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Question No. 1

In addition to the target number of housing units and number of families who should access infrastructure, is there any guidance on the proportion of the budget that should be allocated to social inclusion vs. housing and infrastructure?

Answer 1

There is no specific proportion of the budget that should be allocated for the different components of this Programme. However, as indicated in the Guidelines, article 2.1.3 Eligible actions the project proposed for the improvement of Roma living conditions and their social inclusion must consist of the indicated activities with possibility to extend the list with the additional, complementary ones that would contribute to the objectives of this Call for Proposals.

Question No. 2

Are letters of support from municipalities required?

Answer 2

In line with the Guidelines, article 2.1.2, Partnership and eligibility of partners, in case that the applicant identify the other organisations, institutions, bodies that will be involved in the project as an associates, the letter of support from the associated organisations confirming their readiness to cooperate within the framework of the project and provide their financial and/or other support to the project must be provided.

Question No. 3

Should the applicant foresee the costs of the operational teams, Roma coordinators, and the Commission for selection of housing projects in the budget?

Answer 3

According to the Guidelines, article 2.1.4 Eligibility of costs, the budget of the project should be realistic and cost-effective. It means that the activities proposed are appropriately reflected in the budget and that the ration between the estimated costs and expected results are satisfactory. Any activity that you proposed in line with the requirements indicated in the Guidelines, article 2.1.3, Eligible actions, should be reflected in the budget.

Question No. 4

Should the applicant foresee the costs of the thematic working groups in the budget?

Answer 4

Please refer to the answer above.

Question No. 5

Should the applicant use the beneficiary selection procedures set out in the Roma action plan for housing or may the applicant propose alternative beneficiary selection?

Answer 5

It is up to the applicant to propose the most efficient and transparent way of beneficiary selection with optimised inclusion of all relevant stakeholders.

Sincerely yours

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