

TERRITORY DEVELOPMENT FUND

2019-2020 Intervention Priorities

The objectives of the Territory Development Fund are as follows:

The implementation of its mandate regarding land planning and development of the territory:

- Modification and adoption of the Land Use and Development Plan;
- Revision of the risk coverage and fire safety plan;
- Preparation of the plan for the management of residual materials;
- Information about the management of leases of recreational sites (camp sites, chalets, etc.).

The support to local municipalities in professional expertise or to establish sharing of services (social, cultural, tourist, environmental, technological or other):

- Support and sharing of services to the municipalities of the MRC;
- Support and sharing of expertise for all municipal services (urban planning, services, fire, etc.).

The promotion of entrepreneurship, support of entrepreneurship and the enterprise:

- Foster the creation and/or maintenance of sustainable jobs;
- Provide continuous support to entrepreneurs with the realization of their project (business plan, studies, references);
- Promote social development and support the promoters of social economy enterprises;
- Accompany, support technically and/or financially potential entrepreneurs or those who are already active (consultation activities, orientation, reference, support in training);
- Provide and ensure the management of the programs offered to our clientele: (Young Promoters, support to the self-employed worker, Fund for the development of social economy enterprises, employment assistance services);
- Provide and ensure the management of investment funds such as the Local Investment Fund (FLI) and the Local Solidarity Fund (FLS).

The mobilization of communities and support towards the realization of strategic projects to improve living environments, in particular in the areas of social, cultural, economic and environmental:

- Establish partnerships and financially support community organizations in order to improve the quality of life of our residents in the following areas and with the following clientele: seniors, families, young people, fishery, aquaculture, agrofood, tourism, leisure, economic diversification, labour training, transportation, telecommunication, environment and fire safety.

The establishment, funding and implementation of sectoral agreements for local and regional development with government departments or agencies:

- Work in collaboration with other organizations, government departments or others (MRC, Assembly of the MRCs of the North Shore) in order to agree on the sectoral agreements.

The support for rural development, within the rural territory that it will have defined for this purpose. The MRC of Golfe-du-Saint-Laurent defined its territory in its entirety as the latter:

- The well-being of the population (sports and leisure);
- Job creation;
- Proximity services;
- Communication.