

CONNECTING EUROPE FACILITY

TRANSPORT



PURPOSE

The EU – Connecting Europe Facility (CEF) is a key EU funding instrument in delivering the European Green Deal and an important enabler towards the Union's decarbonization objectives for 2030 and 2050. It is focused on the development of sustainable, high performing, and efficiently interconnected trans-European networks covering three different sectors: Transport, Energy, and Digital services.

The CEF Transport program aims to support investments in building new transport infrastructure in Europe or rehabilitating and upgrading the existing one. The CEF Transport program follows the Trans-European Networks for Transport (TEN-T) policy, which focuses on planning and developing a coherent, efficient, multimodal, and high-quality transport infrastructure across the EU. The TEN-T network is formed by nine European Transport Corridors and two horizontal priorities.

The CEF Transport supports innovation in the transport system in order to improve the use of infrastructure, reduce the environmental impact of transport, enhance energy efficiency and increase safety. The CEF budget is allocated for three envelopes: the general, the cohesion, and the military envelope.

PROJECT TYPES

CEF Transport supports co-funding for two main project types:

- **Studies:** These include preparatory activities necessary for implementing projects, such as technical studies, mapping, and feasibility assessments. These studies are essential for identifying potential risks and determining the feasibility of a project.



- **Works:** These encompass the construction and implementation phases, involving activities such as procurement, installation, and deployment to operationalize the infrastructure.

POSSIBLE APPLICATION AREAS

The calls cover the core, extended core and comprehensive TEN-T networks in the following areas:

- Railways
- Inland Waterways (IWWs)
- Maritime and inland ports
- Road safety
- Multimodal freight terminals
- Multimodal passenger hubs
- Smart and interoperable applications for transport
- Safe and secure mobility
- Infrastructure resilience

CALLS FOR PROPOSALS

The current CEF Transport calls cover projects within these thematic areas:

- Projects on the Core Network (CORECOEN)
- Projects on the Comprehensive Network (COMPCOEN)

WHO CAN APPLY

Applications are welcome from:

- One or more Member State(s).
- International organisations or public or private bodies established in an EU Member State or countries associated with the CEF (Ukraine and Moldova)

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- Smart and Interoperable Mobility (SIMOBGEN & SIMOBEOEN)
- Sustainable and Multimodal Mobility (SUSTMOBGEN)
- Safe and Secure Mobility (SAFEMOBGEN & SAFEMOBEOEN)

Application Process

The proposal must be submitted in three parts:

- **Part A:** Applicant's administrative information and summarized budget. To be filled online.
- **Part B:** Proposal's technical content. Download the mandatory word template, fill it and upload it as a PDF file.
- **Annexes:**
 - Activity reports of last year
 - List of previous projects
 - Detailed budget table*
 - Timetable/Gantt chart
 - Agreement by the concerned Member States
 - Environmental compliance file*
 - Cost-Benefit Analysis (CBA)

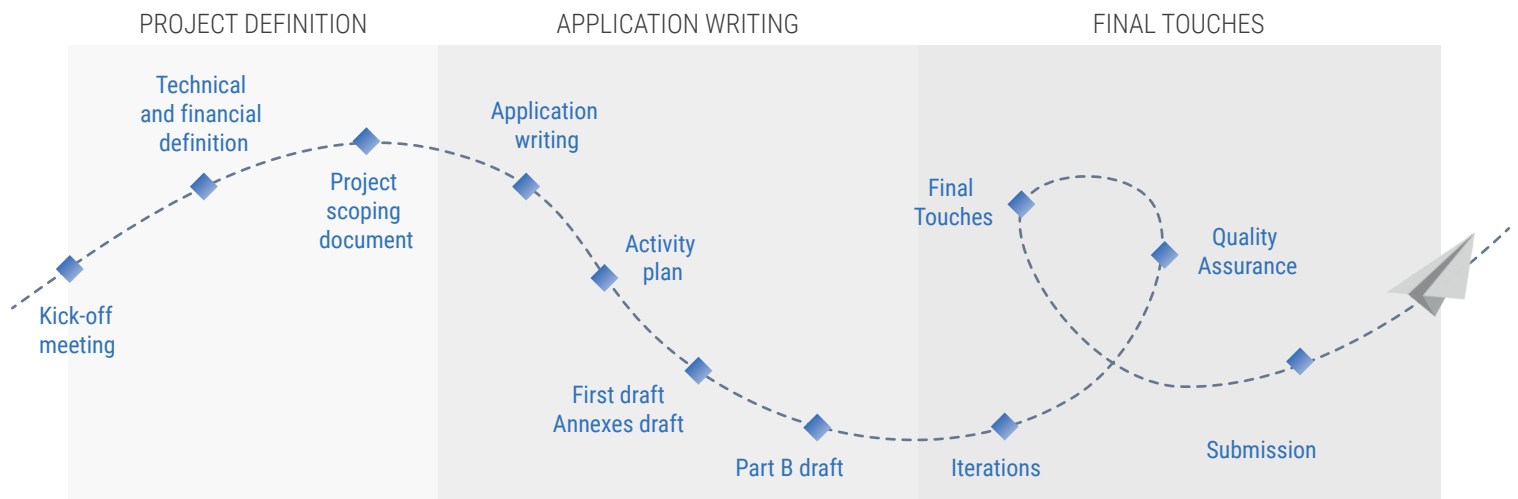
*Where applicable



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Nordic Innovators takes the lead in the preparation and submission of a high-quality online application and preparing technical and financial project documentation (Part B, Detailed Budget Table, Timetable/Gantt Chart, Business Plan, and support Annexes). Our collaborative approach ensures timely delivery of a strong CEF application.



In addition, we also provide hour-based services to support you on specific tasks like e.g. market research, drafting of whole financial model and/or refining key metrics, documents review and quality control.