

## **CLEDDAU TO COAST (C2C) FISHERIES LOCAL ACTION GROUP (FLAG)**

### *Guidance for project application*

#### Stage 1, Expression of Interest (EOI)

Cleddau to Coast (C2C) Fisheries Local Action Group expression of interest form can be found on the Pembrokeshire County Council website European page at [www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/european-unit/european-fisheries-fund](http://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/european-unit/european-fisheries-fund).

This is purely an eligibility check and guidance stage. Please include as much information as possible and ensure that your project proposal fits within the approved Local Development Strategy (LDS) objectives.

Eligibility of projects will be discussed by the FLAG and successful applications will be then be advised to continue with either a/ full FLAG application/ may be recommended to apply to core EMFF grants through Welsh Government.

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#### Stage 2, Full Assessment

Following approval of the EOI, you will be asked to complete a full application providing a detailed account of your project idea. This will include the project timescale, management, outcomes and a detailed breakdown of costs.

The Application may include additional funding contributions to the project activity, this additional funding is defined as match funding.

Match funding may be provided in the form of either cash or in kind contributions from the public, private or third sectors.

In kind contributions are services, items or products donated to the project by an individual or organisation where no cash transaction takes place.

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#### Stage 3, Recommendation

Once the FLAG has completed a full assessment of the proposal the FLAG Administrative Body will then prepare a written report which summarises this assessment and gives a recommendation either of approval or rejection.

The Administrative Body will forward a copy of the proposal that was submitted to the FLAG and the written report to Rural Payment Wales (RPW).

RPW will undertake an eligibility check on the proposed activities and issue a Grant Approval to the Administrative Body. This will set out the intended start and end date for the activity and the amount of funding that has been allocated by the FLAG.

