

"Caring for our environment"

Centre : **TULLYCROSS**
County : **GALWAY**
Category : **A**

Results

Date of Adjudication : 12-07-2001

	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded 2001	Mark Awarded 2000
Overall Developmental Approach	50	29	29
The Built Environment	40	29	28
Landscaping	40	30	28
Wildlife and Natural Amenities	30	10	10
Litter Control	40	36	35
Tidiness	20	15	15
Residential Areas	30	22	22
Roads, Streets and Back Areas	40	30	30
General Impression	10	8	8
TOTAL MARK	300	209	205

Tullycross, Co. Galway

OVERALL DEVELOPMENTAL APPROACH

Thank you for completing the application form and for the enclosures. It is nice to see Tullycross doing so well in the competition. It is some years ago since I adjudicated this village and I am very impressed to see that you achieved an increase of nine marks since 1999 well done to all concerned.

THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

I have no doubt that the cherry blossom looked lovely at the church grounds. This area is very well maintained. The rent an Irish Cottage scheme in the village is very well presented. The commercial properties throughout are all presented to a good standard.

LANDSCAPING

The stone wall from the Tullycross sign on the left hand side is most attractive. The flower bed at the Tullycross sign was over grown and while it probably looked good at one stage it now requires attention. The stone signs throughout are very much in keeping with the environment. Also the street lights look great.

WILDLIFE AND NATURAL AMENITIES

I am sure that there is an abundance of wildlife and natural habitat in the entire area of the peninsula. There is a lot of expertise out there to help you to identify them. You should make this a special project for next year and perhaps you could get the school children involved.

LITTER CONTROL

There is good litter control in the village and it looked neat and clean on adjudication day. This is a very important category and well done to all concerned.

TIDINESS

Again under this category you have done well and the completion of the stone walls will further enhance the village.

RESIDENTIAL AREAS

All of the houses both throughout the village and on the approach roads are well maintained and look very well. It is nice to see such a good individual effort being made here.

ROADS, STREETS AND BACK AREAS

As mentioned above the stone signs on the approach roads are most attractive. The grass verges are neat and trim.

GENERAL IMPRESSION

Overall you appear to have a good community spirit regarding the tidy towns competition. I do sympathise with the problems you are having with certain properties and I hope that you can overcome these in the near future. I enjoyed my visit to Tullycross and may I wish you continued success with the competition.