

Government Scheme to provide Emergency Flood Relief to Community, Voluntary & Sporting Bodies impacted by weather events resulting in serious flooding during the period of 17<sup>th</sup> October to 13<sup>th</sup> November 2023.

# **APPLICATION FORM**

CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS: 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023. Return by post to Irish Red Cross, 16 Merrion Square, D02 XF85 or by email to <a href="mailto:emergencyflooding@redcross.ie">emergencyflooding@redcross.ie</a>

This scheme is designed to cover damage to buildings, contents and fixtures and fittings. (Does not cover pathways, outdoor arenas, carparks, etc.)

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## Part 1 – Applicant's Details:

1. Name of Community, Voluntary or Sporting Body:
2. Name of Applicant:
4. Contact Number: Email Address:  5. Is your Community, Voluntary or Sporting Body registered as a legal entity? YES/NO (Circle your answer)  If YES please supply your CRO number  If your Community, Voluntary or Sporting Body is not registered as a Company, then please outline its structure and legal status:
Is your Community, Voluntary or Sporting Body a Registered Charity? YES/NO (Circle your answer)

NOTE: IT MAY BE AN OFFENCE TO GIVE FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION. THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE MAY BE SHARED WITH OTHER BODIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.



If YES please supply your Registered Charity Number (RCN):		
7. If you are applying on behalf of a Sporting Club, please indicate if your club is associated with a National Sporting Association. YES/NO (Circle your answer)		
If YES, please indicate which one		
8. Are you the owner of the premises? YES/NO (Circle your answer)		
9. If you have answered NO to the previous question please have the following declaration signed by the premises owner:		
I am the owner of the property listed at No.3 above.		
I intend/do not intend to make a claim under this scheme. (Please circle your answer)		
Name in Capital Letters:		
Signed: Date://		
10. What is the Nature of your Body/Organisation:		
Please tick		
Community		
Voluntary		
Charitable		
Sporting		
Other Other		
If other, please detail below:		
Is your Community, Voluntary or Sporting body the sole occupier of the premises at 3 above?		
YES/NO (Circle your answer)		
11. When did the flooding of your premises occur?		
NOTE: Please submit a copy or original of a recent (within 6 months) utility bill e.g. phone, gas, electricity for the premises which was flooded, in the name of the organisation.		

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# Part 2 - Insurance Details:

12. Is your organisations premises/contents currently insured against flooding risk? YES/NO (Please circle your answer)		
If Yes, please detail all exclusions and information regarding any excess relating to your policy.		
If No, please explain why your current policy does not have flood risk cover included? Note – further information or proof may be required		
13. Please provide details of your organisation's current insurance policy:		
Insurance Company Name, Address and Policy No:		
14. Has your organisation's premises been flooded previously? YES/NO (Please circle your answer). If Yes, please provide details:		
15. Have you and/or your organisation applied for or received any other form of financial assistance in respect of the flood damage to your premises/contents? YES/NO (Circle your answer)		
If yes please provide details:		



## Part 3 - Loss and/or Damage:

16. Indicate which option (**Scheme A or B**) you are applying for \_\_\_\_\_

## Scheme A: Emergency Business Flood Relief Scheme

**A1)** A single once-off contribution toward the damage of up to a maximum of €5,000.

**A2)** For overall damage that exceeds €5,000, a single initial contribution of €5,000 on the basis of this form submission and verification by the Local Authority. Plus further payments, to be made up to a maximum of €15,000 to be made followed by an assessment by a professional assessor appointed by the Irish Red Cross.

## Scheme B: Enhanced Emergency Business Flood Relief Scheme

Please Note – Applicants who apply for both B1 or B2 will be subject to an onsite assessment and further detailed evidence of damage, bodies will be required to refund any overpayment.

**B1)** A single once-off contribution toward the damage of up to a maximum of €10,000.

**B2)** For overall damage that exceeds €10,000, a single initial contribution of €10,000 on the basis of this form submission and verification by the Local Authority. Further payments, plus validation of the initial €10,000 to be made up to a maximum of €100,000 to be made followed by an assessment by a professional assessor appointed by the Irish Red Cross



support of your application

17. Briefly outline the details of the current damage and cost to your organisation's premises and contents which occurred in the period 17<sup>th</sup> October to 13<sup>th</sup> November 2023. Please note you will also need to attach photos and/or videos of the damage caused by the flood.

Damages	Cost of repair or recovery	
Total Cost:	€	
Please provide more detail on extra sheet(s), if necessary.		
18. Please provide any other relevant information to your application:		

Please provide copies of any other documentation or photographs you may consider relevant in



## Part 4 – Declaration:

(Must be signed by the applicant on behalf of community, Voluntary or Sporting Body.)

I declare that the information given by me in this application is correct and complete and may be retained and used by the Irish Red Cross Society for the purposes of determining eligibility under this Emergency Flood Relief Scheme to Community, Voluntary & Sporting Bodies regarding the October/November 2023 Scheme and processing claims accordingly. The data provided may have to be verified with the relevant third parties referenced in the application, or with other parties as necessary. I understand and accept that these necessary enquiries are only allowable in terms of processing my claim, including establishing and verifying the eligibility of my organisation under this scheme. I have read and agree with the data protection statement set out on the Irish Red Cross Website. (https://www.redcross.ie/data-protection/) I have enclosed with this completed form a copy or an original of my current organisations utility bill (last 6 months) associated with the organisation address which was flooded. I. hereby, authorise the Irish Red Cross Society and/or their Assessors to make all enquiries necessary but limited to establish and verify the eligibility status of my Community, Voluntary & Sporting Body for funding under this Emergency Flood Relief October/November 2023 Scheme and to process the claim accordingly. I undertake to provide any further information sought in connection with my application. I undertake to advise Irish Red Cross Society immediately of any changes in circumstances which may occur affecting my eligibility for funding under this Emergency Business Flood Relief October/November 2023 Scheme. In the event that the organisation receives payments under this Emergency Business Flood Relief to Community, Voluntary & Sporting Bodies October/November 2023 Scheme and the organisation subsequently receives any other compensation from any other source, I agree to inform the Irish Red Cross and refund such amounts of emergency humanitarian support to the State, as may be determined refundable by the Irish Red Cross Society. I hereby warrant that the information given in this form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that it may be an offence to give false or misleading information as part of my claim. Note that applicants who receive payment under this scheme may be subject to an audit so records and relevant receipts should be retained for a period of one year.

I AM AWARE OF THE CONTENT OF THIS APPLICATION AND I KNOWINGLY MAKE THIS DECLARATION AND CONFIRM THAT FUNDS RECEIVED WILL BE RE-INVESTED INTO THE ORGANISATION

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT		
DATE		
CAPACITY	: (Individual/Director/Chairman/Other)	
Please ensure you have each of these items before returning your application –Fully completed Application Form [ ] Photos and/or Videos of Damage caused by Flood [ ] Utility Bill [ ]		

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