

ALPNET – sustainable urban regeneration

Ideas for co-operation from NOE

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Main objectives of Alpnet:

- Support from a local to a provincial level
- Strengthen for sustainable growth of a region
- Reducing territorial and social unbalances
- Capitalising endogenous potentials, human resources and local identities



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Main target groups:

- local, regional and provincial decision maker
- local, regional and provincial authorities
- economic actors
- Non-Governmental Organisations



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Quality target of the process:

- Participation of authorities, stakeholders, ...
- Transparency of decisions
- Supporting the process with technical assistance
- Transferability of experiences



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Setting up of networks and tasks:

- Selection of local authorities
- Conception for realisation
- Preparation of data
- Research of best practice examples
- Implementing structure of organization



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Program of Lower Austria:

- ❑ Start: 1992
- ❑ 52 towns (75% of all towns of Lower-Austria)
- ❑ 620 realised projects
- ❑ 20 Mio. Euro government aid + ERDF funds
- ❑ 83 Mio. Euro total costs



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Tasks of the program:

- articulate the needs of the citizens and the local authorities
- organise self-help
- realise the planned projects
- Consulter in co-operation with the local authority



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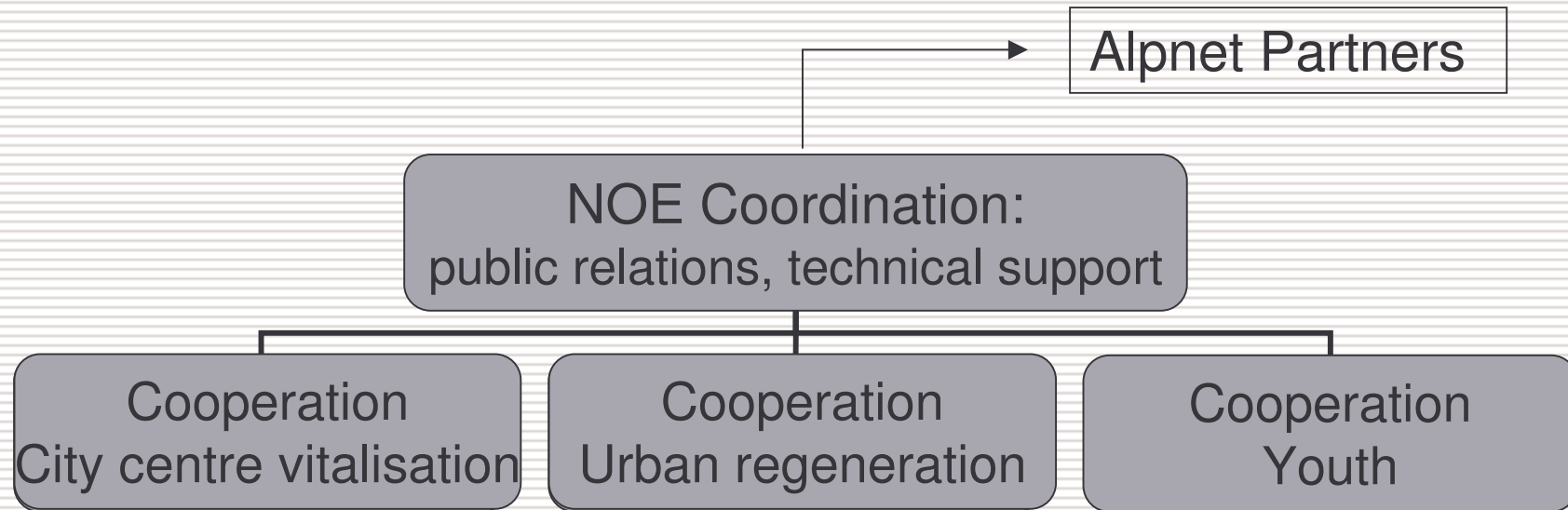
Main focus of the projects:

- Youth
- Arts and culture
- Telematics
- Networking



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Organisation:



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Cooperation City centre vitalisation

example:

Haag –
Cultural summer
festival



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Cooperation City centre vitalisation:

Tasks:

- Promotion of city centre mall
- Promotion of trade
- aimed promotion of housing to stimulate city centres

