

Ennistymon Streetscape Art Commission

Queries Received

November 18th, 2020

Q. We are costing the project in dialogue with our contractors and finding ourselves pushing against the boundaries of the project budget - because of the high-quality, very durable materials we are using and also the calibre of the contractors and their very specialised services. It occurs to us that because of the above, some aspects of our proposals may represent cost savings for the Council ...

A. The budget is fixed at €30,000 for the commission but the panel will consider any cost savings that could be made in terms of the ancillary works being undertaken by the Council as part of the Streetscape Project.

We will have engineering / technical expertise on the panel, familiar with the details of the Streetscape project, to guide the panel on these issues. However, as we expect competition to be very strong, due to the level of interest shown in the competition, we would advise you to budget as close as you can to the commission fee or to provide costs for alternative materials etc. that may be used to bring the project in on budget.

If we have any queries on the proposal, once received, we will be in touch with you directly.
