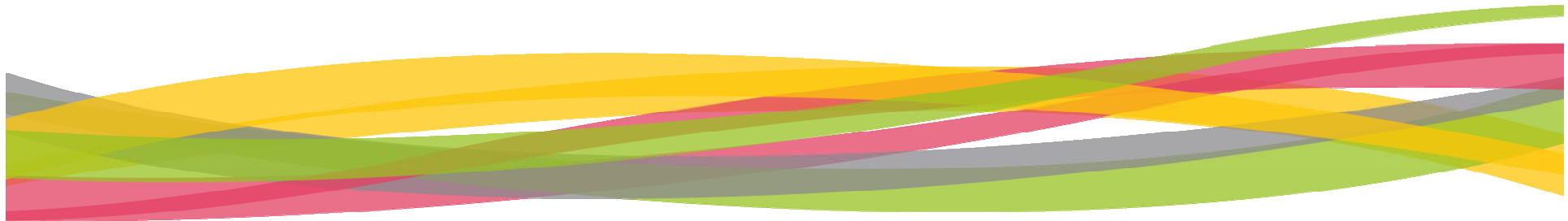




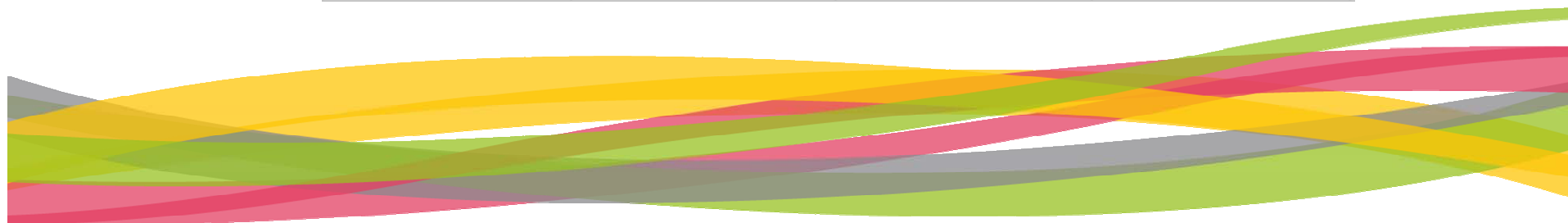
Overview and how to apply

16 June 2015, the North Sea Conference
Assen, the Netherlands



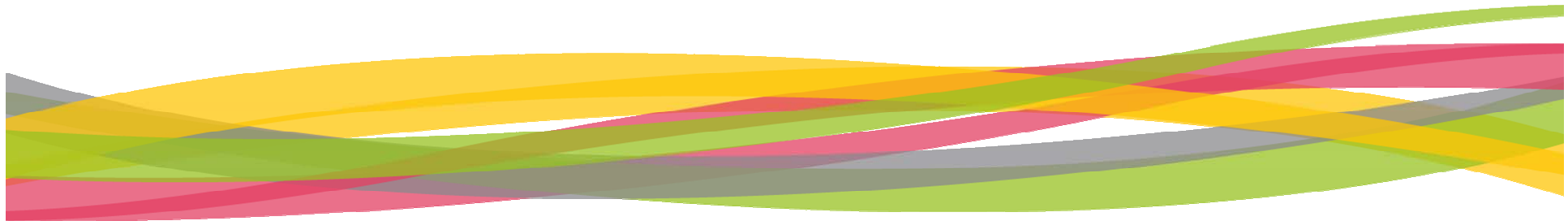
Programme budget 2014 - 2020

Priority Axis	ERDF (50% co-financing)	National counterpart (50% co-financing)	Total Funding
Priority Axis 1	€ 46.831.112	€ 46.831.112	€ 93.662.224
Priority Axis 2	€ 45.158.572	€ 45.158.572	€ 90.317.144
Priority Axis 3	€ 36.795.874	€ 36.795.874	€ 73.591.748
Priority Axis 4	€ 28.433.175	€ 28.433.175	€ 56.866.350
Total	€ 157.218.733	€ 157.218.733	€ 314.437.466



