

NATIONAL, REGIONAL, MUNICIPAL/MULTI-SPORT– LIST OF GRANTEES

Grantee	Category	Grant Amount	Funding since 98	Description
NATIONAL				
Athletics Ireland	National	€250,000	€459,278	Equipments kits for Children's 'Ready-Steady-Go' Programme plus kits for Youths and Adults club and regional centre programmes
Basketball Ireland - National Arena	National	€400,000	€400,000	Refurbishment of National Arena, Tallaght including new replacement seating, new electronic clock and scoreboard system to meet international board requirements.
Clontarf Cricket Club	National	€175,000	€201,000	Improvements identified for usage for international matches by Irish Cricket Union, including extension of northern boundary; new artificial wicket; water 'hog' for removing surface water from playing area and tarpaulin covers.
Cycling Ireland	National	€115,000	€826,737	High performance equipment required for cyclists attending the Sean Kelly Cycling school based in Merchtem, Belgium. Also high performance equipment for Paralympic cyclists and some specific bikes required for women's cycling.
Cycling Ireland Mountainbike Commission	National	€80,000	€80,000	Development of Ireland's first downhill national mountainbike centre to be built to international standards and to be used both as training facility and competitive race track.
Football Association of Ireland	National	€250,000	€975,000	Continued roll-out of goalposts safety programme on a national basis; replacing existing goalposts with NSAI-approved ones.
Irish Amateur Boxing Association - National Stadium	National	€350,000	€2,800,660	3rd and final phase of National Stadium. Floor covering for the walkways. Ventilation system. Plaster outside wall at gymnasium. Outside ground to be levelled and marked out for car park; boundary wall at rear (along the canal). €2.45m allocated to this project since '98, including €500k in Dec. '05
Irish Amateur Fencing Federation	National	€20,000	€20,000	Replacement of obsolete electronic scoring equipment and portable playing surfaces for competition usage and schools equipment.
Irish Canoe Union - Liffey Centre	National	€165,000.00	€165,000.00	Refurbishment of Liffey Centre, Strawberry Beds, Chapelizod. Not upgraded since it was built in 1991. Extension creating reception, lecture room and greater storage capacity, accommodation of disabled access, new heating and ventilation installation and modifications to plumbing. Also high Performance equipment – Gym & weights, training rig; two high-spec racing K2s. Also general purpose development equipment (kayaks, paddles, wetsuit, canoes)
Irish Deaf Sports Association	National	€15,000	€15,000	Equipment and storage shed at HQ in Drumcondra.
Irish Parachute Club	National	€100,000	€185,395	Upgrade from grass to hard surface runway at Clonad Airfield, Clonbulloge, Co. Offaly. Only such parachuting and skydiving facility in country.
Irish Sailing Association	National	€180,000	€180,000	Creation of a mobile National Keelboat Fleet to be established through purchase of identical 7m-8m keelboats with launching trailers and spare parts/accessories storage units.
Irish Underwater Council	National	€20,000	€90,000	Purchase of a compressor with capability for nitrox blending to enable nitrox training at their HQ in Dublin

