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Public Event

Corda Campus Hasselt, 28 September 2022

- Welcome
- Panel discussion
- Workshop sessions 1
- Workshop sessions 2
- Next steps and Q&A
- Network reception

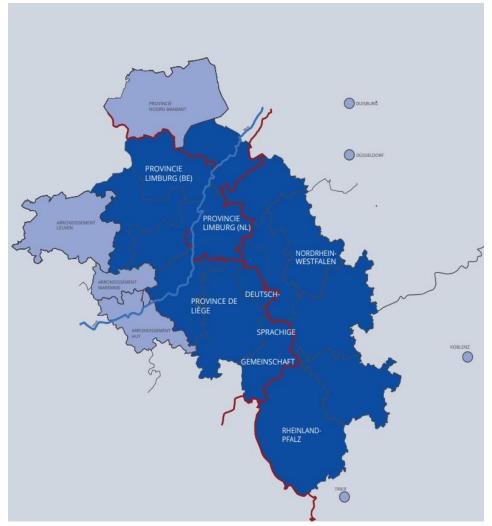
Planning:

- Formal approval of programme is expected end of October / beginning of November
- Constituent meeting of Monitoring Committee on 23 November 2022
- Constituent meeting of Steering Committee foreseen in **December**
- Launch of first call for proposals in February 2023
- Publication of call calendar for first two years of implementation

Programme area:

Dark blue = core area

Light blue and dots = functional cooperation areas having same status as rest of EU

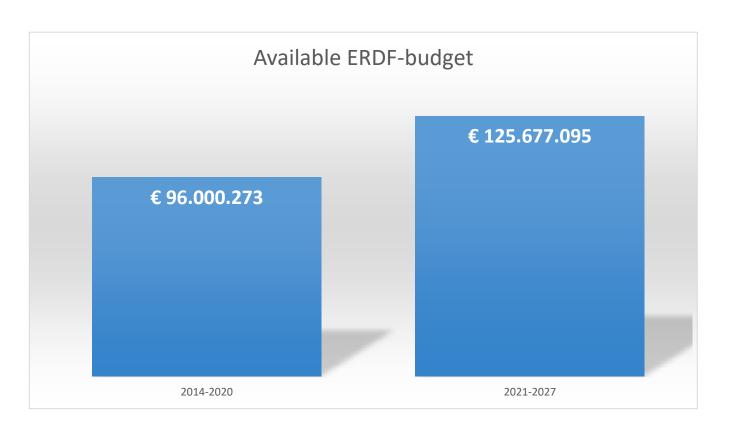






Budget:

- Almost 31% extra budget
- 50% ERDF for projects





Application and selection procedure:

- Call for proposals as application procedure
- Digital two-step procedure (step 1 consisting of short outline application to validate pertinence of the proposal with regard to programme objectives, step 2 to produce full application)
- Clear "go" / "no go" after step 1
- Shorter duration of total procedure
- More focus on quality and guidance during application procedure

Simplification of administrative procedures in development:

- New monitoring system JEMS
- Simplified cost options
- Management verifications on content and financial progress, instead of 100% financial checks

Clear demarcation of roles:

- Regional Antennas to provide active guidance in order to generate a sufficient flow of high-quality projects
- MA/JS is responsible for process after submission of applications until project closure
- Steering Committee for selection of operations, Monitoring Committee for supervising implementation of programme

How to start already?

- Define your project topic and check how and where it fits into the programme
- Think about specific challenges or cross-border problems to be solved, as well as specific outputs, results and impact
- Start search for cross-border partners
- Think about budget and (co-) financing
- Stay informed about programme approval and launch of first call for proposals, via website <u>www.interregemr.eu/2021-2027</u>
- Use the template to drop your ideas to MA/JS and RAs via interregemr@prvlimburg.nl

