grass cutting, removal of compost heap, | |
| | | | painting of maintenance shed & boiler | |
| | | | house doors, insulation on external | |
| GGS 2023 - 41 | St. John's Priory | St. John's Priory, John Street | | €340.00 |
| | Owning Development | | Grass cutting & general maintenance of | |
| GGS 2023 - 42 | Association | Owning Old Graveyard | graveyard. | €450.00 |
| | | | Cut Grass, prune trees & hedge, weed | |
| | Cuffesgrange Graveyard | Church of the Holy Cross, | paths & headstones, purchase flowers & | |
| GGS 2023 - 43 | Committee | Cuffesgrange | shrubs & stone chippings | €350.00 |
| | Ballyneale Graveyard | Dysartmoon Graveyard, | General growth tidying, surrounding | |
| GGS 2023 - 44 | Committee | Ballyneale | wall painting | €250.00 |
| | Templemartin Graveyard & | | | |
| | St. Martin of Tours Mass | Templemartin of St. | | |
| GGS 2023 - 45 | Committee | Martins Tours | Cutting of grass, trimming of trees | €300.00 |
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| | Conahy Graveyard | | General Upkeep, grass cutting, planting | |
| GGS 2023 - 46 | Committee | Conahy Graveyard, Conahy | of flower boxes, repairs to fencing. | €350.00 |

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| | Conahy Graveyard | | General Upkeep, grass cutting, planting | |
| GGS 2023 - 47 | Committee | Kilmacar Graveyard | of flower boxes, repairs to fencing. | €350.00 |
| | Clomantagh Heritage & | | | |
| GGS 2023 - 48 | Graveyard Group | Clomantagh Graveyard | Grass cutting & strimming etc | €500.00 |
| | | *************************************** | Total | €20,000.00 |