Morton Stadium Management Committee	National	€7,000	€527,000	Equipment – adjustable hurdles required for Women's Steeplechase event newly introduced by the IAAF and for Men's Master event.
National Coaching & Training Centre	National	€60,000	€281,974	Automated Metabolic Gas Analysis System – a Breath by Breath & Mixing Chamber for physiological testing of elite athletes; to build a physiological profile of our elite athletes which will be of major benefit in identifying where and how performance improvements can be achieved.
North County Cricket Club Ltd.	National	€240,000	€575,948	This is also the Irish Cricket Union's National Indoor Cricket Centre. Works include disabled left and fit out of 2nd floor; fit out of heating, electrical, boundary walls, fencing and gates.
ONAKI	National	€10,000	€10,000	Equipment sets (target dummies, body opponent bags, agility kits), karate mat sets and digital scoreboards for use countrywide in national junior club league and for national championships.
Punchestown 3 Day Event Ltd	National	€40,000	€40,000	Upgrade and improvement of the cross-country course used for the Punchestown International Three-Day Event – construction and design of fences and landscaping and presentation work.
Swim Ireland	National	€37,800	€37,800	Land training equipment for diving, such as trampolines, portable dive stations, underwater video camera, Heart monitor (hand held) Competition equipment. For Irish Waterpolo Association, six wireless shot clocks for various venues in Dublin, Galway, and Mayo.
Tennis Ireland – National Centre	National	€750,000	€1,880,000	2nd and final phase of National Tennis Centre at Glasnevin, Dublin. Two outdoor clay courts and a further four outdoor acrylic hard courts, dressing rooms, showers and toilets, floodlighting of outdoor courts fencing (€84k) and security services.
NATIONAL TOTAL		€3,264,800	€9,750,792	
REGIONAL				
Athlone Town Stadium Ltd	Regional	€600,000	€2,850,000	Further funding for completion of Phase 1 of new stadium facilities which involves the main stand of 2,000 seats; dressing rooms etc. and beneath-stand area to be fitted out to required UEFA standards incl. ticket office/ turnstiles; playing pitch and training pitch; floodlights; security fencing.
AUL Complex	Regional	€70,000	€775,000	This is a designated FAI Regional Development Centre. This grant is for refurbishment of three old shower areas including retiling and replacement of showers and water heaters together with segregation of and improvements to a number of changing rooms for use by women's teams
Bray Wanderers	Regional	€385,000	€1,013,948	Phase 2 of total development in order to meet UEFA License regulations - Construction of changing rooms over basement with terracing and retaining walls; Installation of canopy to cover seating area.
Cobh Ramblers FC	Regional	€350,000	€775,000	Phase 2 of the club's development programme. This grant is to bring the club to the point of meeting its UEFA License requirements and includes the construction of a 1,200 seated stand on south side of their St. Colman's Park ground and the lengthening and widening of the playing pitch.
Cork Constitution Football Club	Regional	€400,000	€676,974	Replacement of existing pitch with all-weather playing surface and associated works and upgrading of existing floodlights.
Cork Institute of Technology	Regional	€400,000	€1,280,921	For changing room and shower facilities for 70 sports teams affiliated to various codes in the college and up to 30 outside clubs and schools which avail of the facilities.
County Carlow Rugby Football Club	Regional	€50,000	€144,440	Installation of floodlighting
Cumann Camogaiochta Chontae Chorcaí	Regional	€175,000	€175,000	Development of a new site at Mahon in Cork into county headquarters for camogie including pitch development, equipment and security fencing.
Donegal Junior League	Regional	€30,000	€230,790	Fencing and floodlighting required for their astroturf pitch

Galway Regional Sports Centre, NUIG	Regional	€400,000	€1,467,883	Re-surfacing of the athletics track and jump and throwing areas
Garryowen Football Club	Regional	€150,000	€150,000	Refurbishment of dressing rooms and showers including area for ladies players; pitch development; security fencing due to threat of vandalism; upgrade floodlighting to match standard.
Inishowen Football League	Regional	€150,000	€345,790	Upgrade of the league's grounds at Maginn Park in Buncrana to include the refurbishment of a natural grass pitch and the provision of floodlighting and security fencing.
Kerry District League	Regional	€100,000	€505,790	This is a designated FAI Regional Development Centre. Construction of new training fitness & education centre incorporating a sports hall, canteen, ladies gents and disabled toilets, store room and home & away Ladies changing rooms. Also provision of equipment, i.e. treadmills, exercise bikes and rowing machines. Also screen and projector for delivery of coaching courses and summer camps.
Kildare & District Schoolboys League	Regional	€350,000	€350,000	Erection of dressing rooms and clubhouse building; preparation of playing surfaces and Site drainage.
Laois GAA - O'Moore Park	Regional	€250,000	€630,000	Floodlighting to inter-county hurling match standard – selected by GAA as one of two floodlit Leinster venues.
Leinster Rugby	Regional	€80,000	€780,000	Upgrade the floodlighting of the back pitch at Donnybrook from training lights to match-playing lights. The main pitch has match-playing lights. It is very important that junior and schools rugby have the facility to play midweek matches under lights.
Longford Town Football Club Ltd	Regional	€25,000	€834,922	Turnstiles and segregation fencing required for UEFA License and safety requirements.
Mayfield United AFC/FAI	Regional	€70,000	€828,000	Further funding towards development of FAI Regional Development Centre which to date has provided four natural-surface pitches, 1 full-size all-weather pitch, dressing rooms, coaching/education classrooms.
Mayo Association Football League	Regional	€300,000	€1,050,790	This is a designated FAI Regional Development Centre. This grant to complete facilities to that standard. Extension to existing clubhouse comprising of four dressing rooms (two specifically for Ladies), complete with showers and toilets; education/gym room; referees, first aid, kit, plant and store rooms to meet with FAI Regional Centre
Meath and District League	Regional	€175,000	€457,533	This is a designated FAI Regional Development Centre. Making safe and replacing decayed boards and badly worn chain link surrounds on the all-weather pitches, which have been in place for six years. Also development of an area previously unusable to a full-size grass pitch.
Offaly GAA County Board - O'Connor Park	Regional	€400,000	€1,000,000	Towards the completion of the construction of 7,000 all-seater stand including toilets, dressing rooms, meeting rooms and press facilities.
Páirc Mac Diarmada	Regional	€250,000	€736,974	Covered seated stand to incorporate dressing rooms, medical room, press & video facilities, meeting rooms, toilets.
Pearse Stadium 1	Regional	€100,000	€3,019,738	Installation of match quality floodlighting suitable for TV broadcasting.
Royal Dublin Society	Regional	€1,000,000	€1,000,000	To develop the Showjumping Arena into a regional sports facility also covering rugby, and specifically as a venue for the Leinster rugby team. Critical to the development is the resurfacing of the main arena, installation of floodlights and the construction of 9,189 covered seats; resulting in a capacity of 15,200.

