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320	Sleaty Park View Residents Association	Community garden rainwater harvesting and rainwater garden development programme.	Carlow	€ 10,000.00
401	Develop Tullow Association CLG - Tullow Tidy Towns and Climate Action Committee	River Slaney Riparian Zone, Tullow, County Carlow - Bat Survey 2023.	Carlow	€ 2,500.00
413	Leighlinbridge Improvement Group	Control of invasive Species on River Barrow.	Carlow	€ 900.00
355	Friends of Castle Lake Catchment	Castle Lake Catchment Water Quality & Wildlife Awareness Initiative.	Cavan	€ 10,979.30
314	Tulla District and Coarse Angling Club	Lough Bridget (Swan Island) Water Quality Research and Angling Centre.	Clare	€ 6,500.00
325	Clare Garden festival c/o Clare Agricultural Show society	Awareness Creation of Rainwater Harvesting, Raingarden and SUDs using educational tools at Clare Garden Festival.	Clare	€ 750.00
329	Shannon Tidy Towns	Location, biodiversity and Local River history signage.	Clare	€ 2,162.00
367	Querrin Community Development Group	Querrin Coastal Biodiversity Trail.	Clare	€ 2,000.00
411	14th Clare Scout Group	Awareness Programme & Clean-Up on the Owenogarney River, Sixmilebridge.	Clare	€ 1,028.23
437	Inagh Development PLC	The treatment, control and management of Japanese Knotweed adjacent to the Inagh River in Inagh Village.	Clare	€ 1,000.00
469	Shannon town Community Wetlands	Management Plan /Biodiversity Awareness & Training/ Site Maintenance – Shannon Town Community Wetlands.	Clare	€ 1,250.00

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473	Bridgetown Tidy Towns	Rehabilitation of areas of the Black River catchment, by executing restoration/rehabilitation work in support of Salmonoid Redds.	Clare	€ 2,250.00
477	Lough Atorick Catchment Management Association	Bleach River (010) Riparian Zone Enhancement Phase 1 – collaboration of farmers & foresters to enhance and protect water quality.	Clare	€ 23,353.00
480	Tidy Towns Sraid na Cathrach	Signage for the Biodiversity project at the carpark in Miltown Malbay.	Clare	€ 1,000.00
488	Lough Graine Nature Sanctuary	Extending the footprint of Lough Graine Nature Sanctuary bordering the River Graine.	Clare	€ 25,000.00
308*	IRD Duhallow Clg.	Duhallow Farming for Blue Dot Catchments Tree Planting Project 2023.	Cork	€ 17,063.54
338	Charleville Tidy Towns	Treatment of Invasive Species on the banks of the Glen River in Charleville.	Cork	€ 3,405.00
346	Murphy's Rock Bridge Valley Support Group	Enhancing Wildlife Habitat and Water Quality in the Bride Valley, Cork City.	Cork	€ 2,000.00
371	The Glen Resource Centre CLG	To Increase awareness and build capacity in educating the local community of the existing biodiversity in The Glen River.	Cork	€ 2,922.56
388	Green Spaces for Health (Togher Community Garden)	Togher Biodiversity Blitz.	Cork	€ 2,000.00
391	Friends of the Dripsey Rivers	Habitat Survey of the Dripsey River Catchment.	Cork	€ 3,100.00
396	Douglas Tidy Towns	Douglas Tidy Towns Schools Water Programme 2023.	Cork	€ 1,650.00
397	Cork Nature Network	Biodiversity Survey and awareness raising of Carrolls Bog.	Cork	€ 3,691.60

