Management response template

**UNDP management response template**

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| **Evaluation recommendation 1. Design and fund a bridge project at least until November 2020** |
| **Management response:**The senior management has initiated contacts and meetings with potential donors interested to fund and scale up the work of INTERDEV project.  |
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| * 1. Meet with potential donors to explore opportunities for partnerships to ensure sustainability and scaling up of the results, also considering the importance of retaining the capacity and experience of INTERDEV's core team.
 | **December 31, 2020** | Senior Management |  | **Initiated**  |
| 1.2 Programme team will organise a fair with INTERDEV producers/beneficiaries; with the aim to attract potential donors for a new project and create possibility for farmers to sell and promote their products. The videos and book stories as a result of the Inter-municipal initiatives, will be launched and delivered to the audience.  | **Q1/February 29,2020** | Programme team  |  | **Initiated**  |

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| **Evaluation recommendation 2. Design and fundraise for INTERDEV 3 beyond November 2020** |
| **Management response:**The programme team will design the new project proposal to ensure follow up of INTERDEV 2 results and sustainability in the partner areas, building upon the already achieved results and focusing on the sectors as defied with potential donors (i.e. gender, long-term-unemployed, tourism, rural development etc.). |
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| 2.1 Intensify meetings with potential donors and define the key areas and activities for the INTERDEV 3 approach.  | **December 2020**  | Senior Management |  | **Initiated**  |
| 2.2 The Programme team will take into consideration consolidated lessons learned from INTERDEV 2 and design actions of the new proposal with specific emphasis on the co-financing with the already partnering municipalities and their strong commitment and knowledge gained.  | **Q3 2020**  | Programme team  |  | **Initiated**  |

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| **Evaluation recommendation 3.**  **Include an exit strategy and/or donor diversification strategy** |
| **Management response:** Programme team to coordinate and design the exit strategy and possible donor diversification strategy (i.e. UNKT, SIDA, ADA, Norway etc) |
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| 3.1 The programme team will actively dialogue with partners and disseminate INTEDEV 2 results, with the emphasis on marginalised communities, remote areas, gender, rural development, and unemployment.  | **Q1 2020 - ongoing**  | **Programme team** |  | **no due date** |
| 3.2 The programme team will make efforts that relevant donor plans/strategies have integrated the INTERDEV 2 approach and the INTERDEV 3 is in the project pipeline to be funded.  | **Q1 2020 - ongoing**  | **Programme team** |  | **no due date** |
| **Evaluation recommendation 4. Incorporate a ToC approach complementing the logical framework** |
| **Management response**: Together with external expertise where applicable the project/programme will explore the ToC approach in completing the logical framework for future similar projects. |
| **Key action(s)** | **Completion date** | **Responsible unit(s)** | **Tracking** |
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| 4.1 The ToC approach will be the basis for the future project, in line with UNDP’s corporate guidelines.  | December 2020  | Programme team  |  | **To be initiated**  |
| **Evaluation recommendation 5. Improve design by adding new variables** |
| **Management response**: Several aspects are to be considered for the future that can further help to improve such as integration of qualitative indicators that help impact monitoring. Furthermore, it is also advisable to incorporate information on how the concept of "time poverty" may affect men and women differently as a consequence of the project's actions. |
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| 5.1 The programme team to clearly define quality indicators that directly support the impact monitoring. | 2020 – ongoing  | Programme team |  | **To be initiated** |
| 5.2 Incorporation of information on how the concept of "time poverty" may affect men and women differently as a consequence of the project's actions will be taken into account when designing the project by the designated programme staff. | 2020 – ongoing  | Programme team |  | **To be initiated** |
| **Evaluation recommendation 6.** **Incorporate impact monitoring to feed into project learning** |
| **Management response**: UNDP programme/project has developed a new monitoring software/monitoring tool during the Q3, and it has been used for the final evaluation of the Interdev 2 project. However, the simplification of it, would easily feed into the ToC sessions.  |
| **Key action(s)** | **Completion date** | **Responsible unit(s)** | **Tracking** |
| **Comments** | **Status Completed**  |
| 6.1 If funding can be secured, the Programme team will continue developing and simplifying the monitoring tool. | Q4 2020 – ongoing  | Programme team (and potential INTERDEV 3 team)  |  | **Not initiated**  |
| **Evaluation recommendation 7.** Revise the CVT component |
| **Management response**: This recommendation is linked also with other UNDP projects and as well with the different international organizations and line Ministries operating in this field in Kosovo. UNDP will take a lead to work with the partners in planning the future interventions, closely connected with the INTERDEV 2 sector interventions. |
| **Key action(s)** | **Completion date** | **Responsible unit(s)** | **Tracking** |
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| 7.1 The programme team will carry out a comprehensive impact survey for similar interventions in the future in order to jointly with Agency for Employment enhance the certified vocational training in line with the needs in the territories. Under the ongoing UNDP interventions, UNDP will explore modalities for revision of CVT under the Active Labour Market Project.  | Q4 2020 | Programme team  |  | **To be initiated** |

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