Semple Stadium	Regional	€1,000,000	€1,300,000	Grantee named as Thurles Gaelic Sportsfield Society. Planned major re-development of Semple Stadium, recently officially designated as the 2 nd GAA ground in the country to Croke Park. This grant is for Phase 1 - which is the upgrade of the Kinnane Stand. Phase 2 to follow will involve upgrading of Ardán Uí Riain and the terracing at both ends.
Shannon Rugby Football Club	Regional	€275,000	€275,000	Raising of the bottom pitch so it can be used all year round (€238k), floodlighting for this and main pitch extending of dressing rooms (two more) for €97k and purchase of two portacabins to provide meeting rooms and kitchen area (the old ones being converted to dressing rooms).
South Dublin Football League	Regional	€550,000	€1,117,435	Completion of the development of two-storey leisure facility and league headquarters comprising of changing rooms, meeting and plant rooms, toilets, showers and offices.
St. Mary's College RFC	Regional	€225,000	€225,000	Extension to and modification of existing clubhouse. A new gym, medical room and dressing-rooms/showers will be in the extension. This will allow additional dressing rooms/showers/toilets to be provided in the existing clubhouse for Women's Team.
Tipperary County Camogie Board	Regional	€20,000	€58,092	Propose to construct a 100 ft. viewing stand – pitch is not sheltered. Also security fencing need to supplement and support an existing wall. Pillars need to be built into the wall to support it for safety reasons.
UCD Sports Department - Belfield Bowl	Regional	€1,250,000	€1,250,000	Upgrade the Belfield Bowl into a facility for UCD FC and RFC teams. Replacement of grass bank with new stand of 840 seats; modifications to existing stand; new permanent toilets to replace portaloos, new paving, hard standings and disabled access to ground and pitch + associated drainage and site services; Upgrade Fencing; relocate existing floodlights from Belfield Park and upgrade.
Waterford & District Association Football League	Regional	€70,000	€70,000	Demolish old spectator stand and replace with new one; provide terracing along one side of the pitch and increase terracing behind one goal; remove a wall built around pitch which is causing drainage problems and replace with tabular fencing and footpath.
REGIONAL TOTAL		€9,650,000	€25,375,020	
MUNICIPAL/MULTI-SPORT				
Askeaton Pool & Leisure Ltd	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€300,000	€300,000	For 'Dry' facilities at a new indoor swimming pool replacing the old outdoor one. The new pool was allocated funding of €3.8m from the Department's local authority swimming pool programme. The specific facilities covered by the sports capital grant are Fitness Studio/Gym, treatment room and changing rooms.
Ballymun Regeneration - Poppintree Community Sports Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€280,000	€470,461	Contribution towards new Boxing facility at the Centre, which is undergoing a major redevelopment and which will also include an all-weather pitch, fitness gym and aerobics studio and multi-purpose indoor sports hall.
Beech Hill Sports Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€60,000	€60,000	Improvements to running track, hammer/disc protection cage, upgrading of facilities and equipment in the sports hall.
City of Cork VEC – Coláiste Stiofáin Naofa	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€300,000	€300,000	Full-size floodlit and fenced all-weather pitch which can be converted into four 7-a-side pitches. Further Education College – 270 students attend sports coaching courses in Gaelic Games, Soccer, Rugby, Volleyball and Badminton. FAI and IRFU currently using college facilities.
County Wexford Community Workshop , Enniscorthy	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€300,000	€600,000	Further grant towards the development of a full-size floodlit and fenced synthetic pitch to be the first in the town and for dressing rooms/showers/toilets.