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412	Green Skibbereen CLG	Sand Martin Nesting Bank for Myross Wood on Glandore Harbour.	Cork	€ 1,057.50
434	Tramore River Community Group	Development of an Environmental Management Plan for the Tramore River catchment area.	Cork	€ 2,000.00
438	Clean Coasts Ballynamona	PPE for Boat Project on the South Coast.	Cork	€ 10,000.00
448	Kiskeam Development Association	Raising awareness of Biodiversity in Kiskeam and developing a pollinator plan.	Cork	€ 3,000.00
465	An Taisce	Ponds as Reservoirs for Biodiversity Educational Pamphlet and Poster.	Cork	€ 1,424.50
485	Castletownbere Tidy Towns	Castletownbere: Old Pier Park Educational Area.	Cork	€ 2,500.00
339	Lárionad Acmhainní Nádurtha Lan Ctr – Cill Ulta	Cill Ulta Reservoir: Rainwater Harvesting for Social Enterprise Knowledge Transfer Project.	Donegal	€ 4,010.00
348	Cloughaneely Angling Association	Riparian Habitat Improvement Workshop - Rivers Ray and Tullaghobegley.	Donegal	€ 8,021.62
377	Cairde na hEaragaile CLG	Feasibility Study for Path along north shore of Lough Dhún Lúiche.	Donegal	€ 5,000.00
414	Deele Community Anglers	River Deele -Community water quality, and environmental education programme.	Donegal	€ 4,226.50
428	CAKE (Crossroads And Killygordon Enterprise) - Crossroads & Killygordon Community Development Group	Feasibility Study for Crossroads & Killygordon Waterways – Blueway Development.	Donegal	€ 5,000.00
447	Carndonagh GAA Club	Integrated Constructed Wetland (ICW) to replace existing Mechanical / Electrical Wastewater Treatment Plant.	Donegal	€ 4,674.00

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461	Comhairle Paroiste Ghleann Cholm Cille	Murlin Environmental River Walk - Feasibility Study.	Donegal	€ 4,428.00
496	Mill River Conservation Group	The Mill River Conservation Group - River School: Citizen Science and Education 2023.	Donegal	€ 2,265.84
309	1st Port of Dublin Sea Scouts (Ringsend)	Learning and leading - developing a coastal classroom and vigilance about invasive species.	Dublin	€ 1,826.51
334	Ballybrack Climate Action	"The River Bank Restoration Project" Loughlinstown. A nature based approach to improving water quality.	Dublin	€ 2,000.00
343	Baldoyle Tidy Town	Seagrange Park Steam Survey.	Dublin	€ 10,000.00
374	Dodder Action CLG	Dodder Awareness Video: "This is Your River".	Dublin	€ 4,000.00
392	Drumcondra Tidy Village	Drumcondra Tidy Village Water Conservation Pilot Project: Installation of Rain Water Planters in conjunction with local SMEs.	Dublin	€ 5,080.45
404	Cloisters Residents Association	Carysfort Lake Water Health initiative (Assessment Phase).	Dublin	€ 4,000.00
405	An Taisce Dun Laoghaire Association, Co. Dublin	Habitat amelioration of protected Borrer's Saltmarsh Puccinellia Fasciculata, west side of Booterstown Marsh Nature Reserve.	Dublin	€ 500.00
418	Flossie and the Beach Cleaners	The Big Weigh In 2023 & Eco Cinema 2023 (Raise awareness about littering, climate change & protection of coastal water habitat).	Dublin	€ 2,348.75
443	Charlemont Residents Association	Identification of the precise location of a stream under our housing estate with a view to possibly deculverting the stream.	Dublin	€ 900.00

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445	Irish Farmers Association	Killougher Wetland & Habitat Buffer Project.	Dublin	€ 2,638.88
463	Common Ground - Dublin 8 Green Bridge Forum (a project of Common Ground)	Bridging the Blue and Green.	Dublin	€ 2,000.00
324	Oranmore Tidy Towns	Oranmore's Wild River (Ecological Study).	Galway	€ 2,116.00
326	Corrib Beo	Corrib Community Community events around Lough Corrib 2023.	Galway	€ 2,710.00
327	East Corrib Alliance ( ECA )	Ballynanty / Ballycurran Ecological Study.	Galway	€ 7,995.00
335	Headford & Corrib Anglers Association	Fencing of part of Annacutra (Headford) river.	Galway	€ 10,500.00
356	Claregalway Tidy Towns	River Clare animal sculpture project.	Galway	€ 2,880.00
357	Carra Mask Corrib Water Protection Group	Monitoring spawning streams and other areas of the Lough Corrib catchment.	Galway	€ 2,815.90
416	Headford Environment Group	Enhancement of River Walk.	Galway	€ 2,860.50
454	Milltown Community Council Ltd	Riverbank protection and naturalization projects.	Galway	€ 5,000.00
457	Bailte Slachtmara Bhearna (Barna Tidy Towns)	Regular, detailed sampling of the streams, sea water and rivers in the Barna catchment and reporting and/or making recommendations.	Galway	€ 3,222.91
468	Tuatha of Terryland Forest Park	The Human & Natural Heritage Story of Terryland River supported by information on present day endangered native biodiversity.	Galway	€ 2,726.00