Programme vision

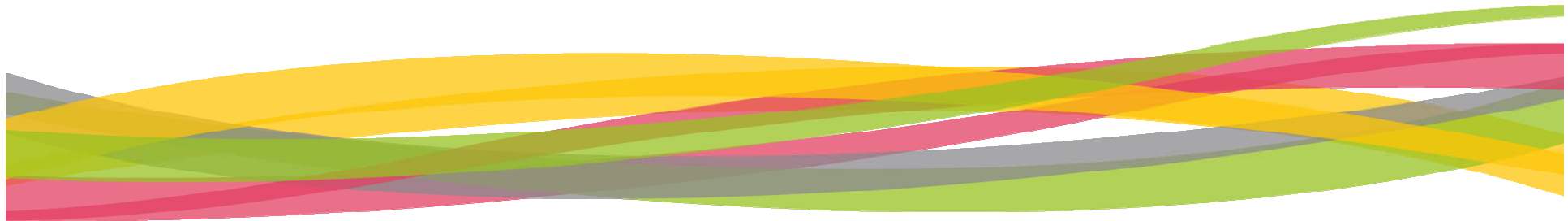
Joining efforts to lead the way to stronger, more sustainable economies and societies around the North Sea.





Four priorities

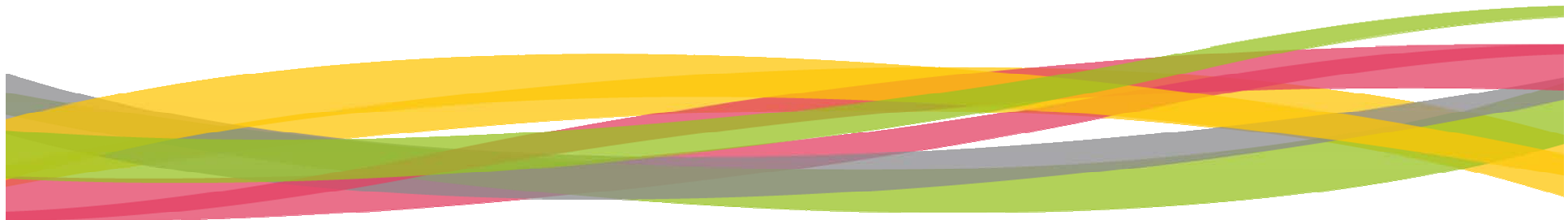
1. **Thinking Growth** – Supporting growth in the North Sea Region economies
2. **Eco-innovation** – Stimulating the green economy
3. **Sustainable North Sea Region** – Protecting against climate change and preserving the environment
4. **Green Transport and Mobility** - Promoting sustainable transport and removing bottlenecks in key network infrastructures

