

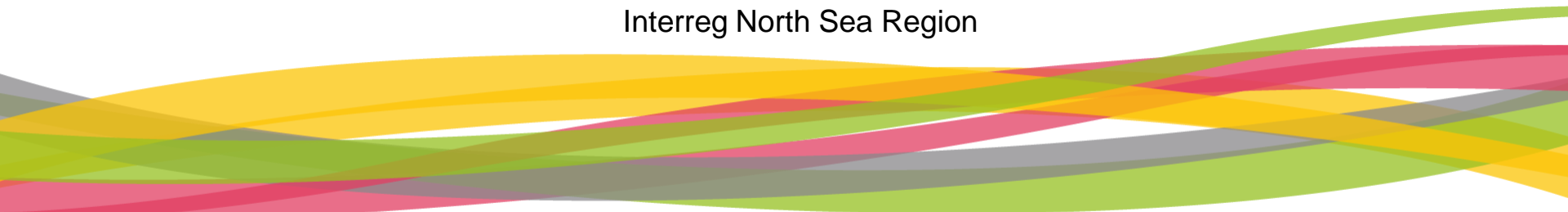


The Programme's framework for new projects

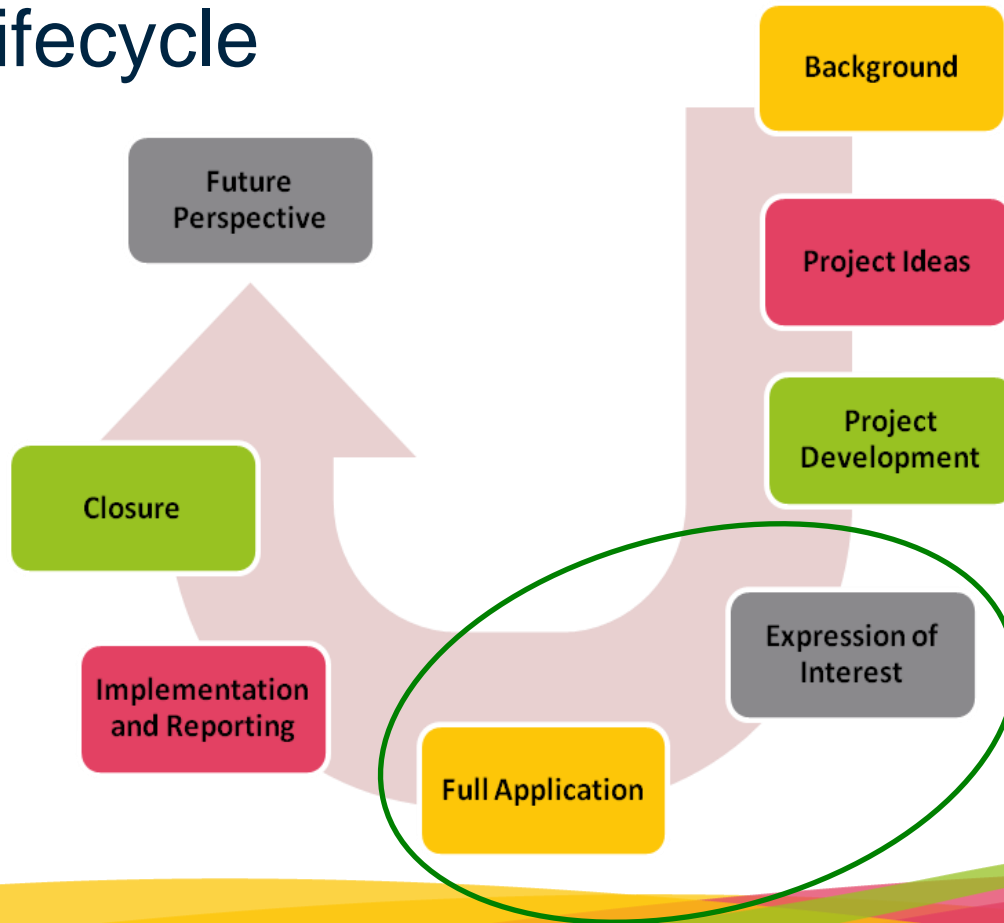
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Project lifecycle



