

**To the Chairperson and Members
Of the Central Area Committee**

13th April 2021

Community Development Section North Inner City

Community Grants Scheme:

The Community Development Section at Wood Quay has confirmed that the Community Grants Scheme for 2021 will proceed. An “on line” process is being finalised and grants will be offered under the heading Community Grants, informal Education and the Tom Clarke / East Link fund.

Clonliffe Road Residents Group:

The Area Office has provided assistance and advice to residents of Clonliffe Road adjacent to Tom Clarke House. New shrubbery has been planted along a lane way to the rear of their houses to help replace the bio sphere lost when overgrown hedging was removed from the grounds of Tom Clarke House.

Community Clean Ups:

The Area Office continues to resource community clean ups around the area. Clean up equipment was distributed to groups in Ballybough, Portland Place and the Aughrim Street Area.

Gardening groups:

The Area Office continues to support gardening projects at locations throughout the area. The month of April will see an acceleration of this programme with works planned for many complex's including Kevin Barry House, Hardwick Street Flats, Henrietta House and Sheridan Court. Area Staff also met with residents at the Castle Forbes Apartments and will provide assistance.

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