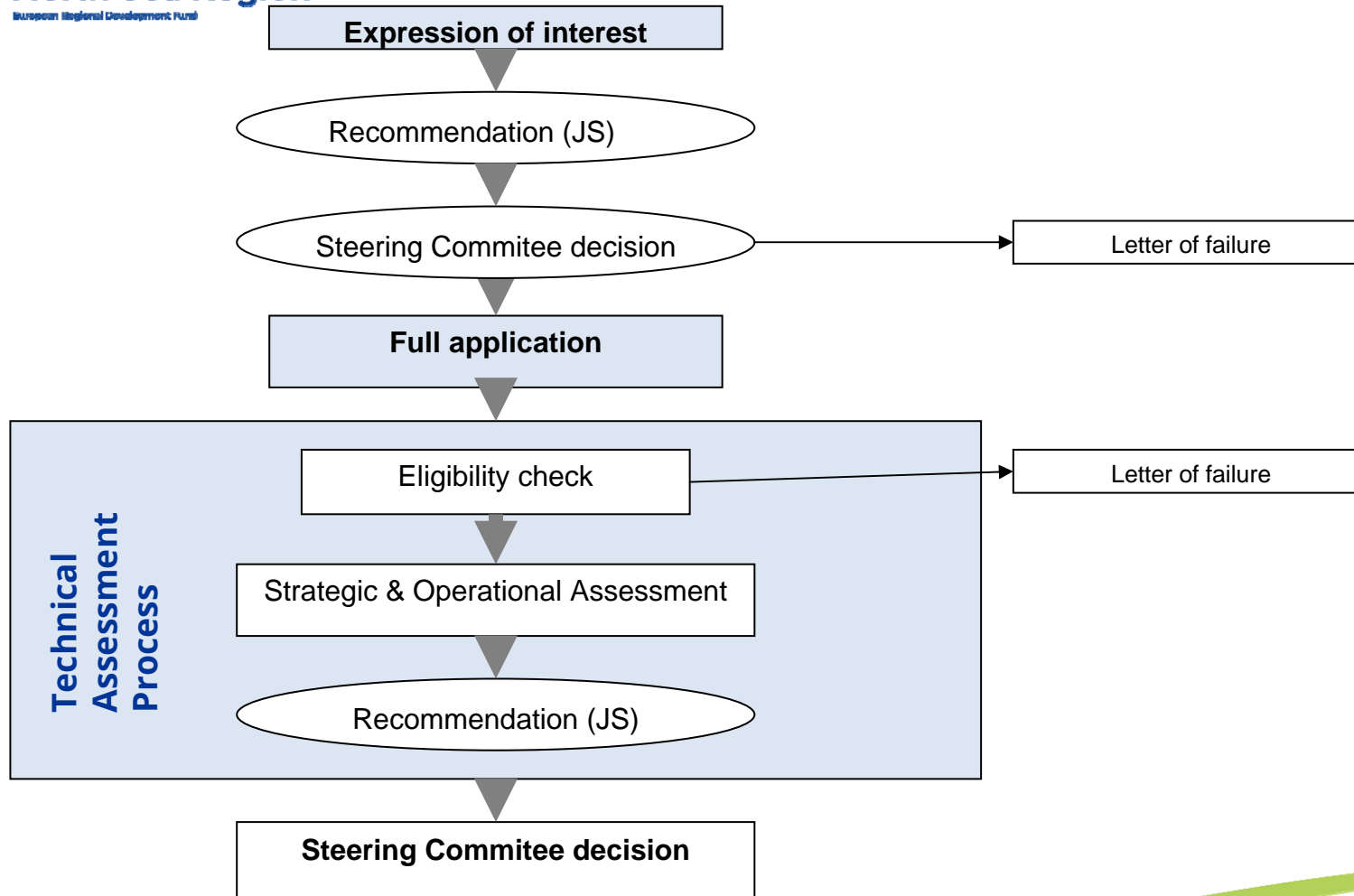




Guiding principles – result orientation

- + Cooperation
- + Innovativeness
- + Added-value
- + Integrated territorial development
- + Sustainable development
- + Equal opportunities and non-discrimination
- + Links to other policies and funds





Optional: Project idea

- + Submission through the online monitoring system – ideas can be published to project idea section of website
- + Informal feedback prior to the opening of the call for applications
- + Great platform to search other project ideas and potential partners



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Project ideas

Project ideas for the North Sea Region Programme 2014 - 2020 can be submitted through our new online system.

