

Cultural Measures and Actions, Progress as of January 2003.

The following are measures and actions under the Cultural Programme.

Measure	Title Actions	(Co-coordinating Partner in the action)	Progress to date
3.1	Management of the of the Cultural Programme	(CDB).	
		3.1.1. Establish a Programme Management Group to monitor the implementation of the Cultural Programme.	Done
		3.1.2. Conduct an annual review of the costs/benefits of provision of a cultural team, of outreach services and of available cultural budgets (C. P. M. G.).	In progress
		3.1.3. Promote joint cultural initiatives with North Tipperary County Development Board (C.P.M.G.).	In progress
		3.1.4. Assess each action taken under the Cultural Programme to ensure it meets the guidelines on equality, poverty, rural development and environmental impact (C.P.M.G.)	In progress
3.2	Professional Support to/co-ordination of specific cultural sectors		
		3.2.1. Arts: Support the development and implementation of a new Arts Strategy (South Tipperary County Council).	In progress
		3.2.2. Crafts: Support the implementation of the County Crafts Strategy (Crafts Granary).	In progress
		3.2.3. Sports/Recreation: Build a Local Sports Partnership; prepare and implement a County Sports and Recreation Plan (Tipperary SR Vocational Education Committee).	Awaiting call for submissions
		3.2.4. Heritage: Support the County Heritage Officer in preparing and overseeing the implementation of a County Heritage Plan (South Tipperary County Council).	In progress
3.3	Celebration of minority cultures		
		3.3.1. Consult with the Travelling Community to design and deliver a plan to promote inclusion of their culture in the County (Clonmel Traveller Action Group/Tipperary Town Rural Travellers Project).	Deferred until pre-development work completed.
		3.3.2. Consult with other minority groups such as asylum seekers, refugees, migrant workers, ethnic/religious minorities, etc to design and deliver a plan to promote inclusion of their cultures in the County (C. P. M. G.).	Considered by Cultural Providers Group, referred back to C.P.M.G.
3.4	Consolidation and expansion of quality cultural products in the County.		
		3.4.1. Support the development and implementation of outreach services such as those provided by the Joint Tipperary Library Committee, South Tipperary Arts Centre, Regional Crafts Centre, Brú Ború, Galloglass Theatre Company, The County Museum, and Tipperary Excel Centre (C. P. M. G.)	In progress, Cultural Education Group formed.
		3.4.2. Encourage the planning, development and consolidation of quality cultural facilities that meet a variety of needs, including a response to gaps identified by the Local Agenda 21 Programme (C. P. M. G.).	In progress, being discussed by Cultural Providers Group.