

KARELIA

CBC // Cross-border cooperation



We build on border



Cooperation across the EU border

Karelia CBC is a cross-border cooperation programme creating an attractive region for people and business.



The programme is implemented in the regions of Kainuu, North Karelia and Oulu in Finland and in the Republic of Karelia in Russia.

Aiming for an attractive region

The programme has four priorities that define the objectives of the programme.
The projects need to be in line with these objectives.

1

Growing cross-border business cooperation

Improving businesses' cooperation across the border

Creating new working possibilities through cross-border cooperation

2

Attractive cultural environment

Facilitating the development of sustainable, diverse and versatile cultural services

3

Clean and comfortable region to live

Improving living and working environment

4

Well-functioning border-crossings

Removing the bottlenecks and improving the safety of the international border crossing points

Opportunities for local actors

Karelia CBC Programme finances development, infrastructure and micro projects that benefit the programme region. Finnish and Russian partners implement the projects in cooperation with each other.

**Total financing
available: 43 MEUR**

**Programme
contribution for
projects: maximum
90 % of the project
costs**

**Implementation
period of the
projects:
2017-2022**

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