

# Guidance and tools to support LEADER Cooperation

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# This presentation

- **Why cooperate?**
- **ENRD support to LEADER Cooperation**
- **More on TNC Guidance documents**

## LEADER Cooperation can

- Strengthen the local development strategy and the local action group
- Provide the critical mass to projects
- Improve competitiveness by finding new business partners, markets,
- Build capacities, support local innovation
- Develop territorial identity
- Help see differences as a source of enrichment
- Strengthen European and local identity

# Tools to support LEADER Cooperation

## Cooperation fact sheets

- Data from 18 national RDPs & 44 regional RDPs
- 34 fact sheets validated and online
- “LEADER cooperation landscape” online (information on more than 60 RDPs)

## LAG database / partner search tool

- Advanced version online
- Data for 27 EU MSs now available (2492 (F)LAGs)
- Updates are continuous

## LEADER Cooperation offers

- New tool (searchable offers database)
- Currently 73 offers on ENRD website
- Partner search offers from 17 EU MSs

## Guidance documents

- Updated DG AGRI Guidance
- Updated ENRD Guidance

# Guidance on LEADER Cooperation

## LEADER Cooperation page on ENRD website

- DG AGRI Guidance for implementation of LEADER Cooperation activities in RDPs 2014-2020 (updated based on ENRD LEADER Cooperation PWG proposals)
- LEADER Cooperation ,Landscape' (data and rules for 61 RDPs)
- LEADER TNC Guidance from ENRD
- TNC ,Tools' (checklists, examples, templates)

**Update based  
on ENRD  
LEADER  
Cooperation  
PWG work  
(2017)**

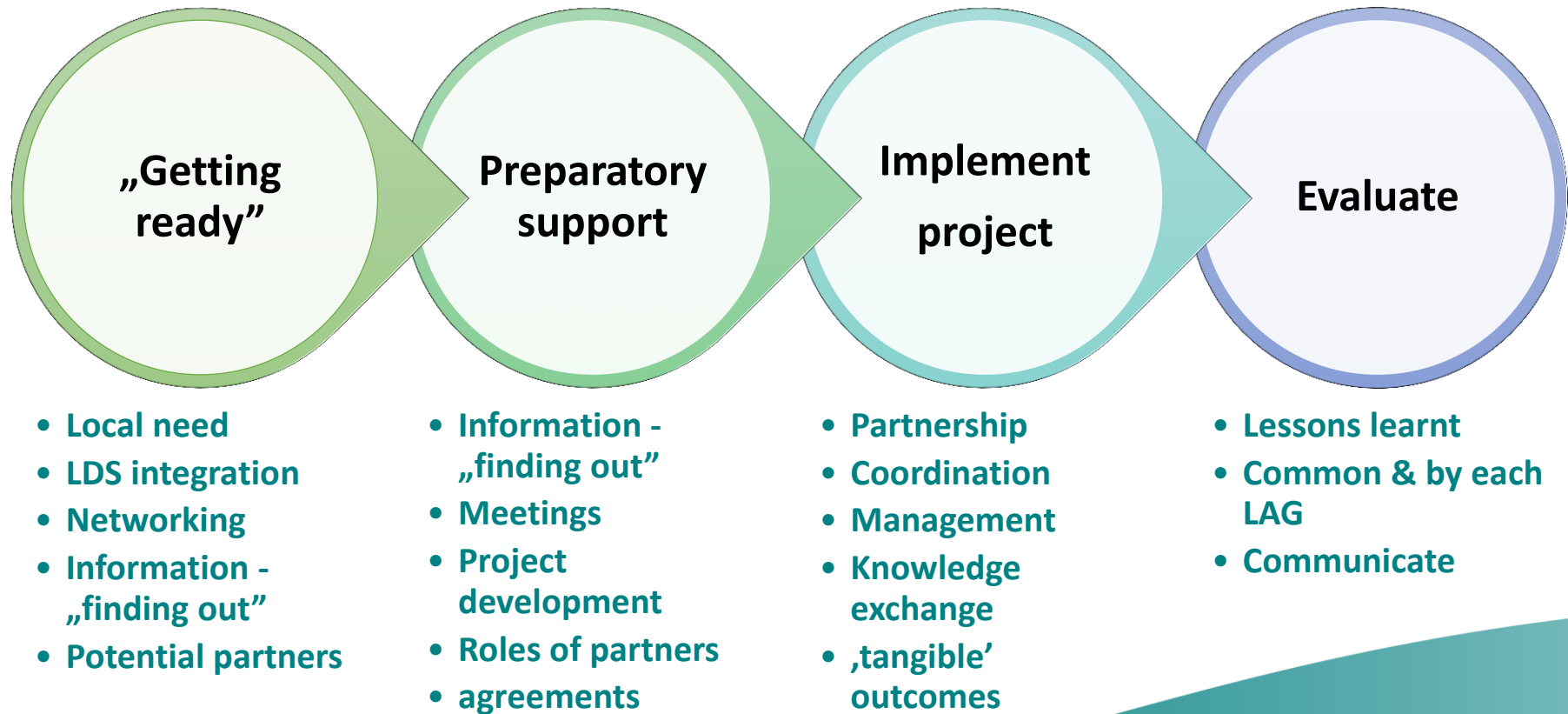
- More detail on the links to local needs and role of networking
- Definitions of ‚joint action‘, ‚common costs‘ with examples
- Generic template for ‚cooperation agreement‘
- Clarifications on preparatory actions

- ✓ **Introduction and basic aspects**
- ✓ **„Step by step’ guidance on**
  - ✓ **Getting ready**
  - ✓ **Preparatory actions**
  - ✓ **Implementing TNC**
  - ✓ **Evaluation and communication**
- ✓ **Glossary and summary of EU rules**
- ✓ **Tools**

# A good cooperation project







- ✓ 8 ,tools' available on ENRD website include
  - ✓ Self-assessment questions
  - ✓ How to organise ideas into priorities
  - ✓ Checklist for meetings
  - ✓ Presenting your territory
  - ✓ Possible legal structures
  - ✓ ,Roadmap' template
  - ✓ Examples of relevant practice

# Useful information and links

## LEADER/CLLD

[http://enrd.ec.europa.eu/leader-clld\\_en](http://enrd.ec.europa.eu/leader-clld_en)

## LEADER Cooperation

[http://enrd.ec.europa.eu/leader-clld/cooperation\\_en](http://enrd.ec.europa.eu/leader-clld/cooperation_en)

## LEADER Innovation

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