Widening and deepening LAG engagement

Member state level

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Cooperation for Development





The national Leader Conference

"Real meeting"

- Working group with LAG/LUS, paying agency and county administrative board plan program content. (*Digital* meetings)
- Invitations to all kind of organisations that cooperate with LAG
- Workshops in cooperation with the ministry of Enterprise and Innovation and with topics that involve and engage participants.







Fund cooperation in CLLD

Real and digital meetings

- LAGs, county administrative board, representatives for EMFF, RDF, ESF, EAFRD, federation of Swedish farmers, the association All of Sweden shall live, Swedish association of local authorities and regions.
- Exchange experiences of different ways of fund cooperation
- How can we continue to cooperate even if Sweden will use only EAFRD?

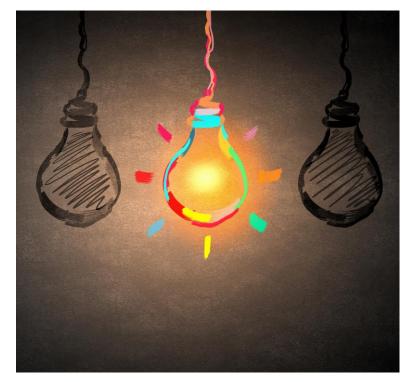






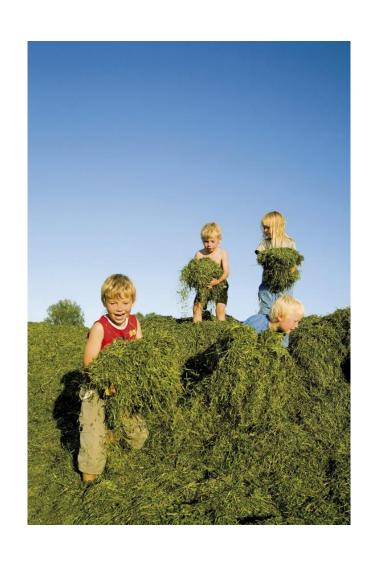
Working groups with representation from Leader

- Smart Villages (Real and digital meetings)
 - National organisations, authorities and associations
 - Financing and advice for smart initiatives
 - Methods for local transition/development plan
 - Translation of ENRD material
- Innovations in rural areas (Real and digital meetings)
 - National organisations, authorities and associations
 - Innovation infrastructure in three regions









Lessons learnt

Co-Ownership:

It is the members of the network that create the content.

Neutral arena:

Cooperation between members – no one owns the agenda.

Equal terms:

Payment to non-governmental organisations and associations enables active participation.



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