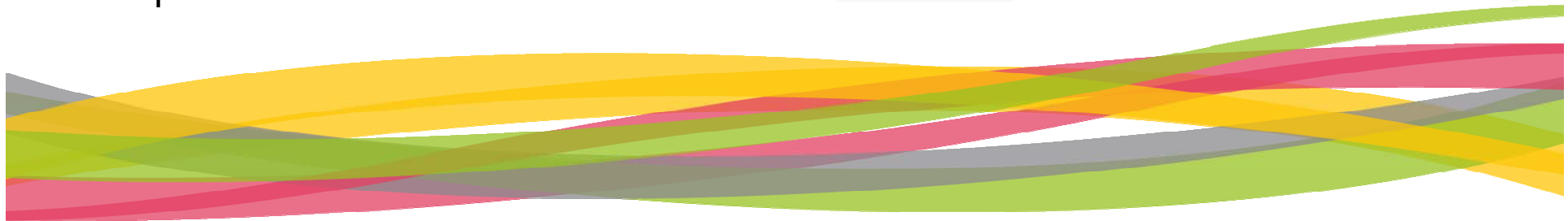
Below is an overview of submitted project ideas.

Last submitted project ideas

- circular BIOMass CASCade to 100%
- Seamless CARbonless BIKE driving in the Northsea Region
- VB Project Idea: The North Sea Energetic City (NORSE)

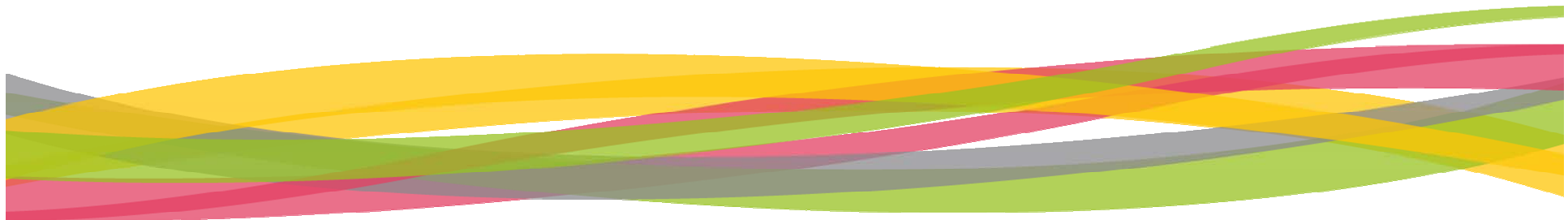
Search project ideas

Priority: Country: Keywords: 



2 stage application - what you need to know

- + 2 calls a year – spring and autumn (approximately)
- + Approx . 6 months from opening of call to Steering Committee decision
- + Time frame 12 - 18 months – approved expressions of interest can submit full application in either of the two following calls
- + No Letter of Intent for expression of interest



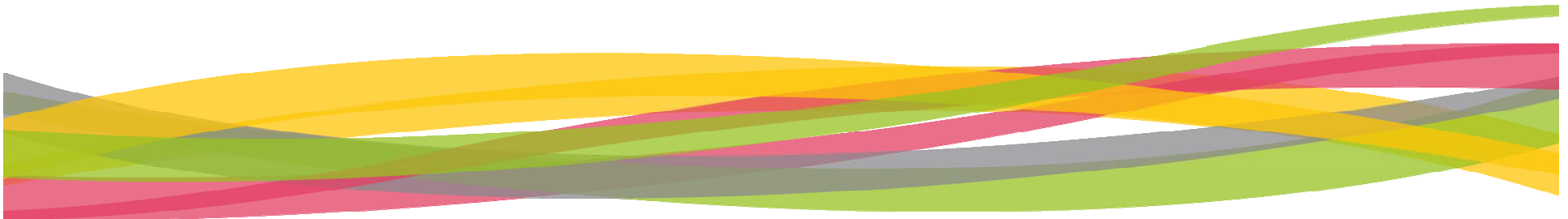


NO LEAR = NO APPLICATION!

