# Music Recording Assistance Award

# Mayo County Council Arts Service

# Information Sheet

Mayo County Council Arts Service is currently accepting applications for this year’s Music Recording Assistance Award. The Music Recording Assistance Grant consists of **one** award of **€1000.** Thisannual award is made to a musician/singer/songwriter across all genres of music, resident in Mayo.

The award is aimed at assisting an individual or group who wish to record **original** music. In the case of choirs and orchestras evidence of originality must be demonstrated; this might be achieved through new arrangements etc. This award is for new recordings only. Only work in progress will be considered. No completed and packaged CDs will be funded. Charity or fundraising recordings will not be funded under this award. Applicants must be over 18 years of age.

Applications are assessed by an independent panel of industry experts who will make a decision based on the Music Recording Assistance Award Application which will include the following:

* Application from (below)
* Musical CV of applicant
* Sample of music to be recorded (maximum of 3 songs)
* Any other supporting material which the applicant may think relevant to their application

Groups/individuals who receive an award are excluded from applying for the following two years.

# CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS: Thursday 14th October, 5pm.

# Please note that applications received after this date will not be considered.

**Applications by email only to** [**mayoarts@mayococo.ie**](mailto:mayoarts@mayococo.ie)

**Subject heading: Music Recording Assistance Award Application.**

**Please find application form and submission details below.**

**Mayo County Council Arts Service**

**Music Recording Assistance Award**

**Application Form**

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**Please include a sample of music to be recorded (maximum of 3 songs) with this application form**

**Contact Details**

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Group Individual

**Tell us about your/your group’s music.**

(If available applicants can attach a Musical CV)

**Can you please give a detailed breakdown of overall budget and how the award will be used?**

**Please outline the purpose of the recording: Why are you recording? How will the recorded material be used?**

**Please outline how you/your group will promote the recording.**

**Please include any other supporting information which you think may be relevant to your application.**

**If submitting additional material as part of application (printed or digital), please list here:**

**If you require any further information, please contact the Arts Service on:**

**T: 094 9064666**

**or e-mail:** [**mayoarts@mayococo.ie**](mailto:mayoarts@mayococo.ie)

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