



Bord na Móna Community Gain Funds Bord na Móna set up two community gain schemes in 2014 thanks to the help and cooperation of the communities local to its Mountlucas and Bruckana Wind Farms.

An annual fund, based on the installed capacity of each wind farm, is established and applications are sought from clubs, associations, and other such groups in the locality for support for various community-based initiatives and improvement projects.

The combined funds amount to €125,000 per annum. Bord na Móna administers each scheme and an awards committee is drawn from the local communities. This committee decides which projects are granted financial support. The funding has benefited schools, sports clubs, general amenity, social initiatives, as well as community facilities.

Additional benefits include upgrade of local roads, local employment, sourcing of goods and services locally; as well as rates paid to the local authority.

For more information on the Bord na Móna's Community Gain Fund, visit <http://www.bordnamona.ie/company/our-businesses/powergen/community-benefits/>