(Legal Entity Appointed Representative)

How-to tutorial available here:

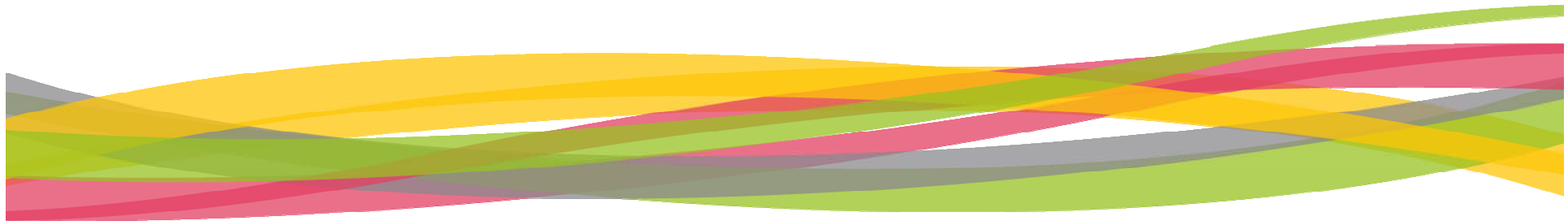
<http://northsearegion.eu/media/1177/how-to-become-a-lear.pdf>





Preparation costs

- + Only available for full applications ,which are approved by Steering Committee
- + Applicant must request preparation cost reimbursement in application (tick box)
- + Lump sum budget of 40.000 Euro with 50% reimbursement = 20.000 Euro paid out





Important dates

2015

- + VB programme approval expected towards summer
- + 30 June: Closure of call 1
- + October: Monitoring Committee meeting 1
- + Early November: Steering Committee meeting 1 (date tbc)
- + 16 November: Deadline for call 2 project ideas (tbc)
- + Late November/early December: Call 2 interwork event (date tbc)

2016

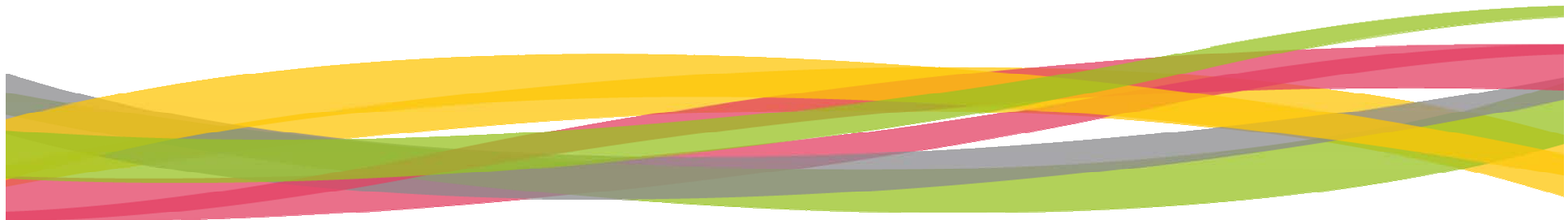
- + Mid January: Call 2 opens (date tbc)
- + End February: Call 2 closes for Expressions of Interest (date tbc)
- + Mid March: Call 2 closes for Full Applications (date tbc)





Find more at www.northsearegion.eu

The screenshot shows the website's header with the Interreg North Sea Region logo and a search bar. The main navigation includes 'About the programme', 'Project information', and 'Key documents'. The 'Project information' menu is expanded to show 'Project information' and 'Project life cycle'. The 'Project life cycle' menu includes: Background, Project ideas, Project development, Expression of interest, Full application, Implementation and reporting, Closure, and Future perspectives. Below this, there is an 'e-guidance' section and a 'Calls for applications' section with the text 'First call: April - June 2015'. The main content area is titled 'Fact sheets' and includes a list of links: 'Fact Sheet 1: General rules on eligibility', 'Fact Sheet 2: Staff costs', 'Fact Sheet 2a: Staff costs - Flanders', 'Fact Sheet 2b: Staff costs - The Netherlands', 'Fact Sheet 3: Office and administration', 'Fact Sheet 4: Travel and accommodation', 'Fact Sheet 5: Contracting external experts and services', and 'Fact Sheet 6: Equipment and infrastructure'.



Questions?

