



AGENDA

First meeting of the working group of Regions of the Rhine-Alpine Corridor Brussels, 18 November 2014

ITEM	SUBJECT
1	10h00 Welcome and Introduction <i>(Herald Ruijters, Head of Unit, DG MOVE)</i>
2	Adoption of agenda
3	Tour de table <i>(presentation of all members)</i>
4	Appointment of a spokesperson / rapporteur for the working group
5	Presentation of the draft final progress report results with regard to Regions <i>(NN)</i> <i>Questions & Answers</i>
6	Feedback from representatives of regional administrations and associations of regions on the relevance of the Corridor <i>(all)</i> <i>Key questions:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What role does the Rhine-Alpine Corridor play for your region? Which benefits does your region expect from being part of the Corridor and from the work of the European Coordinator?• Are there specific (cross-border) issues that concern your region and that you wish to be addressed in the wider corridor perspective?• Are there any existing cooperation structures or projects that could contribute to the corridor work? Are there already any cross-border initiatives?• In terms of spatial development, what is your regional vision and what are your development plans and strategies with regard to the planning and investment in high-ranking infrastructure and urban nodes?• Do you see a need for a continued (after 2014) collaboration between the Regions along the Rhine-Alpine Corridor?
7	Agreement on the messages to report in the Corridor Forum
8	Conclusions and next steps <i>(Herald Ruijters, Head of Unit, DG MOVE)</i>

End of meeting: at the latest by 15h00

Meeting place: Room BERL S5, Rue de la Loi 200 (Berlaymont Building), Brussels