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Help make Fingal a Cleaner, Greener Place to Live

To recognise the work of Fingal residents, businesses and community groups in keeping their communities litter free and well presented, Fingal County Council is now launching their *2016 Cleaner Communities Awards*.

The awards have seen participation grow year on year, with projects ranging from large to small scale, under several categories, both business and residential, and are open to new applicants each year.

Mayor of Fingal, Cllr. David O'Connor commented, "All of the participants are a credit to their communities, and Fingal benefits immensely from their hard work, dedication, and community spirit."

Chief Executive, Fingal County Council, Paul Reid said, "We are delighted to acknowledge and support the tremendous work of *Cleaner Community groups* across Fingal. These groups work tirelessly to create and maintain beautiful residential and retail areas in their localities, for residents and visitors alike to enjoy."

For an application form and full details of the competition, along with information and guidance, contact cleaner.communities@fingal.ie, 01-890 5372, or see www.fingal.ie. Closing date for receipt of applications is Friday 27th May 2016.

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Notes to editor: picture shows 'Ongar Tidy Towns' who were the overall winner of Fingal Cleaner Communities 2015.