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Avoca River Angler Access and Infrastructure Initiative

The Avoca River Angler Access and Infrastructure Initiative aims to unlock the potential of Arklow's River Avoca, creating a premier fishing and tourist destination that is inclusive and welcoming for all, including families and people with disabilities. The proposal includes:

- Installation of wheelchair-accessible jetties and pathways along the river walk for fishing, providing safe and enjoyable spots for anglers of all abilities
- Sale of day passes for a day licence to fish, available from a designated kiosk on the river walk.
- Rental of adaptable fishing equipment and sale of bait, potentially through a partnership with the local fishing shop "Wild Ireland Arklow"
- Designation of part of the river walk as a market place with stalls, showcasing local produce and crafts
- Granting the contract to manage the fishing facilities and market to the local fishing shop owner, providing a new business opportunity

This initiative will:

- Attract more visitors and locals to the town centre, boosting local businesses and creating jobs
- Enhance the town's appeal and reputation as a tourist destination
- Provide a unique and enjoyable amenity for families, people with disabilities, and the wider community
- Make the most of Arklow's natural asset, the River Avoca
- Promote inclusivity and accessibility, ensuring everyone can enjoy the river and its surroundings

By investing in the Avoca River Angler Access and Infrastructure Initiative, we can create a thriving hub of activity that benefits the local economy, environment, and community, while promoting inclusivity and accessibility for all.

Map

Site Description:

Riverwalk Arklow

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