

# Meta's Clonee Data Centre

The Clonee Data Centre is part of Meta's global infrastructure that brings our technologies and services to life.

## €1.4 B

Data centre investment in Meath

## €3.9 M+

Direct funding to not-for-profits, schools and community initiatives in Meath

## 300+

Operational jobs supported

230+

Grants and sponsorships provided locally since 2019

# 1,500

Skilled trade workers on site at peak construction

## 730MW

New wind and solar energy from Metasupported projects being added to local grids in Europe to support our operations with 100% renewable energy, including over 200MW of new renewables in Ireland

### We prioritise sustainability



Meta will be water positive in 2030, where we restore more water than we consume.



Our global operations, including our data centres and offices, are supported by 100% renewable energy and have reached net zero.



Our data centre buildings achieve LEED® Gold certification by focusing on efficiency, sustainability and innovation.



Meta's global fleet of data centres support our technologies that empower more than 3 billion people around the world to share ideas, offer support and make a difference.

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# Partnering with Meath

We are committed to supporting the community through hiring people to build and operate our data centre, volunteering and supporting local schools, nonprofits, and community projects.



### Supporting local schools and nonprofits

One of the ways we support the community is through our annual Data Centre Community Action Grants programme and other direct funding for projects that put the power of technology to use for community benefit, connect people online or off and improve STEM education.

#### Prioritising sustainability

We approach sustainability from the ground up — design and construction, energy sources, water stewardship and responsibly managing the end of life of our equipment. Our Clonee Data Centre buildings achieve LEED Gold Certification once operational, which requires meeting high standards for energy efficiency, renewable energy, water conservation, supply chain responsibility and recycling. The Clonee Data Centre also won the 2019 Ireland's Green Construction Award.

### Net zero emissions goals

Our goal is to reach net zero emissions across our global value chain in 2030. The operations of our data centres and offices have already reached net zero emissions and are supported with 100% renewable energy through our strategy of adding renewables to the local grids, which also helps decarbonise the electricity system.

### **Community Spotlight**

#### Bridging the Digital Divide

We provided €250K in grants in 2022 to support community partners delivering programmes in Meath focused on building digital skills for learners of all ages. There was a particular focus on supporting diversity, equality, and inclusion, including:

- Cultúr Migrant's Centre for skills refresh and English language programmes for migrants.
- Louth and Meath Education Training Board for online skills and cyber safety workshops for seniors; a mobile digital lab to support students at Dunboyne College of Further Education, and devices and learning programmes to support mothers with young children in Monsey Village.
- Youth Work Ireland Meath, in partnership with Raspberry Pi Foundation, who together delivered digital engagement programmes designed to increase young people's confidence in coding.





### We are proud to support projects led by:

Age Friendly Ireland Alone Aware Carlanstown Kilbeg Community Development Coder Dojo Foundation County Meath Chamber Cultúr Migrant's Centre Down Syndrome Ireland Louth Meath Dunboyne Community Centre **Dunboyne Playspace Forum** Grow it Yourself Involve Youth Project Meath Irish Wheelchair Association, Meath Junior Achievement Ireland Kells and Trim Family Resource Centres Louth Meath Education Training Board Learnit & FIRST LEGO League **Meath Libraries** Meath Women's Refuge and Support Services Mosney Village Network Ireland Meath **Prosper Meath** Raspberry Pi Solstice Arts Centre Sona Sasta Meals on Wheels Summerhill St Oliver's Community Centre Teen-Turn **Third Age Foundation** Whistlemount Day Care Centre Youth Work Ireland Meath And 50+ Schools across Meath