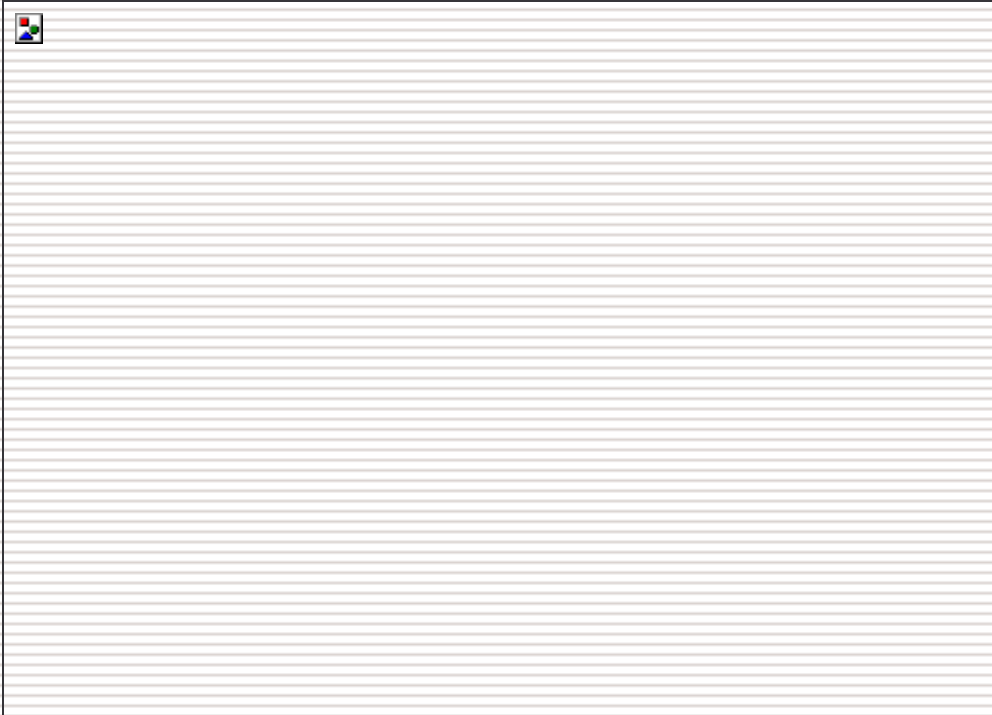


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Cooperation urban regeneration

example:

Network –
walled towns



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Cooperation urban regeneration:

Tasks:

- know-how transfer to local authorities all over Europe
- new forms of participation
- Best practice will foster the transferability of experiences

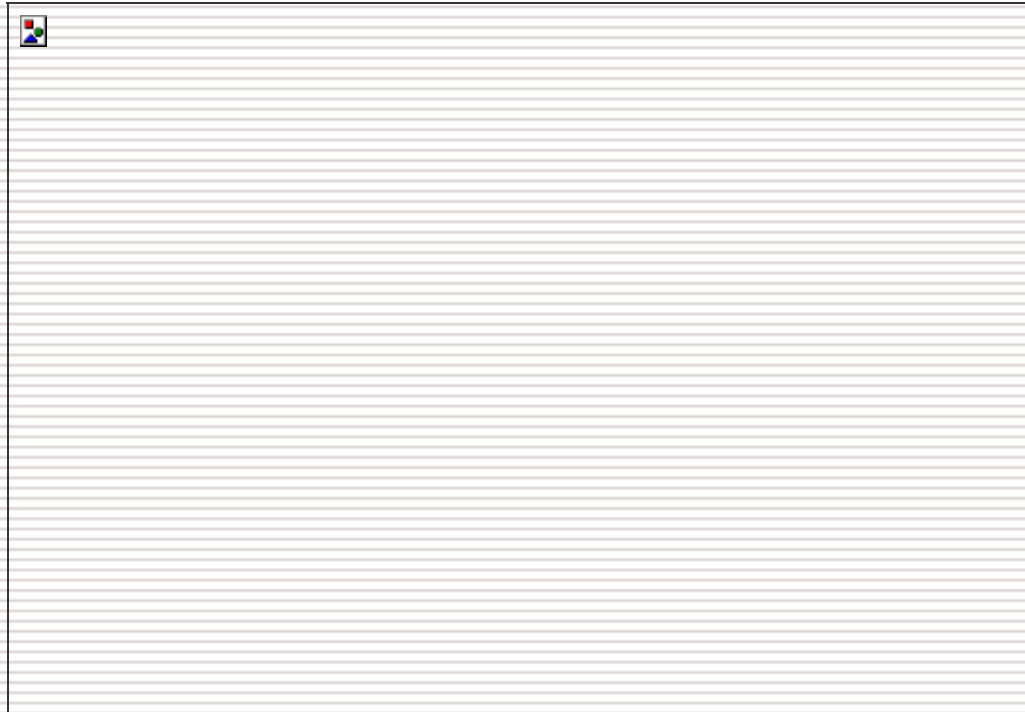


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Cooperation Youth

example:

Hollabrunn –
Old slaughter house



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Cooperation Youth:

Tasks:

- integrate youth in decision making
- forming of opinion
- designing of process
- Sustainable involvement of the youth



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Thank you for your attention!

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