

## **Screen Kerry Website FAQ's**

- 1) -What does Screen Kerry do?
  - a) Screen Kerry is the film office for County Kerry and supports film, TV and animation productions with locations, production support, permits guidance, local crew connections, local services, and practical advice on filming in the county.
- 2) -Do I need a permit to film in Kerry?
  - a) It depends on the location and activity.
  - b) Public locations, traffic management, road closures, drones, or filming that affects public access will usually require permissions or coordination.
  - c) Private property requires owner permission.
  - d) Screen Kerry can advise on the correct route and connect productions with the relevant authority or owner.
- 3) -Can Screen Kerry organise permits for me?
  - a) Screen Kerry can guide and support the process, in particular for public locations and local authority liaison, however specific consents will need to come from the relevant landowner, council section, state body, or regulator depending on the site and activity.
- 4) -What about drone filming in Kerry?
  - a) Drone activity must comply with Irish Aviation Authority rules.
  - b) The production company/operator remains responsible for regulatory compliance and safe operation.
  - c) Please see IAA website for more information.
- 5) -Can you help me find locations in Kerry?
  - a) Screen Kerry offers a comprehensive locations database and can also provide tailored guidance on suitable settings including coastline, mountains, woodland, historic sites, villages, towns, hospitality, venues and more.
- 6) -Can Screen Kerry help me find local crew?
  - a) Yes. Productions can contact Screen Kerry for an up-to-date regional crew list and advice on locally based crew.
- 7) -I am Kerry-based crew. How do I register?
  - a) Contact us at [screenkerry@kerrycoco.ie](mailto:screenkerry@kerrycoco.ie) to register
- 8) -Can you help me source local suppliers and services?
  - a) Screen Kerry can signpost productions toward many local suppliers and services dependant on scale of production.
- 9) -Is there studio or production office space in Kerry?
  - a) While there isn't a dedicated film studio as such, Screen Kerry can facilitate access to potential providers of production offices and studio space dependant on scale required and current availability.
- 10) -What tax incentives are available for filming in Kerry?

- a) See link to Section 481 tax incentive here
  - i) [Section 481 Film Tax Credit](#)
- 11) -Does Screen Kerry offer funding or bursaries
  - a) Yes- see the 'Short Film Scheme' tab for detailed information and links to DeaScéal initiative.
- 12) -Can Screen Kerry help publicise productions filming here?
  - a) This can be facilitated for productions filming in the region subject to production company approval and timing.
- 13) -How soon should I contact relevant bodies before shooting?
  - a) As early as possible, early engagement is especially important if your project involves public land, heritage sites, traffic impacts, drones, marine access, remote locations, or significant logistics.
- 14) -Are there training opportunities for Kerry crew and emerging filmmakers?
  - a) Yes. See the 'Training' tab on website for references and links to training routes and regional crew development initiatives.
- 15) -Who do I contact for information
  - a) [screenkerry@kerrycoco.ie](mailto:screenkerry@kerrycoco.ie)