

Agenda

“Natura 2000: making an effective use of the support possibilities under the Rural Development policy”

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This ENRD workshop is one particular operational action in relation to the recently adopted Commission Action Plan for nature, people and the economy COM(2017 198 final). It is organised jointly with DG AGRI and DG ENV, and it will address specifically the synergies between Rural Development and Natura 2000. It will focus on implementation of Natura 2000 related measures in RDPs, discuss lessons learnt and share good practice examples from a number of Member States in order to make an effective use of the support possibilities under the Rural Development policy. The workshop is designed to inform and facilitate exchange with relevant staff from Managing Authorities and practitioners.

Timing 🕒	Agenda item 📅
09:00-09:30	Registration
09:30-09:45	Welcome <i>Humberto Delgado Rosa, Director, DG ENV</i>
09:45-10.30	The Birds and Habitats Directive and Nature Action Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Presentation by <i>Jeremie Crespin, DG ENV</i> Q&A session
10:30-11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:00-12.00	The rural development toolbox available for Natura <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Rural development measures and actions that can be used for Natura 2000 - <i>Krzysztof Sulima, DG AGRI</i> Approaches taken to fund Natura 2000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ RDP support and Natura 2000: the Bavarian approach - <i>Wolfram Gütthler, Bavarian Ministry of Environment</i> ○ Natura 2000 under RDP 2014 – 2020 in Poland - <i>Anna Jobda, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development</i> ○ Hamster’s protection in Alsace: Use of AECM in a collective approach - <i>Anne GAUTIER, Departmental Directory of Territory, Alsace</i> Discussion session
12:00-12:30	Practical example of Results Based Payment Schemes

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Results-based agri-environment schemes, <i>Vujadin Kovacevic, DG ENV</i> ○ Results-based nature conservation plan in Austria - <i>Isabella Grandl, Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water management</i> <p>Discussion session</p>
12:30-12:45	Introduction to Parallel Group sessions
12:45-14.00	<i>Lunch</i>
14.00-15.30	<p style="text-align: center;">Parallel Group sessions</p> <p>Innovative approaches to supporting Natura 2000 - examples from LIFE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ LIFE project GESTIRE 2020, Nature Integrated Management to 2020- <i>Mattia Bertocchi, Regional Office for Agricultural and Forestry Services, Lombardy</i> ○ Agri-environmental scheme for the Red-breasted Goose in Bulgaria - <i>Nikolai Petkov, RSPB / BirdLife Bulgaria</i> <p>Bringing Natura 2000 to the public</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Organic farming and wildlife conservation. <i>Experience of Riet Vell - Juan Carlos Cirera, Riet Vell S.A.</i> ○ Natura 2000 effective use of support possibilities under rural development policy - <i>Brendan Dunford, Burren Programme</i> <p>Coexistence with large carnivores</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ EU Platform on co-existence of people and large carnivores - <i>Katrina Marsden, Adelphi research institute, Germany</i> ○ Wolf and rural development programme in Emilia Romagna region - <i>Maria Luisa Zanni, Emilia Romagna Region Local Authority</i>
15:30-16:00	<i>Return to Plenary – via Coffee stop</i>
16.00-16.45	<p>Feedback from parallel working sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Feedback from each working group <p>Discussion session</p>
16:45-17:00	<p>Conclusions</p> <p><i>Mario Milouchev, Director, DG AGRI</i></p>