

*"Caring for our environment"*

Centre : **GLENAMADDY**  
County : **GALWAY**  
Category : **B**

**Results**

Date of Adjudication : 14-06-1999

	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded 1999	Mark Awarded 1998
Overall Developmental Approach	50	23	22
The Built Environment	40	24	24
Landscaping	40	23	23
Wildlife and Natural Amenities	30	10	11
Litter Control	40	25	24
Tidiness	20	14	13
Residential Areas	30	21	20
Roads, Streets and Back Areas	40	23	23
General Impression	10	6	6
<b>TOTAL MARK</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>166</b>

## **Glenamaddy, County Galway**

### **OVERALL DEVELOPMENTAL APPROACH**

Thank you for your plan, but it is a bit limited in scope as the only proposal is to improve the approach roads and to develop Collins Park. Good to see your involvement with FAS and the community employment scheme. A more detailed developmental plan should be initiated and acted upon, setting goals and targets.

### **THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT**

The schools, banks and church are well maintained as is the Community Centre, Aras Bride and St. Bridget Close. The new equestrian centre was noted and will make a big impression when the grounds are landscaped. Most businesses are well kept, but the Oakland Hotel and the Community Welfare Office could be repainted. The derelict building opposite Comers detracts from the street. The phone boxes are also shabby.

### **LANDSCAPING**

Like the curate's egg, good in spots, but not outstanding. However further opportunities will arise when work on the approach roads is completed. Mention must be made of the well maintained cemetery in the town.

### **WILDLIFE AND NATURAL AMENITIES**

A great opportunity exists to create a wildlife area on the lake shore on the Creggs Road.

### **LITTER CONTROL**

There was some litter in evidence near Colaiste Scosaimh, but generally litter control was good, despite the absence of sufficient bins.

### **TIDINESS**

Generally a tidy village, but derelict sides detract from overall effect.

### **RESIDENTIAL AREAS**

Street houses and individual private homes generally look well, some people may have to be encouraged further to improve.

### **ROADS, STREETS AND BACK AREAS**

Improvement works in progress on two of the approach roads - this will be a great benefit when completed. Some nice stone walls were noted. The surface on the Galway Road is poor. The parking area in front of the Credit Union is badly maintained. There is a derelict car in the car park of the hotel.

### **GENERAL IMPRESSION**

A nice village - continues to improve - has much potential.