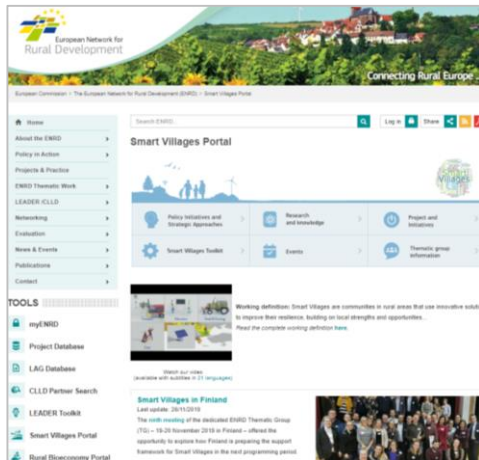


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Guiding Questions for Smart Villages

Guiding question	Y/N	Justification
1. More resources for local facilitation / animation		
2. Better access to knowledge		
3. Faster more flexible finance for community led innovation		
4. Better alignment with investment and other measures		
5. Stronger and more flexible cooperation		

MORNING

09.30 Introduction to the day

09.45

09.45 Setting the scene. New
10.30 opportunities for rural areas in
the energy transition



Coffee (10.30-11.00)

11.00 Key steps for building
13.00 Renewable Energy Communities
on the ground in rural
areas.



Lunch (13.00-14.00)

AFTERNOON

14.00 How to use Smart Village
15.30 Strategies to contribute to an
energy transition in
rural areas.



Coffee (15.30-16.00)

16.00 Concluding remarks & Next steps
16.30

Group Discussion (Morning)

Rural Communities can increase the use of renewable energy to the benefit of all local residents and the environment

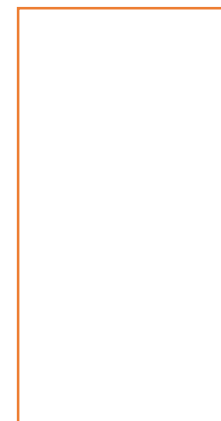
**YES, if...
(Enabling
Factors)**



**Solutions (local/policy)
Group Discussion 2**



**NO, because...
(Obstacles)**



Group Discussion 2 (Afternoon)

Policies and solutions that can help local communities to overcome the obstacles and progress in the development of RES



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