**Criteria for selection of PPN Representatives**

**Leitrim Development Company – Municipal Representatives**

Leitrim Integrated Development Company CLG, (Leitrim Development Company) is seeking representatives from Leitrim Public Participation Network –

* One male representative from the Carrick-on-Shannon MD
* One male representative from the Manorhamilton MD
* One female representative from the Ballinamore MD
* One female from the environment sector

to sit on the Company’s Board of Management.

Leitrim Development Company is a community led Local Development Company, which delivers a range of rural, social and economic programmes at local level across County Leitrim. We support communities, individuals and businesses to increase their economic sustainability and improve their quality of life.

Leitrim Development Company implements the Rural Development Programme/LEADER 2023-2027 and the Social Inclusion Community Activation Programme (SICAP) on behalf of the Local Community Development Committee. In addition the Company runs the Rural Social Scheme, the Tús programme, the Job Initiative and two Community Employment Schemes. It also administers the Social Farming programme, an extensive Traveller development programme, Mohill after-school, two Local Training Initiatives, Older Persons’ Services, Leitrim Job Club and several other programmes throughout the county.

The requirements for selection of the Leitrim Community Development Committee PPN Reps are as follows:

* Be involved and/or interested in community development in Leitrim;
* To represent the needs and perspectives of their PPN Members;
* To communicate between PPN members and the Board of Management through feedback and reports;
* Be available to attend regular meetings of Leitrim Development Company. These meetings generally take place in Drumshanbo on the last Tuesday of each month (11 times a year) in the evening at 7:00 pm. The meetings may take up to 2 hours approximately.
* Good attendance from PPN representatives is vital at all the meetings in order to ensure a balanced decisions and valid quorum.
* PPN representatives may be nominated onto sub / working groups of the Leitrim Development Company requiring additional meetings and time commitments. The majority of meetings will be during the working day.
* Familiarities with such documents as are required by the Board of Management.
* Read and absorb relevant materials in advance of meetings.
* Board Members will need to make a declaration of their interests, sign a non-disclosure (confidentiality) declaration and data consent.