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489	Club Iomaníochata Bearna Na Forbacha Coiste Pairc Nua	Casán Siúl Nádur Na Forbacha (Furbo Nature Trail).	Galway	€ 2,000.00
492	Furbo Tidy Towns	Biodiversity Enhancement of Furbo.	Galway	€ 1,800.00
358	Transition Kerry	Tralee Bay Wetlands: Creation of pond & public learning of wetland habitats and the flora & fauna that thrive in their presence.	Kerry	€ 10,000.00
370	Asdee Community Development Association	Asdee River Walk - Ecological Impact Assessment.	Kerry	€ 2,400.00
424	Sallins Biodiversity Group	Sallins Citizen Science Initiative with monthly water sampling and litter picks along our local rivers.	Kildare	€ 3,138.30
452	Monasterevin Tidy Towns CLG	Ecological and Biodiversity Study of the River Barrow Monasterevin, Co. Kildare.	Kildare	€ 5,365.00
351	Barrow Valley Community Development	Survey and installation of appropriate nest boxes.	Kilkenny	€ 1,250.00
389	Nore River Catchment Trust	Design of Wetland at Old Water Barracks Field, Kilkenny.	Kilkenny	€ 8,241.00
408	The Acron Project Collaboration	Development and Implementation of a Catchment Based Seed saving and Tree Nursery strategy for the Nore Catchment .	Kilkenny	€ 4,000.00
311*	Camross Tidy Towns Group	To fund development of a Gallery Wall to display biodiversity themed posters pertaining to our aquatic Outdoor classroom.	Laois	€ 2,210.00
342	Durrow Tidy Towns	Durrow design prints for River Erkina riverside lecterns.	Laois	€ 2,982.75

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376	The Heath Group Water Scheme Limited	The Heath Group Water Scheme – Installation of Drinking Water Fountain at The Heath National School.	Laois	€ 1,683.00
419	Killeshin Waterworks Committee	Improved Water body access, fencing repairs and litter clean up.	Laois	€ 2,318.24
349	The Organic Centre	Ponds and Rain Gardens.	Leitrim	€ 2,500.00
378	Dromahair Development Association/ Tidy Towns	Bonet River Festival Dromahair.	Leitrim	€ 1,907.00
379	Glenfarne Community Development	Rainbow kids - rainwater awareness week.	Leitrim	€ 3,000.00
384	Kiltyclogher Heritage Centre	Deans Lake Trail Kiltyclogher Catchment.	Leitrim	€ 1,600.00
472	Good Energies Alliance Ireland	Ballinaglera Biodiversity Project.	Leitrim	€ 3,000.00
479	Carrigallen Tidy Towns	Carrigallen Town Lough water quality and local landscape/biodiversity project.	Leitrim	€ 1,300.00
310	Askeaton Ballysteen Natural Heritage (sub-committee of Askeaton Ballysteen Community Council)	Askeaton Ballysteen Natural Heritage Water Projects 2023.	Limerick	€ 4,250.00
364	School of Looking	Eco Showboat Fresh Water Quality and Biodiversity Workshop Programme 2023.	Limerick	€ 2,164.50
431	Maigue Rivers Trust	Giant Hogweed Control in the Morningstar R. Catchment.	Limerick	€ 2,055.75
435	Castleconnell Tidy Towns (In association with Castleconnell River Association)	Hermitage Stream Rehabilitation, year 3.	Limerick	€ 3,250.00

