



**DRUŠTVO ZA RAZVOJ
SLOVENSKEGA PODEŽELJA**

Conference of cooperation between Slovenian and Czech LAGs

Slovenia, Cerkenjak, 19. 5. 2017

Conference organizer: the NGO Slovenian Rural Development network in cooperation with
the National Rural Development network

Excursion partners



Programme

10.30 – 11.00	Degustation of local food , Cooperative Dobrina
11.00 – 11.30	Introductory speeches Aleš Zidar, president of SNRD; Marjete Bizjak, deputy Director of the Agriculture directorate, MAFF Slovenia, Roman Haken, WG for International Cooperation of Czech National Network of LAGs Mitja Horvat, president of LAG Ovtar Slovenskih goric; Marjan Žmavc, mayor of municipality Cerkvenjak
11.30 – 11.50	Presentation of Slovenian national rural network , Matej Štepec, NRN
11.50 – 13.00	Implementation of CLLD and projects of cooperation in Slovenia , Alina Cunk Perkic, CC of CLLD, MAFF Slovenia Implementation of projects of cooperation in Slovenia – point of view of SNRD, Ales Zidar Implementation of projects of cooperation in Czech Republic – Monika Hienlova, LAG Krajina Srdce) and Daniela Rejlova, LAG Hradecký venkov
13:00 – 13:20	<i>Coffee break</i>

Programme

13:20 – 13:50	Presentation of the ideas for projects of cooperation , Andrej Kocbek, LAG Ovtar, Karmen Bracic LAG Raznolikost podeželja Example of good practice »Trajnostna lokalna preskrba« : Milojka Fekonja, social cooperative Zadruga Dobrina;
13:50 – 14:40	Options for the implementation of cooperation projects, discussion and bilateral talks;
14:40 – 15:00	Conclusions of the conference
<i>15:00 – 16:00</i>	<i>Lunch</i>
16:00 – 16:30	Tour and presentation of tourist farm Domacija Firbas
16:30 - 20:00	Presentation of good projects of LAG Prlekija (Ljutomer)

Implementation of projects of cooperation in Slovenia

point of view of SNRD



Measure M19.3 – Support the preparation and implementation of cooperation activities of the LAG

- The selection of projects on the basis of open public tender, published by the Ministry – managing authorities
- Guaranteed fund is in the amount of 4,000,000 EUR
- We already have one tender for 1.000.000 EUR
- Now is open second tender for 1.500.000 EUR
- We have some problems with the implementation of projects, particularly in the area of financing project from partners of LAG.
- we give MA proposals for better implementation and for change the regulations for implementing the measure.

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Eligibility costs are:

- Exchange of experience and knowledge, and their implementation in the field of LAGs
- The development and marketing of services and products
- Promotion of new products, practices, processes, technology
- The integration of vulnerable groups
- The organization of joint work processes, sharing of resources and equipment
- Creating short-chain for procurement and sales of local products
- Projects related to environmental protection

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Previous experience with project preparation have created the following areas for possible cooperation:

- Environment / nature / biodiversity / forest / wood
- Rural tourism
- Education / natural products
- Agriculture / local food products
- New technology / knowledge / web technology
- Cultural heritage / culture / Others

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- in preparation for the conference, we invited all Slovenian LAGs to prepare project proposals
- together with the Czech LAGs today we have prepared over 20 proposals
- in the immediate preparation are already two proposals, which will be presented later.

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What next?

- We need to improve cooperation between networks of LAG
- strongly supported cooperation between LAGs
- Look for new ways of cooperation – maybe cooperation between managing authorities of LAGs
- Cooperation with other networks in Europe (Portugal, France, Croatia).

Implementation of cooperation projects, discussion and bilateral talks

Group	Coordinator
Environment	Tatjana Hren
Rural tourism	Aleš Zidar
Education	Primož Pahor
Agriculture	Andrej Kocbek
New technology	Jože Ocepek
Cultural heritage	Goran Šoster



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