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To: EU Delegation in Skopje

Subject: Public Call for support to people to people activities

Respected,

Standing Working Group for Regional Rural Development (SWG) in South Eastern Europe within the SWG project "Regional cooperation and networking in the field of agriculture, rural and economic development of cross-border areas", financially supported by the EU is Opening the Public Call for support to people to people activities.

People to people activity represent tool for strengthening networking, cooperation, promotion of the cross-border regions and their cultural, traditional, natural heritage and enabling economic potential, both in terms of products and services, as well as creation of cross-border value chains/links.

Within the SWG project "Regional cooperation and networking in the field of agriculture, rural and economic development of cross-border areas" activities can be implemented in the following targeted cross border regions and municipalities:

Cross-Border region of "Drina – Tara":

Ljubovija, Bajina Bašta, Prijepolje, Priboj, Čajetina, Užice;
Višegrad, Rudo, Goražde, Srebrenica, Bratunac, Milići;
Pljevlja, Bijelo Polje.

Cross-Border region of "Drina – Sava":

Bijeljina, Brčko, Donji Žabari, Lopare i Ugljevik;
Bogatić, Loznica, Sremska Mitrovica, Šabac i Šid.

Cross-Border region of "Prespa":

Ohrid and Resen;
Pogradec, Pustec, Maliq, Korca, Devoll and Kolonje.

Cross-Border region of "Sharra"

Kukes;
Jegunovce and Tearce;
Dragash, Prizren and Shtrpce.

Manifestation/activity need to be implemented latest by 1st of November, 2018. Any support requested under this Call must not exceed 2,000 EUR excluding VAT. The overall budget of the event and other contributions are not limited.

SWG invites all interested stakeholders from the public, private and civil sector to apply for events that contributes to the above listed SWG objectives. Please, fill in the application form and budget, and submit documents latest by 16th of February, 2018 (end of working day) via e-mail on:

drina-tara@swg-seerural.org for stakeholders from "Drina-Tara" cross-border region;
drina-sava@swg-seerural.org for stakeholders from "Drina-Sava" cross-border region;
prespa@swg-seerural.org for stakeholders from "Prespa" cross-border region;
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The application can be submitted on local languages, after which SWG Secretariat in cooperation with commission consisted of representatives from the respective Ministries of agriculture from the Western Balkan countries and external experts will make a decision for selection of events for financing according to the eligibility and ranking criteria. Upon approval, application with budget should be submitted in English language.

It should be NOTED that the official version of the documents is one presented in English language and in case of contradiction and discrepancies the English version will prevail.

Link with documents:

<http://seerural.org/past-events/open-call-for-support-to-p2p-events/>

<http://drina-tara.seerural.org/past-events/open-call-for-support-to-p2p-events-in-drina-tara/>

<http://drina-sava.seerural.org/past-events/open-call-for-support-to-p2p-events-in-drina-sava/>

<http://prespa.seerural.org/past-events/open-call-for-support-to-p2p-events-in-prespa/>

<http://sharra.seerural.org/past-events/open-call-for-support-to-p2p-events-in-sharra/>

For further information please do not hesitate to contact us.

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