



AIB Community €1 Million Fund Terms and Conditions for Nominators

Eligibility Criteria to nominate

1. To be eligible to enter each entrant must:

- a) have a legitimate email address;
- b) be an individual not a company;
- c) must have the charity registration number of their chosen organisation.

To nominate, the entrant (having complied with terms 1 (a) to (c) inclusive) must complete the nomination form online on aib.ni.co.uk/community or aibgb.co.uk/community

Nomination

The **“Fund”** is: AIB Community €1 Million Fund.

The **“Promoter”** is: Allied Irish Banks, p.l.c. registered in Ireland. Registered no. 24173. Registered office: 10 Molesworth Street, Dublin 2. Allied Irish Banks, p.l.c. is regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland.

The **“Entrant”** is: the person who nominates a registered charity on the nomination form on aibni.co.uk/community or aibgb.co.uk/community.

1. Only one application per individual and associated email address will be accepted.

2. Entrants nominating an organisation must ensure a charity number exists in the organisation’s name. You can check for the charity registration number on:

- a) England and Wales [here](#);
- b) Northern Ireland [here](#);
- c) Scotland [here](#); or
- d) Republic of Ireland [here](#).

3. Completed nomination forms can only be submitted through the online form on aibni.co.uk/community or aibgb.co.uk/community
4. Organisations must be a registered charity in England and Wales, Northern Ireland, Scotland or the Republic of Ireland in order to be eligible for receipt of funding.
5. The Promoter accepts no responsibility for entries that are incomplete, illegible or fail to be redeemed by the relevant closing date for any reason.
6. If an organisation has been nominated and declared an awardee and the Promoter discovers, before the distribution (in accordance with condition 17 below) of an award from the Fund that for any reason under these terms and conditions, or otherwise, an nominated organisation is ineligible to enter this Community Fund, or if the entry should have been declared invalid, the Promoter reserves the right to determine that an nominated organisation is disqualified.
7. Nominations for the following organisations and projects are excluded:
 - a. Organisations that relate to religious or political activities;
 - b. Non-charitable activities;
 - c. Animal charities where animals are the primary beneficiaries (exceptions include projects that involve animals where the primary beneficiaries are individuals i.e. Autism assistance dogs or similar examples.);
 - d. Nominations that involve covering core costs such as rent, salaries etc., costs to cover trips abroad;
 - e. General running or ongoing costs of an organisation;
 - f. Retrospective funding (work that has already taken place); or
 - g. Nominations for projects with the purpose of promoting sport/ competitive sport.
8. All nominated charities are subject to due diligence review and the AML vetting process, and the Promoter reserves the right to monitor beneficiaries' use of funds.
9. No same organisation will be eligible to receive funding for a period of three years following receipt of a grant of funding.
10. AIB's current core charity partner(s) cannot be nominated for this fund, including our current charity partner in Northern Ireland and GB, the Samaritans. For the Promoter's current core charity partners, please visit aib.ie/community.
11. Nominations received after the closing date will not be accepted.
12. Personal contact details included on the nomination form will be held for the duration of the nomination process and will not be used for any purpose other than accepting nominations for the charity partner. Once the process is concluded and a charity partner is awarded, all data collected via the forms will be deleted. For Further information on how AIB process personal data, your rights in relation to your personal data and the contact details of AIB's Data Protection Officer, see AIB's Data Protection Notice which is available on AIB's website for Northern Ireland: aibni.co.uk/data-protection or for GB: aibgb.co.uk/Data-protection.

13. No purchase of any product is required to enter.
14. Closing date for receipt of nominations is 25 June 2025.
15. The Promoter can extend or withdraw the process period at any time or change any aspect of the Fund at any stage without prior notice.
16. The Promoter's reviewing panel's decision is final and binding on Entrants and no correspondence will be entered into. Entrants acknowledge that there is no right of appeal, and they will not have recourse to AIB's complaints handling procedures.
17. The funds received by the top six organisations in Greater Dublin, Rest of Leinster, Munster, Connacht and Ulster (ROI) is €20,000.00. In Northern Ireland and GB, there will be seven awardees who will each receive £15,000.00.
18. Funding received by an organisation must impact the region in which it has been nominated.
19. The organisations who receive funding may be required to take part in publicity such as photographs on social media or on the branch screens, etc.
20. By entering an organisation to this Fund, Entrants are deemed to have accepted these terms and conditions.
21. Following the reviewing process for the final list of nominated organisations, the Promoter reserves the right to withdraw an organisation on the basis of additional detail / information required to ensure they are aligned with the Fund's terms and conditions.
22. These terms and conditions are governed by the Laws of Northern Ireland and by entering an organisation to this Fund you are under the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Northern Ireland should any dispute arise as a result of taking part.
22. The Promoter reserves the right to amend, withdraw, terminate the process, or alter the specification of the Fund without prior notice.
23. The Promoter reserves the right to vary, cancel or modify the process and/or the Terms and Conditions at any time and for whatever reason and/or amend the process (and/or any related funds) in whole or in part at any time due to unforeseen circumstances. The Promoter is also entitled to vary the funds if, due to unforeseen circumstances it becomes impossible to provide the funds as described or in its opinion, it would be inappropriate in any way.
24. During the process, any request or complaint concerning the process and Terms and Conditions may be sent to: 92 Ann Street, Belfast BT1 3HH. The Promoter will not engage in any correspondence related to the selection of any awardee.

25. All entrants must also agree to AIB's Terms and Conditions Policy as outlined here for Northern Ireland aibni.co.uk/legal and here for GB: aibgb.co.uk/legal.