Drogheda Town Council - Leisure Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€500,000	€500,000	Extension to new swimming pool and leisure complex to include gym and multi-purpose sports hall and additional changing rooms. The pool itself was allocated funding of €3.8m from the Department's local authority swimming pool programme and was officially opened by the Minister in June this year.
Drogheda Town Council - Lourdes Stadium	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€100,000	€100,000	Phase 1 of planned redevelopment of the old site as a multi-sport centre. This Phase is for a well-drained sand-based playing pitch and a 4-lane rubber/resin surface athletics training track.
Dublin City Council - Ballybough Civic Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€250,000	€825,000	Funding specifically for an indoor sports hall at the Centre whose overall estimated cost is €5m.
Dublin City Council - Dunard Community & Youth Project	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€150,000	€150,000	Extension to community centre to accommodate indoor sports hall and changing room and shower facilities. Also improvement of surface on outdoor play courts and floodlighting for same.
Dublin City Council - Eamonn Ceannt Park	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€250,000	€911,737	Provide new pavilion/dressing room facilities, including National Cycling and Safety School and specially designed track for same and laying of a new all-weather pitch in conjunction with Lourdes Celtic FC.
Dublin City Council - Fairview Park	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€300,000	€300,000	All-weather playing pitches.
Dublin City Council - Le Fanu Park	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€1,000,000	€3,000,000	Multi-purpose state of the art sports, leisure and community facility, including swimming pool for which €3.8m was allocated under Department's local authority swimming pool programme), sports hall, gym, changing rooms and outdoor all-weather pitches.
Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown Co. Co. - DFRC	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€300,000	€940,000	Dressing Rooms and 4 floodlit and fenced artificial turf all-weather pitches.
Ennis Town Council - Lees Road Sports Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€600,000	€2,134,869	Provision of synthetic athletic track and floodlighting and throwing and jumping areas. €2.13m already allocated to centre since 1999 towards existing facilities of 4 conventional pitches, 1 all-weather pitch, cross-country running track and dressing rooms.
Galway City Council - Ballinfoyle Project	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€200,000	€720,000	Construction of Phase 2 of regional Basketball facility and community centre incorporating a full arena, rooms, gym etc. will be the only centre in the West capable of holding regional/national competitions. The Project is part of a larger development including a crèche, enterprise units, accommodation units and health facilities.
Kilkenny County Council - Scanlon Park	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€150,000	€267,000	Re-surfacing of athletics track, perimeter drainage; replacement of throwing cage; sand pit covers; High Jump/Pole Vault covers. The sports centre will also include a swimming pool for which the Department has approved a Tender Report to be done under its local authority swimming pool programme.
Laois County Council/North Laois Athletic Club	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€150,000	€150,000	A 400-metre 8-lane grit type athletic track with throwing and jumping facilities and with enclosed soccer pitch to replace facilities which would have been lost due to developments at the new Portlaoise Leisure Centre.
Limerick City Council - Rathbane Municipal Golf Course	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€300,000	€400,000	Construction of 25-bay driving range. A bunker redevelopment programme realignment of holes to facilitate the driving range, upgrade tee boxes and develop short-game practice facility (practice green, chipping green, chipping bunker).
Limerick City Council - St Enda's	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€100,000	€100,000	Develop old tennis court area to artificial surface allowing subdivision for basketball and for three 5-a-side soccer areas.

Longford Leisure Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€150,000	€280,000	Dressing-rooms, showers and toilets for artificial pitch users, expansion of existing gym space, gym equipment and replacement of floor in sports hall at the Centre, where the pool which was allocated €3.8m by the Department under the local authority swimming pool programme is currently under construction.
Mallow Town Council - Swimming Complex	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€300,000	€300,000	Gymnasium as part of the swimming pool complex.
Mayo County Council - Claremorris Swimming Pool and Leisure Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€300,000	€300,000	'Dry' facilities for the centre, including changing rooms and gym. Contract documents for the pool itself have been approved by the Department under the local authority swimming pool programme allowing a Tender Report to be prepared by the Council..
South Kerry Sports Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€240,000	€690,000	Grant towards the completion of the centre at Cahirciveen consisting of two natural playing pitches; an all-weather synthetic playing pitch, a natural athletics training track, lighting and dressing rooms.
Tralee Regional Sports Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€200,000	€200,000	The construction of four quality 25m x 35m synthetic astrotrurf floodlit pitches to complement the existing indoor facilities at the Centre.
Tullamore Sports & Leisure Centre	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€1,500,000	€1,500,000	Towards the provision of two floodlit all-weather 7-a-side pitches with changing rooms and a fitness gym at the swimming pool and leisure centre. Contract documents for the pool itself have been approved by the Department under the local authority swimming pool programme allowing a Tender Report to be prepared by the Council.
Tullamore Town Council - Tullamore Town Park	Municipal/Multi-Sport	€60,000	€60,000	Development of an all-weather pitch (including lighting) and a bowling area in the Town Park as part of its overall redevelopment.
MUNICIPAL/MULTI-SPORT TOTAL		€8,340,000	€15,559,067	
OVERALL TOTAL		€21,254,800	€50,684,879	