

Stakeholder Consultation - Agenda

Date: 14-15th June, 2021

Format: two half-day online consultation,
Suggestions and remarks on the content of the Discussion Paper and questions outlined in this agenda are welcome prior to and after the consultation in written form as well.

14th June, 2021 - 9:00 am – 13:00 pm

<p>9:00-9:20</p>	<p>Consultation opening</p> <p><i>Dr. jur. Mr. Gergő Korponai, Head of Department, Prime Minister's Office as the National Focal Point</i></p> <p><i>H.E. Ms. Trine Skymoien, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Norway in Hungary</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Ferenc Utassy, Honorary Consul General of Iceland in Hungary</i></p> <p>Introduction of the EEA and Norwegian Financial Mechanisms 2014-2021</p> <p><i>Ms. Sheena Elaine Keller, Senior Programme Officer, Financial Mechanism Office,</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Andrey Ivanov, Project Manager, EU Agency for Fundamental Rights as International Partner Organisation of the Programme</i></p>
<p>9:20-9:40</p>	<p>Introduction of Roma Inclusion and Empowerment Programme, the calls for proposals planned and their alignment to the strategic-development framework for social inclusion and opportunities in strengthening the bilateral cooperation between the Donor States and Hungary.</p> <p><i>Mr. Laszlo Ulicska PhD, Head of Department, Ministry of Interior</i></p>
<p>9:40 – 10:10</p>	<p>Discussion on programme specific calls</p> <p>Participants can share their suggestions, remarks concerning the programme concept and the suggested calls based on the Discussion Paper sent out beforehand. After sharing the general feedbacks on overall programme design, there will be a consultation conducted on the specific calls. The</p>

	<p>planned calls 1 and 2 will be discussed on the first day, while the planned calls 3 and 4 will be dealt with on the second day.</p> <p>Guiding questions concerning the overall programme design:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Is the budget distribution across calls suitable? - Do the planned calls - in accordance with other national and European Union developments – adequately respond to the needs of the Roma communities? - The programme aims to target Roma children, youth and women. Is the programme design well suited to achieve this goal? - How should the involvement and participation of Roma and non-Roma communities be strengthened in the planned calls and their implementation? - Which selection criteria could best ensure the selection of the best suited organisations serving the Roma communities the most meaningful ways? - What considerations are suggested to ensure the sustainability of projects?
10:10 – 11:15	<p>Planned calls for proposals #1a and 1b aiming improved access to online services and digital infrastructure for the Roma in disadvantaged areas – possible questions to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Which services would Roma most need to access online in settlements with lacking public and social services (e.g. applying for social benefit, consultation with a family doctor, etc.)? - In which format or in which way would be the best to give families access to digital devices and software in disadvantaged settlements? (e.g. Give each family a tablet? Set up a computer lab in a settlement? Create digital access points in the offices of service providers/community centres? etc.) Which digital competencies need to be developed among the Roma? (i.e. What kinds of trainings are needed? At which level?) - Is the minimum and maximum grant amount realistic and suitable considering the project activities? Does the split in the call between 1a and 1b make sense given the respective amounts? - Would you recommend any domestic or international good practice connecting to the planned call?
11:15-11:30	Break
11:30-12:45	<p>Planned calls for proposal #2a and 2b aiming strengthening marginalised Roma communities and Roma, pro-Roma organisations – possible questions to discuss:</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Is the planned call sufficiently extensive in scope? Considering local development needs is there any key element missing? - What preconditions are needed to conduct adequate community-based participatory planning and how can this best be built into the call? - Involvement of a private sector corporation as a project partner poses a challenge or rather an opportunity? - Would you recommend any domestic or international good practice connecting to the planned call? - Do activities on improving data literacy, data collection and monitoring capacity fit into the call? Would there be interest and capacity of organisations to implement such activities?
12:45-13:00	Summary of consultation results (Programme Operator)

15th June, 2021 - 13:00 pm - 17:00 pm

13:00-13:20	<p>Consultation opening</p> <p><i>Katalin Victor Langerné, Deputy State Secretary for Social Inclusion, Ministry of Interior</i></p> <p><i>Dr. jur. Mr. Gergő Korponai, Head of Department, Prime Minister's Office as the National Focal Point</i></p> <p>Introduction of the EEA and Norwegian Financial Mechanisms 2014-2021</p> <p><i>Ms. Sheena Elaine Keller, Senior Programme Officer, Financial Mechanism Office,</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Andrey Ivanov, Project Manager, EU Agency for Fundamental Rights as International Partner Organisation of the Programme</i></p>
13:20-13:40	<p>Introduction of Roma inclusion and empowerment programme, the calls for proposals planned and their alignment to the strategic-development framework for social inclusion and opportunities in strengthening the bilateral cooperation between the Donor States and Hungary.</p> <p><i>Mr. Laszlo Ulicska PhD, Head of Department, Ministry of Interior</i></p>
13:40 – 14:10	Discussion on programme specific calls

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14:10 -15:15	<p>Planned call for proposals #3 aiming improved education and empowerment of disadvantaged Roma students – possible questions to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What should be the age limit for mentors and mentees, which educational levels should be included? - Besides the mandatory community service what incentives you find best suited for student mentors (including Roma) to participate? - Is the minimum and maximum grant amount realistic and suitable considering the project activities? Is the total overall allocation reasonable? - Would you recommend any domestic or international good practice connecting to the planned call?
15:15-15:30	Break
15:30-16:45	<p>Planned call for proposals #4 aiming strengthened Roma identity and awareness of Roma culture – possible questions to discuss:</p>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What types of digital and/or web content services would serve best the social inclusion of the Roma, the fight against discrimination and cultural diversity? - Is the minimum and maximum grant amount realistic and suitable considering project level aims and activities? - Is the total overall allocation to this call reasonable? - Would you recommend any domestic or international good practice connecting the planned call?
16:45-17:00	Summary of consultation results