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439	14th Limerick Murroe-Boher Scout Group	Guardians of the Dooglasha: The Murroe-Boher Scouts' River Project.	Limerick	€ 943.29
481	Newcastle West Development Association	River Arra Feasibility and opening up the River and its banks as a town amenity.	Limerick	€ 3,834.00
363	Abhainn Glas Residents Association	Water quality and biodiversity improvement options for Black River in Abhainn Glas area.	Longford	€ 1,107.00
400	Edgeworthstown Tidy Towns	Caring For Our Community Through Positive Biodiversity Action.	Longford	€ 1,900.00
415	Newtownforbes Tidy Towns	Outdoor Classroom on Biodiversity & Nature Trail.	Longford	€ 3,500.00
432	Lough Ree Lanesboro Angling Hub	Ballyleague Lanesboro Shannon Water Quality Community Monitoring Project.	Longford	€ 2,980.00
307	Glencorrib & Cross Anglers Association	Ballycurran River Riparian Zone Enhancement.	Mayo	€ 6,872.99
330	Baile Slachtmhar Beal an Mhuirthead / Belmullet Tidy Towns	Adding QR codes to Sli Uisce & Mussells well.	Mayo	€ 1,500.00
333	Lough Carra Catchment Association	Lough Carra Catchment Association, Enhancing Water Quality & Raising Awareness.	Mayo	€ 2,341.92
352	Castlebar Community Clean Up Group	Castlebar River Clean Up Programme.	Mayo	€ 1,000.00
362	Mayo Gaels GAA Club	Mayo Abbey Constructed Wetland Project.	Mayo	€ 8,050.00
429	Climate Action Louisburgh Locality (CALL)	Ballyhip and Carrowniskey Rivers Ecological and Baseline study.	Mayo	€ 6,642.00
433	Bohola Community Park	Board Walk to surround new wildlife pond.	Mayo	€ 4,000.00
440	BREAFFY LGFA	Claureen River protection project.	Mayo	€ 1,000.00
455	River Moy Search and Rescue Ballina CLG	Rejuvenation of a Tufa Habitat by Clearing Woody Debris and Invasive Species.	Mayo	€ 10,000.00



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493	Cong TodyTowns	Cong River Survey.	Mayo	€ 1,600.00
344	Wild About Navan	Urban Rain Gardens for Navan: Phase Two.	Meath	€ 2,049.77
366	The Boyne Rivers Trust	Introductory Water Craft and Water Resources Course on the River Mattock, County Meath.	Meath	€ 1,080.00
372	Gormanston Community Association CLG	Introductory Citizen Science Course on the River Delvin, County Meath.	Meath	€ 1,000.00
394	Bettystown Tidy Towns	Bettystown Tidy Towns Water Quality Enhancement and Citizen Science Project.	Meath	€ 2,074.50
398	Alpha Dive Sub Aqua Club	Underwater Biodiversity Protection and Community Awareness.	Meath	€ 1,000.00
319	Emyvale Tidy Towns	Emyvale Tidy Towns & Mountain Water Litter Pick Support.	Monaghan	€ 600.00
345	Síolta Chroí Cooperative Society Limited	An Installation for Education - The Principles and Practicalities of Efficient & Sustainable use of water resources.	Monaghan	€ 3,738.50
365	Stranooden Group Water Scheme	Stranooden Group Water Scheme Source Protection Project.	Monaghan	€ 8,856.00
406	Greenan's Cross Tidy Towns Committee	Cashlan Lough- Preliminary Habitat & Water Quality Study.	Monaghan	€ 2,730.00
430	River Blackwater Catchment Trust	Project Title: Riparian protection of the Mountain Water PAA (Phase 4).	Monaghan	€ 11,257.50
381	Birr Tidy Towns	SUDs and Nature Based Solutions for Stormwater Runoff from Moorpark and High Street, Birr, Co. Offaly.	Offaly	€ 5,500.00
390	Silver River Angling Club	Promotion of the Biodiversity and history of the Silver River, Kilcormac, Co. Offaly.	Offaly	€ 4,929.75
399	Clara Tidy Towns Association	Ecological Assessment of the River Brosna at Clara.	Offaly	€ 3,500.00

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425	Ballycumber Village Community Group	Ballycumber River Action plan to include two feasibility studies, a clean up, introduction of owl and bat boxes and new signs.	Offaly	€ 3,500.00
436	Clara Scouting Organisation in conjunction with Clara Tidy Towns, Clara Heritage Society & Clara Community Council	Brosna River Slipway & Platform Feasibility Study.	Offaly	€ 500.00
446	Ferbane Tidy Towns	Ferbane Kayak Access Point Study.	Offaly	€ 1,350.00
456	Kilteevan Tidy Towns	WaterWise Kilteevan – Place based Water Education - sources, management and issues. Ecosystem services for healthy bogs.	Roscommon	€ 1,719.00
323	Carraroe and District Regeneration Association	Provision of water butts, planters and citizen science training.	Sligo	€ 1,181.52
337	Tireragh Community Support Ltd	Construction of bog garden and delivery of training workshop.	Sligo	€ 1,850.00
387	Ballintrillick Environmental Group T/A The Benwisikin Centre	Supporting Biodiversity by becoming a Citizen Scientist.	Sligo	€ 800.00
409	Cranmore Community Cooperative Society Ltd.	Cranmore Community Water Project – enhancing our community and community garden to protect our water and share achievements.	Sligo	€ 4,111.08
420	Sligo Tidy Towns	Garavouge River Clean up, awareness program and litter prevention.	Sligo	€ 2,812.00
450	The Old Schoolhouse Community Café	Water Walks, Talks and Workshops in Aughanagh.	Sligo	€ 805.00

