



European Rural Networks' Steering Group

Feedback from first Leader/CLLD Subgroup Meeting

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Objectives

- To update on the state of play of implementation of LEADER and TNC in 2007-2013 period and programming of LEADER/CLLD in 2014-2020
- To present and discuss the role of the LEADER/CLLD Subgroup
- To present the range of tools and discuss priorities related to LEADER/CLLD in networking activities
- To initiate peer learning and exchange between LEADER/CLLD stakeholders

96 participants: MA, NRNs, LAGs, EU organisations

Process

Information from DG AGRI and ENRD CP

- Update on 2007-2013 implementation, including TNC
- CLLD in Partnership Agreements
- Results of capacity building survey
- Tools offered by ENRD

Discussion in small groups

- What should be the priority themes for ENRD work on Leader/CLLD?
- Key issues involved in each theme
- Existing experience and needs for support under each theme.

Interactive methods, open discussion, strong focus on peer learning and exchange

Themes agreed

1. Approaches to multi-funding
2. Delivery systems (simplification, umbrella projects, roles of MA, PA, LAG in delivery...)
3. Capacity building for LAGs
4. How to support TNC effectively
5. Measuring the success of LEADER/CLLD
6. LEADER/CLLD as a tool to achieve local development priorities (creating jobs, targeting the young or the elderly, addressing poverty and social inclusion)
7. LEADER/CLLD and innovation
8. LAGs as communicators



Thank you for your attention!