

Project (NEAR-TS/2017/391-411) “Networking for Improvement of Job Opportunities in the Rural Areas of the Mogilev Oblast”



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Overall objective: promoting improved competitiveness of the rural districts of the Mogilev Region through networking to improve the sustainability of their development.

Specific objectives:

- Building the capacities of LAs and CSOs in regional cooperation for transferring knowledge, attracting investments and increasing job opportunities.
- Improving the communication and cooperation of regional networks with the European networks for local development.

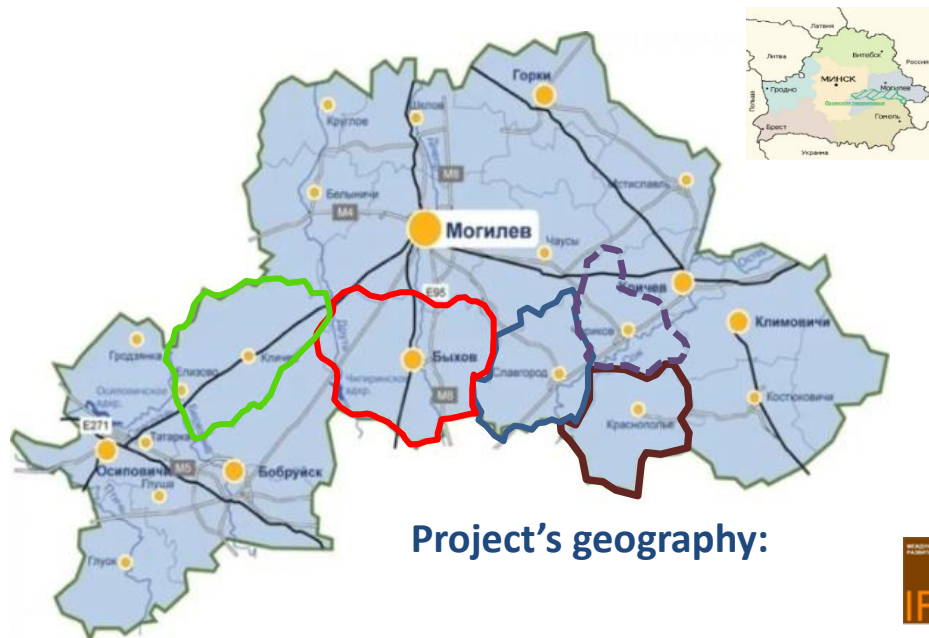
Target groups:

- Local authorities ;
- entrepreneurs;
- organizations and enterprises;
- initiative groups of citizens.

Realization period:

Launch: 01.01.2019

Termination: 31.12.2021



Project's geography:



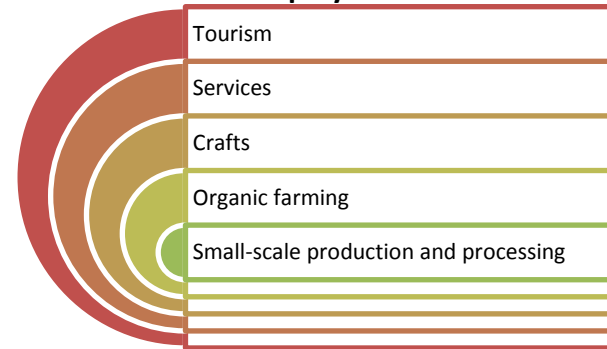
Key groups of project activities:

- ✓ examination and study of the potential of the districts;
- ✓ seminars, trainings, experience exchanges, conferences;
- ✓ local/ regional initiative fairs, regional forums;
- ✓ financial / technical support for initiatives;
- ✓ establishing partnerships at the regional, national and international levels.

Key project results:

- 1500 persons raised employment and self-employment rate
- Increased employment and self-employment will be achieved through:
 - increase of competence of 100 specialists of local authorities and community leaders of the region for joint decision-making on increase of employment and self-employment rate;
 - organization of work of the five new support structures for local (district) and one support structure for regional (inter-district) development;
- the growth points will be 20 micro-regions of development (territories with 1-2 residential areas), which on the basis of the vision and uniqueness of the development of its territory will develop more than 50 initiatives for employment growth, some of them will be supported by the project;
- On the basis of initiatives of micro-regions of development and to enhance their effectiveness:
 - 9 regional initiatives (for example, the bicycle route “from Ostrova Dulebi to Besyad” etc.) will be developed;
 - 4 thematic cluster networks (rural tourism, organic farming, SPNA management, etc.) will start working;
- Developed 3 major project in collaboration with the European networks (M4EG, ENRD-ECOVAST, the twin cities, the Mayors' Agreement on climate and energy etc.

The scope of project impact on the growth of employment and self-employment



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