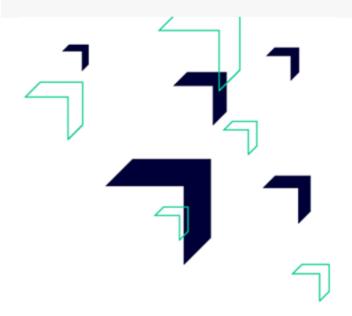




# Inter-Ministerial Consultative Committee on EU Funds 2021-2027

### **Future Meetings & Agendas**



20<sup>th</sup> September 2023



### **Coordination: Strategic Level – Future Meetings & Agendas**



#### Coordination between funds under the PA, other EU funds, national funds

- 1. Discuss validity of information in PA, Programmes, at implementation stage, eg: discuss deviations from types of actions foreseen under different funds MAs to explain how types of actions translated into projects and report by sector.
- Discuss complementarity of funding in current, revised national policies –
  Ministries/responsible entities to update on the implementation of foreseen nationally funded
  actions in budget, policies.
- 3. Bodies responsible for direct funds/implementing entities to provide updates on multiannual plans, workplans such as Health strand under ESF+, Horizon Europe, Life, Erasmus, InvestEU, CEF etc.

Only cover funds which are referred to in the PA or one or more of the plans/programmes.

### **Future Meetings**



IMCC - 2023, 2025, 2027

**Sub-Committees (as required, including bottom up):** 

- By theme/sector;
- Technical level;
- MAs, Ministries, Other stakeholders as necessary;
- Focusing on initiatives at types of actions level; and
- Reporting back to the IMCC, through meetings/in writing
- First sub-committee to cover: water, biodiversity and maritime transport, where possible overlaps identified



#### Demarcation between Programmes: set by actions under different plans/programmes

1. Discuss overlaps in terms of types of actions covered under different Funds.

#### A) Water:

- Water actions may be financed under ERDF, CF and CAP SP.
- Demarcation is at intervention level:
  - ERDF: Wastewater plants and network;
  - > CF: Potable water plants and network;
  - CAP: New water network in rural areas.
- Possible overlap: definition of rural under ERDF and CAP is different- the same area may be considered urban under ERDF and rural under CAP- for wastewater/new water actions, further demarcation by the MAs is required.



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#### B) Port Infrastructure:

- Port infrastructure actions may be financed under CF, CEF, EMFAF, JTF.
- Demarcation is at intervention level:
  - CF: Ro-ro TEN-T port;
  - EMFAF: Fishing port;
  - ▶ JTF: On shore power supply at Grand Harbour (Laboratory Wharf, Ras Ħanżir, Magazine Wharf and Lascaris Wharf) and Freeport;
  - CEF: On shore power supply at Grand Harbour.
- Possible overlap: CF and EMFAF port actions may occur in the same port (location not known at programme level). Though actions are different, further demarcation at MA level is recommended.
   CEF and JTF actions cover the same type of action in the same area. Further demarcation at MA level is required.



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#### C) Biodiversity:

- Biodiversity actions may be financed under ERDF, EMFAF, CAP SP, LIFE and ETC Programmes.
- Demarcation is at intervention level:
  - **ERDF**: Green Infrastructure, gardens/parks and Natura 2000 actions;
  - **EMFAF**: Conservation and restoration actions targeting Marine Protected Areas;
  - CAP SP: Actions in rural areas (LEADER), investments in agricultural areas, rural roads;
  - LIFE: Nature and actions related to nature conservation particularly biodiversity, habitats and species;
  - ➤ ETC programmes such as the INTERREG VI-A Italia-Malta: actions aimed at, restoring and maintaining natural areas to mitigate the fragmentation of marine and coastal cross-border ecosystems.
- Possible overlap: Delineation between EMFAF and ETC actions is required. Delineation between ERDF, LIFE and CAP at MA level is required.



#### Other areas which may be followed up at sub-committee level:

- Education, employment and mobility
- Social actions, equality and integration
- Innovation and support for enterprises
- Digitalisation
- Gozo actions
- Transport
- Energy
- Health, active ageing
- Tourism and culture
- Justice, security and combatting crime
- Other areas bottom up approach





## Thank you!