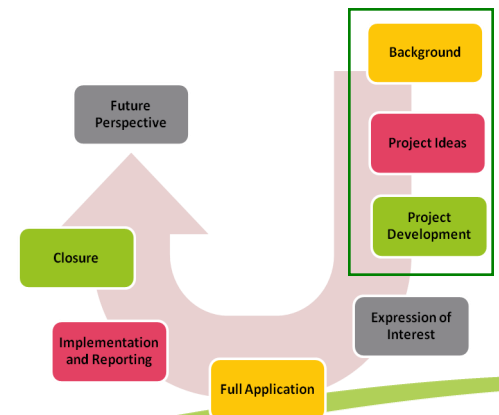
Before implementation

[Background – Project Idea – Project development]

+ New rules and guidance

- Draft Citizens Summary
- Draft Fact Sheets
 - E.g. State Aid
 - E.g. Staff cost calculation

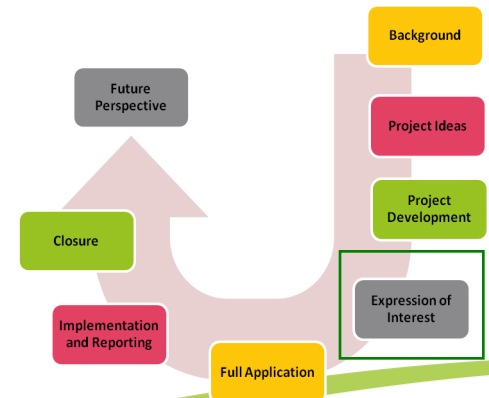
+ Find the right partners



Application phase

[Expression of Interest]

- + Two-step procedure
 - Guidance note
 - Special possibilities for the 1st call
- + First step => Formalised project idea
- + Minimum requirements
- + Subject to SC decision



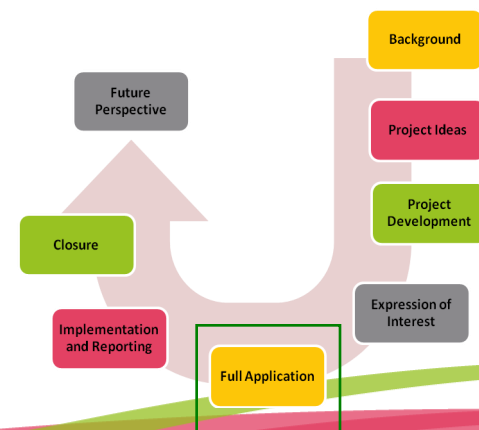
Application phase

[Full Application]