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460	Cloonacool Environmental Group	Corsallagh Bog, Cloonacool: Feasibility Study for Proposed Elevated Bog Walk incorporating signage to highlight biodiversity.	Sligo	€ 1,000.00
466	Kilfree Holy Well Restoration	Kilfree Holy Well Restoration.	Sligo	€ 3,500.00
410	Fethard Tidy Towns Committee	Clashawley River Project.	Tipperary	€ 2,000.00
423	Munster Ringing Group	Water Rail Ringing Study.	Tipperary	€ 405.71
427	Cloughjordan CoHousing CLG	Reimagining Water in Neighbourhoods - Workshops on water quality, wastewater and rainwater harvesting in Cloughjordan Ecovillage.	Tipperary	€ 1,000.00
441	SuirCan Environmental	Invasive Plant Species Mapping & Mitigation on the River Suir & Tributaries 2023.	Tipperary	€ 2,000.00
464	Mullinahone Tidy Towns	MULLINAHONE VILLAGE RIVER CLEAN UP – phase 2.	Tipperary	€ 1,000.00
386	Dungarvan Tidy Towns	Fr. Twomey's Road NeighbourWood Enhancement Plan.	Waterford	€ 5,311.00
491	Bioregional Weaving Lab (BWL)	Anne Valley - an ecosystem for community-led change.	Waterford	€ 2,500.00
302	Milltown GAA and Community Centre Westmeath	Biodiversity initiatives and awareness raising activities.	Westmeath	€ 3,235.00
328	Midlands Amenity Park	Turlough Waterbody Educational Workshops.	Westmeath	€ 840.00
347	Milltownpass Tidy Towns	Milltown River Clean up and Family Fun Day.	Westmeath	€ 3,513.00
373	Athlone Canal heritage Committee	Water Themes of Athlone Canal, River Shannon and Beyond.	Westmeath	€ 800.00

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444	Ballinahown Community Developemnt Co Ltd	Nature Based SuDS work with nature in a village environment. Stage 1 - implementation of rain water harvesting and management.	Westmeath	€ 7,266.65
451	Mullingar Tidy Towns	Community Canal Gardens Mills Court & Brosna Wetland Habitat Gaelscoil an Choilín Mullingar.	Westmeath	€ 4,920.00
383	Friends of the Ahare River and Biodiversity Group	Ahare River & Biodiversity Catchment Developments 2023.	Wexford	€ 3,000.00
312	An Óige Knockree Environmental Conservation Group	An Óige Knockree Glenree River Water Quality Maintenance and Awareness Project.	Wicklow	€ 2,519.80
353	BirdWatch Ireland	Improving aquatic habitats and associated wet grasslands at East Coast Nature Reserve.	Wicklow	€ 2,773.50
360	Greystones Tidy Towns	Wicklow Freshwater Watch by Greystones Tidy Towns.	Wicklow	€ 2,200.88
402	Laragh Glendalough Tidy Towns	Mapping the distribution of a climate-change indicator (mayfly Ameletus inopinatus) in the Wicklow Uplands.	Wicklow	€ 1,870.00
407	East Wicklow Rivers Trust	EWRT Soft Engineering Workshops.	Wicklow	€ 4,000.00
453	ReWild Wicklow	Wicklow Uplands Peatland Restoration - Barnacullian Ridge (Phase 2).	Wicklow	€ 9,000.00
Total Allocated in 2023 (including Blue Dot Awards)				€ 523,520.99

\*This group was selected for a Blue Dot Award in 2023 and will deliver a project in a Blue Dot Catchment. Blue Dots are catchments which are mostly unpolluted and are out best quality waters.