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#### Assistance

## to applicants

#### POC

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Information event **Online/Ireland** 





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Monitoring committee Is the programme's central decision- making body.	>	Audit authority/ group of auditors Is responsible for system audits and sample audits of projects.	>
Accounting Body Makes payment to projects and submits claims for funding to the European Commission.	>	Managing authority Manages the programme on behalf of participating partner countries. Signs subsidy contracts with the selected projects.	>
Joint secretariat Carries out the operational administration of the programme. It also assists all the other programme bodies with their tasks.	>	National points of contact Operate in each partner state as a national or regional representative and can provide programme information in local languages.	>

#### **NWRA EU Funding Network**

- NWRA EU Funding Network Newsletter Keep updated on EU Funding Calls and Announcements
- NWRA supports stakeholders to respond and apply to EU Funding Calls with informative and relevant webinars and workshops
- NWRA EU Funding Guide
- Build the capacity of our stakeholders to be successful in securing EU funding and grants
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#### **ETC Network for the Southern Region**

- Connects nearly 300 project officers across the Southern Region, and those interested in EU Projects, across all ETC programmes and projects to support the delivery of sustainable regional development to the benefit of the region.
- Opportunities for members to benefit and learn from each other and experts, share experiences and to engage with a network of support.
- The Southern Regional Assembly is the facilitator of the ETC network. ETC Network event content is driven by feedback from ETC members.







### Controller

- Ireland has designated a centralised FLC system NWRA and SRA
- Progress reports submitted typically on a 6 monthly basis, online portal
- Webinars/ manual to assist partners
- Partners compile reports with supporting documents
- A control certificate issued
- The lead partner also compiles the joint progress report
- The accounting body makes the payment
- The lead partner transfers the funds to the partners,



#### **Irish Projects**



#### **EU Funding Resources**

- The Irish Regions European Office (IREO) is a specialised support service which acts as a bridge between Irish local and regional government and the European Union
- Access Europe is an EU funding support service for the Irish civil sector
- Interreg.eu and Keep.eu





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