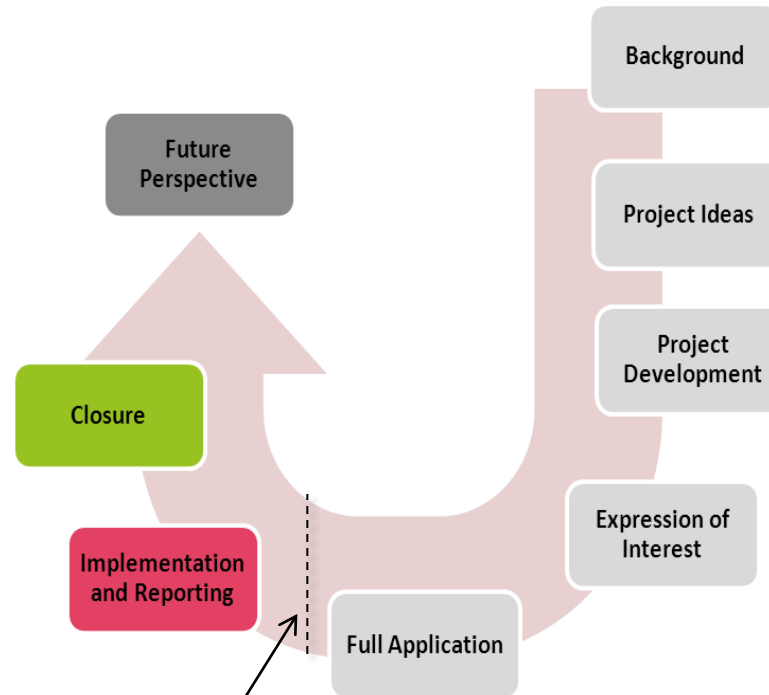
+ Detailed application

- Full description/justification
- Full budget
- Investments
- Beneficiaries
- etc.

+ Subject to SC decision



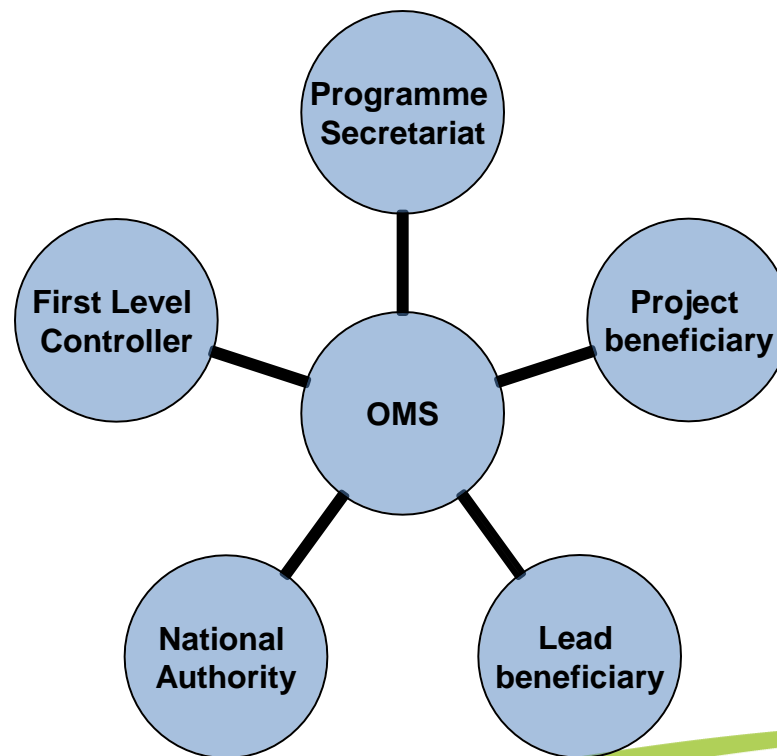
New standard for workflow



e-cohesion standards apply

Online Monitoring System

- + One system for all communication
- + Transparency



During implementation

[Implementation and reporting]

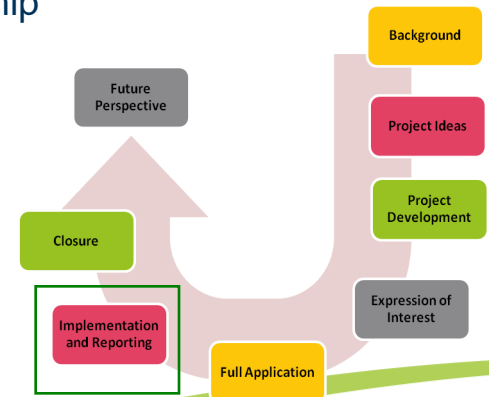
Before the first payment claim:

+ Contract from the Programme

- The designated LB signs the contract on behalf of the partnership

+ Partnership agreement

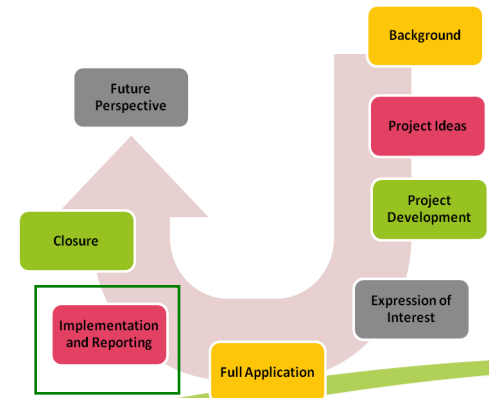
- e.g. Shared cost arrangements



During implementation

[Implementation and reporting]

- + Report on finances and/or activities 1-2 times a year.
- + FLC verification
- + New guidance from the programme
 - Follow version number and validation date.



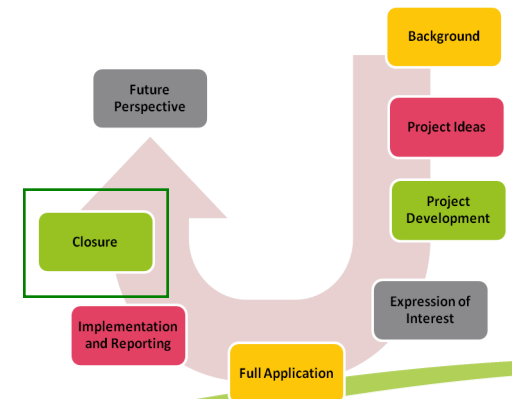
Closure

[Project Closure]

+ Final results

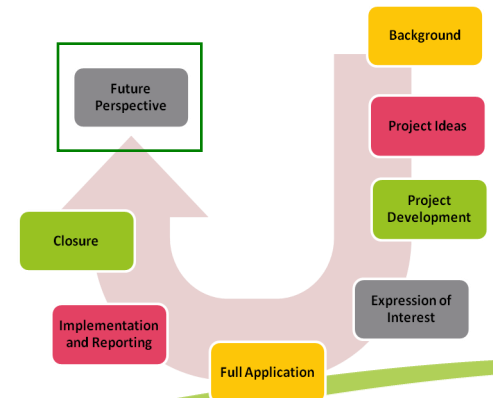
+ Communicating the results

- Make sure that all results have been communicated



Future perspective

- + Interlinked with the project idea
- + Link to future project ideas





Timeline

+ 1st call

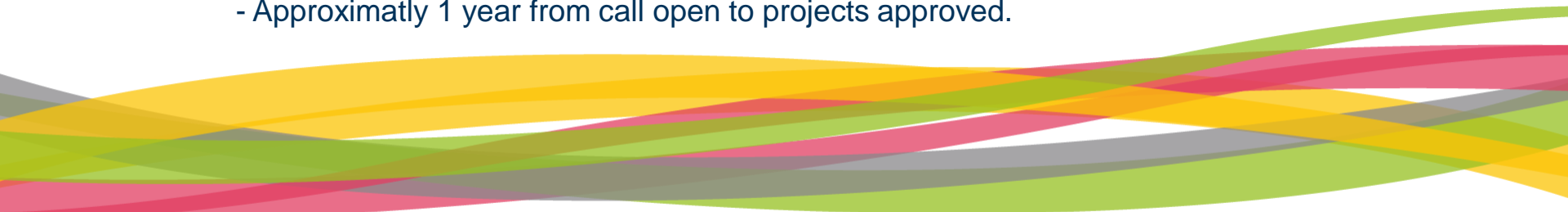
- open 27 April 2015
- closes 30 June 2015

+ For successful applicants

- Using both steps: project start in summer 2016
- Using only the second step: project start in beginning of 2016

+ For other calls:

- Approximately 1 year from call open to projects approved.



Practical details

- + New website launch on 27 April 2015
- + www.northsearegion.eu



Questions?

