

NPA 6th Call essentials

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Project types

- Main projects in Priorities 1,2 and 3 the Interreg NPA Monitoring Committee is looking to fund main as well as small-scale capacity building projects in Priority 3.
- In this call, the Monitoring Committee especially encourages applications from projects addressing the following topics: **Climate change, Nature and biodiversity and Energy transition.**

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Priorities

- PRIORITY 1: Strengthening the innovation capacity for resilient and attractive NPA communities
- PRIORITY 2: Strengthening the capacity for climate change adaptation, and resource sufficiency in NPA communities
- PRIORITY 3: Strengthening the organisational capacity among NPA communities to make use of cooperation opportunities

Project budget

- A Main project is expected to have an average total budget of **1.250.000 EUR**. Exceeding this amount should be well justified and proportional.
- Capacity building small-scale projects applying under Priority 3 have a total budget of no more than **200.000 EUR**.

Special note for partners from Non-Member State countries!

- Interreg NPA Programme funding in Non-EU Member States is nearly fully allocated. To ensure that future Interreg NPA projects can have wide transnational partnerships, the Interreg NPA EU Member States have agreed to use ERDF funding for approved Non-Member State project partners from the Faroe Islands, Greenland, and Iceland.

Project duration and partnership

- **Main project: 30** months for project activities, excluding final reporting.
- Small-scale Capacity building projects: **18** months for project activities, excluding final reporting.
- All projects must involve partners from at **least 3 programme** partner countries, at least one of which is from an EU Member State.
- Partnerships are recommended to include **at least 2 of the 3 geographical zones** of the programme area: Finland-Sweden-Norway; Ireland; Faroe Islands-Greenland-Iceland.

NPA Project logic

- Activities -> Deliverables -> Outputs -> Results

Example:

Project objective – Improve public services through digitalisation.

Activities: Trainings.

Deliverable Training manual.

Output – Joint action plan for digital public services.

Result – Uptake by Organisations.

- See Programme Manual Annex 6

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Timeline

- Project clinic and consultation on request

Q & A session

- January 14th, 2026 Q & A session, 2026 13:00 – 15:00 (CET)
- APPLICATION DEADLINE: 2nd February 2026 12:00 (noon) CET
- DECISION DATE: 3rd June 2026

THANK YOU!

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