



Interreg Volunteers initiative

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Interreg Volunteers Initiative - The general framework

Communication from the
Commission on a
European Solidarity Corps
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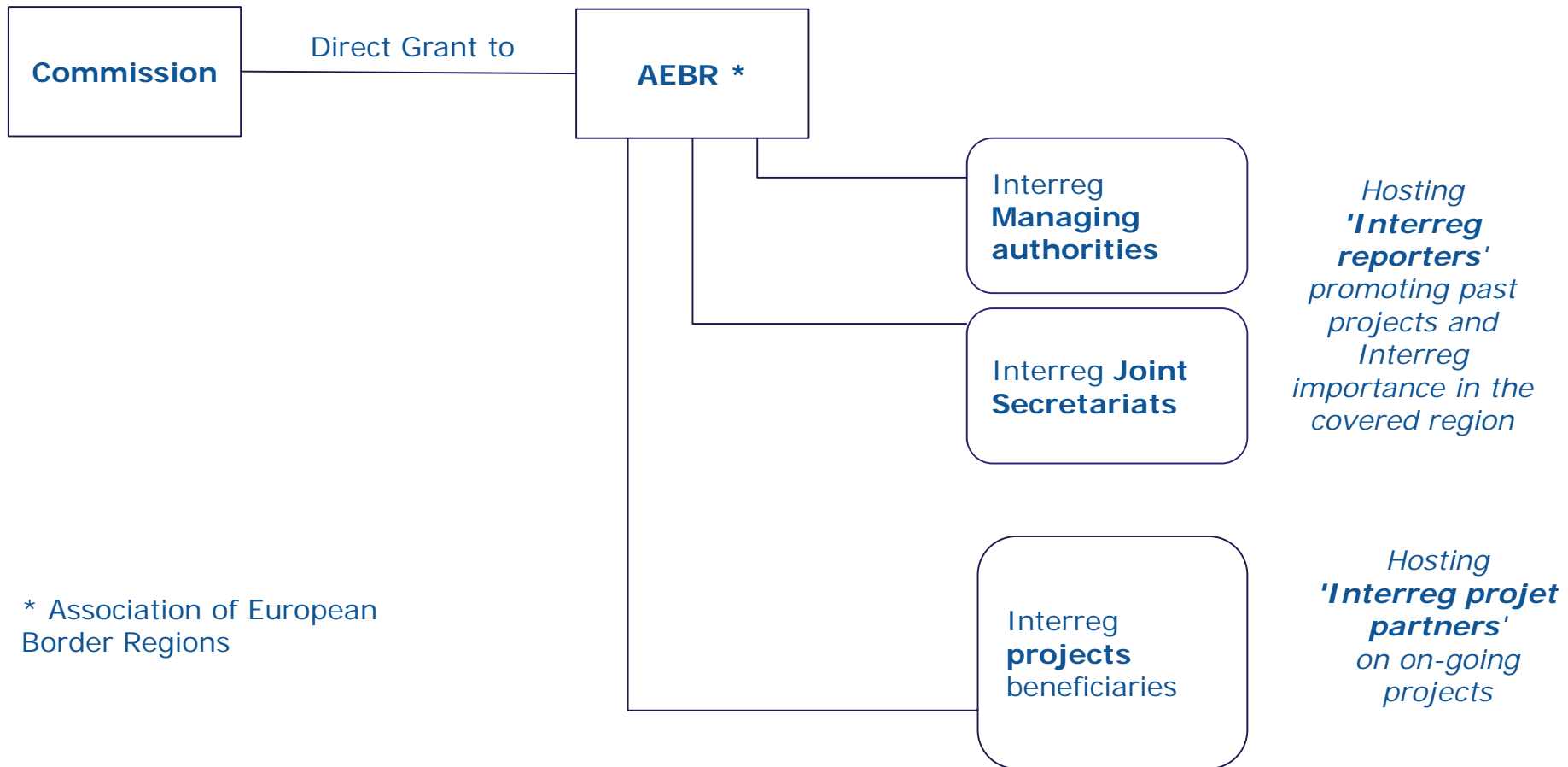


Interreg Volunteers Initiative - resources and scope

- For 2017, EUR 1 million of ERDF TA resources (legal basis art.58 CPR)
- Cross-border, Transnational, Interregional programmes
- Young people aged between 18 and 30

Interreg Volunteers Initiative - The 2 strands

- **Interreg Reporter** - supporting Interreg programmes in promoting concrete results
- **Interreg Project Partner** - volunteering on a concrete project



Volunteer: the key word



(Just for info: this guy is not
a volunteer)

Interreg Reporter: some examples

- Communication targeted to:
 - ❖ young people (social media)
 - ❖ schools: (meetings/events/games around "Interreg stories")
 - ❖ people with disabilities (CPR requirement)
- Civil society engagement in Interreg
- European Cooperation Day organization?

Interreg Project Partner: some examples

- Cross-Border health projects
- Projects dealing with vulnerable groups (e.g. projects concerning refugees, migrants and asylum seeker)
- Projects on climate change/risk prevention issues
- P2P projects
- Projects on youth drain from rural and peripheral areas (ex. "RIBS" in Central baltic programme)

Next Steps

- Start to shape your volunteer project!
- Template to submit volunteer projects available during the month of February
- First matching by AEBC early March



THANK YOU!