

Lokal Economic Development Office

Activities local economic development office in 2017;

1. Work on the preparation and implementation of the project local Economic development City of Pirot.
2. Organization, implementation and control of public work at the local level,
3. Contact with potential investors,
4. Promoting activities (presentation, drafting of a new promo material),
5. Monitoring of public enterprises, or the adoption and implementation of "Program operations", salaries, reporting, changes in prices on that approved by the local government as the founder,
6. Updated base for the purpose of local economic development office (base location, base companies, base of economic indicators),
7. Creation of local employment action plan for 2018. prepared texts competition for employment programs,
8. Expert support to the sector SME in applied for credit and other grants in state institutions funds and non-governmental organizations.
9. Realization of the program of professional training of the unemployed - professional practice, subsidies for self-employment, and subsidies for the unemployed category weight employment

1. Local economic development office in 2016. applied to 12 projects under the First call Interreg CBC Programme Bulgaria - Serbia of which were approved five projects. The total value of the approved project under the new call is 1.126.447 EUR.

- Konzervation, revitalization and Exhibition of early cristian basilica and medievel fortress in cross border region. (realization in progress)
- Prevention of the demographic collapse in the cross -border region. (realization in progress)
- Joint cross-border initiatives for creation of eco frendly region. (realization in progress)
- Recreative and sports sites as tourist potential of the region. (realization in progress)
- Virtual Enterprises (realization in progress)

2. Lokal economic development office during 2017. open competition for organization of public work at the local level. The competition has been granted a total of 16 projects worth about 4.468.780,26 dinars. To them it was staffed by 42 persons from the national employment service. Complete inspection and supervision of public works was carried out by the local economic development office and all projects have been successfully implemented.

3. During the year contacts have been made with a number of investors from different areas of the textile industry. It was made a site visit in order to intraduce potential investors with brownfield and greenfield locations. After the visit of investors established the standar procedure correspondence upon request of investors.

4. Local economic development office every year updated and printed promotional material plays an important role in informing potential investors about our municipality. It's activities and the results achieved through the various presentations numerous conferences. All the informations

about activities delivered public a municipality website, local economic development office website, electronic and printed media. Local economic development office provides logistical help for participation in fairs and exhibitions, which comprises in the provision of information on the timing of fairs event, help and advice about the preparations promotional material and introduce with examples of good practice. During the year are continually working and the processing of data about Municipality of Pirot in different segments in order to present municipality and competition for available donor funds.

5. When making "Business program" for 2017, public enterprises were obliged to adhere to instructions about making and monitoring the implementation of the annual program local public enterprises according to instructions from the Ministry of Economy Republic of Serbia. Municipality of Pirot in addition to giving consent to the payment of wages during the year had an obligation first delivery of the adopted "Programs of operations of public enterprises" and then submitting the form of price trends, products and services to which the consent of a founder, the prescribed monthly (form 1 and 2) and quarterly reports (form 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14) the competent Ministry, and the submission of statements and supporting documents as proof of payment of budget Republic of Serbia under the law on temporary base for the calculation and payment of salaries and other fixed income in public funds.
6. Local economic development office has a base greenfield and brownfield location, which is updated annually and serves potential investors to locate a suitable site for business. Also, based on many years of cooperation with Agency for business, local economic development office updated its base of companies and entrepreneurs performs analysis and monitors their operations. Regularly updated base with basic economic indicators such as; average income in the municipality, regional gross domestic product, state employment and unemployment in municipality, labor market situation and proposes concrete measures in order to overcome certain problems.
7. Local economic development office make local action plan employment Municipality of Pirot. Action plan for 2018 analyzed economic situation at the local level with a view to proposing concrete measures employment and moves towards the most vulnerable groups of unemployed. Local Employment Action Plan for 2018 predicts 17 million dinars for employment for next programs: public works (4,96 million dinars), professional practice (7,34 million dinars), program self-employment (3,2 million dinars) and program new employment less employable persons (1,5 million dinars). Local economic development office participated in the preparation of texts competition mentioned programs will be published.
8. During 2017. Local economic development office had provided technical assistance interested client which are credit funds fund for development, provides support in realization and presentation programs National Agency for Regional Development, organized training for program "Start for business" and assist in applying in other foundations. Support refers to help develop business plan, completing application forms, provides necessary documentation
9. In 2017 the City of Pirot in cooperation with the National Employment

Service implemented the following employment programs, as follows: 1. The program of professional training of the unemployed - professional practice in which there were 30 persons employed in the year. The value of the program of professional practice was 7,34 million, 2. program granting subsidies for self-employment that were in the amount of 3.2 million dinars, and to which employs 20 people, 3. program granting subsidies to employers to secure employment of unemployed persons from hard categories of employees who are hired to 10 faces, a value of the program was 16,540 million dinars, and 4 public works program the total value of 4,5 million dinars in which 16 projects were approved and employed 42 persons from the National Employment Service.