

Project idea form - small projects

Version 2.1

Registration no. (filled in by MA/JS only)

Project Idea Form

Date of submission 15/04/2025

1. Project idea identification

| Project idea name | Empowering Local Governance in Los: A Pilot Intrapreneurship Initiative |
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| Short name of the project | (max. 20 characters incl. spaces) |
| Previous calls | yes 🔿 no 💽 |
| Seed money support | yes 🔿 no 💽 |
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2. Programme priority

| 1. Innovative societies |
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3. Programme objective

1.1. Resilient economies and communities

4. Potential lead applicant

| Name of the organisation (original) | Ljusdals kommun |
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| Name of the organisation (English) | Ljusdal municipality |
| Website | www.ljusdal.se |
| Country | SE |





| Type of Partner | Local public authority |
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| | municipality, etc. |
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Which organisation(s) in the planned partnership take part in a project within the Interreg Baltic Sea Region Programme for the first time? Please list the respective partners.

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5.1 Specific challenge to be adressed

Los is a rural locality within Ljusdal Municipality facing unique challenges related to geographic distance, service delivery, and citizen engagement.

5.2 Focus of the call

To foster innovation, improve efficiency, and strengthen local democracy, the municipality seeks to explore a model of intrapreneurship—granting greater autonomy to the local public services in Los while remaining within the municipal structure.





6. Transnational relevance

This initiative aligns with Interreg's goals of promoting regional development, local empowerment, and cross-border collaboration. We need to learn from others, share our experiences and build networks that can lead tofuture collaborations.

7. Specific aims to be adressed

Building trust that could lead to further cooperation initiatives

- Our goal is to develop and implement a governance model for intrapreneurship within the municipal framework.
- Increase local decision-making capacity and operational flexibility in Los.
- Foster innovation and local accountability in public service delivery.
- Evaluate and disseminate learnings to other rural municipalities in the region and across borders.

Initiating and keeping networks that are important for the BSR

The project will engage with partners in other Interreg regions to share knowledge, compare governance models, and explore the potential for broader application of the intrapreneurship concept across borders.

Bringing the Programme closer to the citizens

To pilot an intrapreneurship model in Los that grants the local public sector increased self-governance, with the long-term aim of improving service quality, responsiveness, and citizen involvement. Expected Results:

- A fully functional intrapreneurship unit operating in Los.
- Increased satisfaction among local residents and staff.
- Enhanced efficiency and responsiveness in local services.
- A replicable governance model for other rural communities.

Allowing a swift response to unpredictable and urgent challenges

Greater authonomy and local decision-making capacity creates an operational flexibility that strengthens the local society's responsiveness to sudden changes

8. Target groups

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| | Please use the drop-down list to define up to five target groups that you will involve through your project's activities. | Please define a field of responsibility or an economic sector of the selected target group | Specify the countries and regions that the representatives of this target group come from. |
|----|---|---|--|
| 1. | Education/training centre and school | Public primary and secondary school | SE |
| 2. | Hospital and medical centre | Elderly care center | SE |
| 3. | NGO | Local council | SE |
| 4. | Local public authority | Municipality | SE |

9. Contribution to the EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region

Please indicate if your project idea has the potential to contribute to the implementation of the Action Plan of the EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region (https://eusbsr.eu/implementation/).

yes 💿 no 🔾

Please select which policy area(s) of the EUSBSR your project idea contributes to most.

PA Culture

The MA/JS may share your project idea form with the respective policy area coordinator(s) of the EUSBSR. You can find contacts of PACs at the EUSBSR website (<u>https://eusbsr.eu/contact-us/</u>).

If you disagree, please tick here.

10. Partnership

We have no international partners yet, but wish to cooperate with two or three partners with similar challenges.



11. Workplan

• Baseline Study: Conduct a needs analysis and gather best practices from other intrapreneurial or decentralized governance models, including international examples.

• Model Development: Co-design the intrapreneurship framework in collaboration with municipal leaders, local staff, residents, and external partners.

• Implementation: Establish the intraprenad in Los with clear operational guidelines, decision-making structures, and performance indicators.

• Monitoring and Evaluation: Conduct continuous evaluation using both qualitative and quantitative methods.

• Knowledge Sharing: Organize workshops, study visits, and digital dissemination targeting other municipalities and relevant stakeholders within the Interreg region.

12. Planned budget

| ERDF budget (planned expenditure of partners from the EU) | EUR 170,000.00 |
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| Norwegian budget (planned expenditure of partners from Norway) | EUR XXX |
| Total budget (including preparatory costs) | EUR 170,000.00 |

13. Project consultation

Please indicate if you wish to have a consultation (online meeting) with the MA/JS to discuss your project idea

yes 💿 no 🔾

14. Questions to the MA/JS

| Questions related to the content of the planned project | (max.1.000 characters incl. spaces) |
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| Questions related to budgeting and expenditure | (max.1.000 characters incl. spaces) |

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Any other questions
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15. Additional information

(max. 1.000 characters incl. spaces)

Your account in BAMOS+

Please remember that to officially submit your application you need to access our electronic data exchange system BAMOS+. More information about the process of applying for your account in BAMOS+ you will find here:

https://interreg-baltic.eu/gateway/bamos-account

