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# Organisation

NÖ Landesgeschäftsstelle Dorferneuerung  
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# Organisation



**Regional offices of the  
Lower Austria Village and  
City Regeneration**

HOLLABRUNN  
KATZELSDORF  
WILHELMSBURG  
OTTENSCHLAG

# Philosophy

**Close to the citizens  
Help to help themselves**

**Cooperative Leadership  
Selfresponsibility**

# Tasks

**Village Regeneration**

**City Regeneration**

**Local Agenda 21**

**Regional Projects**

# Offers

**Workshops**

**Moderation**

**Development of visions and aims for villages**

**Project Management**

**Management of conflicts**

**Funding guide and help with funding papers**

**Evaluation**

**Public Relations**

# Cooperation Partners



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# Introduction

**The village regeneration should build up  
a new consciousness for the rural  
area.....**

**...a consciousness, that is not complete new,  
but grows from the existing one.**

**We want to take care  
of the old in  
the new....**

*Dr. Erwin Pröll, 1985*



# Development

- 1984 - Start of the action with 4 villages**
- 1990 - Lower Austria Association**
- 1992 - Regional Offices**
- 1999 - Phasenmodell**
- 2000 - Villages with special thematic tasks**
- 2004 - Local Agenda 21**
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- The bar chart illustrates the rapid growth in the number of villages involved over time. The y-axis represents the year, and the x-axis represents the number of villages. The data points are as follows:
- | Year | Number of Villages |
|------|--------------------|
| 1984 | 4                  |
| 1990 | 52                 |
| 1992 | 70                 |
| 1999 | 86                 |
| 2000 | 141                |
| 2004 | 192                |
| 2005 | 376                |
| 2006 | 423                |
| 2007 | 428                |
| 2008 | 456                |
| 2009 | 533                |
| 2010 | 524                |
| 2011 | 561                |
| 2012 | 573                |
| 2013 | 596                |

# Aims

## **Increasing Life quality**

environment / human relations

## **Growing of the community consciousness**

more communal activities

Identification



## **Increasing of the responsibility**

in front of my own door

# Visible village regeneration



**...die Kraft hinter Ihren Ideen**

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# Unvisible village regeneration

plans and concepts for renovation

Improvement of cooperation of several groups in the village (clubs, minoritys, handicapped people)

Event- organisation

# Corporate image of a village

**The corporate image of a village is build up together with the citizens, the municipal administration with the instructor of the Lower Austria village regeneration association.**



# Content of a corporate image

**Strengths/Weaknesses  
Ressources/aims  
measures  
Success criterias**

**schedule / budget**

# Main tasks of a corporate image

**Appearance of a village and extension of settlement**

**Economy, tourism, agriculture**

**Ecology and energy circles**

**Education**

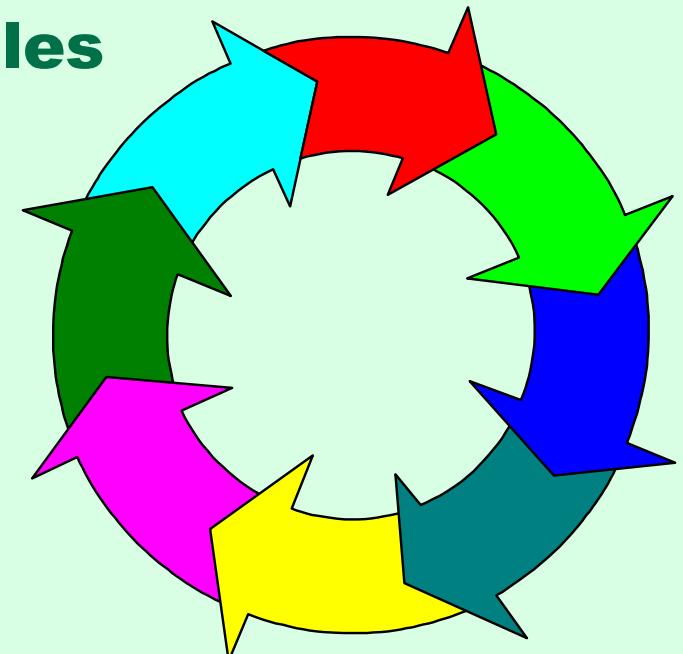
**Transport**

**Social fields**

**Culture**

**Leisure activities**

**Regional cooperations**



# Dorferneuerungsverein

**Club for people to organize projects,to  
cooperate with the management of the  
village and the government of Lower  
Austria**



# Examples



*Modell Dorfhaus in Ringendorf*



*Kinderspielplatz Frankenfels*



*Museum St. Leonhard /Hornerwald*



*Heiliger Stein Mitterretzbach*

# Examples



*Sonnwendkreis in Steinakirchen*



*Revitalisierung Ruine Dobra*



*Generationenbrücke in Hammersdorf*



*Kinderspielplatz in Kirchau*

# Thematic villages



Laa - die Wasserstadt



Schönbach - das Kraut&Rüben Dorf



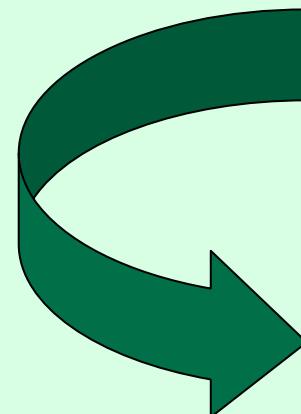
Mariensee - das Theaterdorf



Purgstall - das Bücherdorf

# Project Performance

**Proposed and passed  
575 Projects**



**Fundings  
5,12 Mio €**

**x 3,6**

**Volume of  
Investments  
18,25 Mio €**

# Secret of Success

**Herz**  
**Hirn**  
**Hand**  
**Humor**

*heart*  
*brain*  
*hand*  
*humor*

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# Arboretum

- It is a cooperation – projekt of „Lower Austria city and village renovation“ and the city of Devinska Nova Ves
- Arboretum is the name of a dendro park at the outskirts of D.N.V. It is a class –room in nature. Pupils get to know the typical plants of the countryside. The dendro park was designed by Slowakien and Austrian teachers and scientists in cooperation with schools in Auersthal and Großkrut.



# Herrnbaumgarten thematic village



This village has a special marketing concept: „nonsense“ in various forms, in every part of everyday life. The nonseum shows all events we do not need, the guest houses have funny names and equipment, in the streets you find unusual things like „the point of view“, the monument for contemporaries or the bed above the parking place. You can buy nonsense-wine or walk under the earth in the cellar - labyrinth. During the year you can attend funny events.

# Herrnbaumgarten thematic village



The funny actions induce a lot of guests to come to Herrnbaumgarten. They consume food and drinks, buy products of the village and sleep in the original guest-houses



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# Die Weinstadt Poysdorf – The famous City of Wine in Lower Austria thematic village

The main product of Weinviertel is wine and Poysdorf is the most famous city of wine production in the region.

Wine dominates the townscape.

The „wine-world Poysdorf“ is the new marketing concept:

*Events, wine-museum, cellars, expositions, vinothek*

It is important to keep the typical landscape with vineyards.

The aim is to increase the number of guests.



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