HOW TO MANAGE THE U-TURN?

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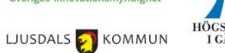
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NATIONELLT KUNSKAPSCENTRUM FÖR LOKAL DELAKTIGHET

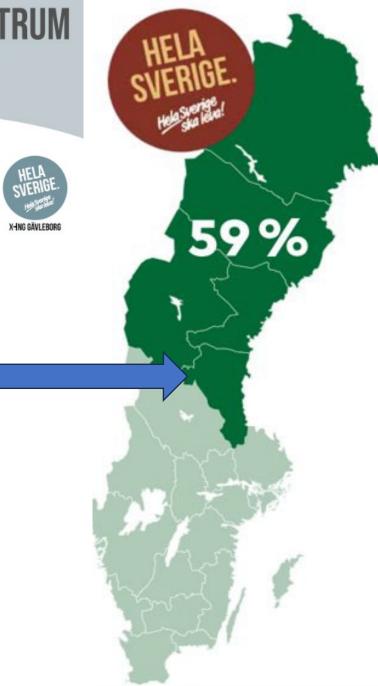










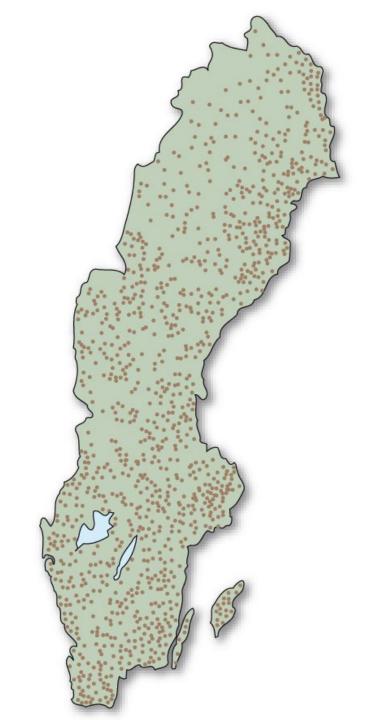




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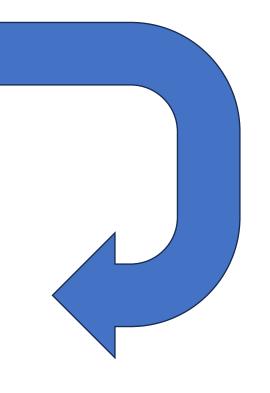
Rural Sweden is a national non-profit organization whose membership consists of thousands of local development groups.

Members are community groups and village councils as well as some local heritage associations and even sports clubs who are dedicated to local development.



CAN WE MAKE THE U- TURN?

Create new jobs
Attract people from other regions
Improve regional attractiveness



Shrinking and ageing
Economic decline
Reduced access to services
Loss of attractiveness

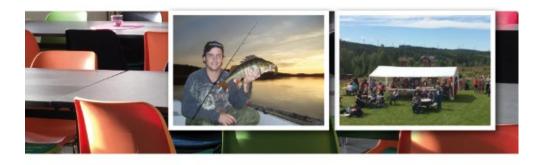
- -6 villages in Lungsjöbygden in the municipality of Sollefteå, Västernorrland.
- -Growing: from 60 to 80 people.
- -149 windmills.
- -One local organisation, one former schoolbuilding as meetingpoint.
- -Working together to maximise local benefits from windpower during build and after.
- -Helping others by brochure and Youtube.



Lungsjön ligger i Sollefteå kommun vid gränsen av Västernorrland och Jämtland län.

I byarna runt Lungsjön bor det ett 90-tal personer. Här finns många möjligheter till friluftsliv med bland annat beredda elljusspår för längdskidåkning, fina fiskevatten och stora jaktmarker.

Ed. skolan är bygdens samlingspunkt där det äret runt arrangeras allt från konferenser, kulturaktiviteter och låger inom idrott.



NORRLANDSFÖRBUNDET IS REUSING AN OLD CAMPAIN.

"We're not moving!" is now "We're moving in!"



GOOD **PRACTICES** HANDBOOK nterreg SARURE Interreg Europe

SARURE good practices handbook.pdf (helasverige.se)

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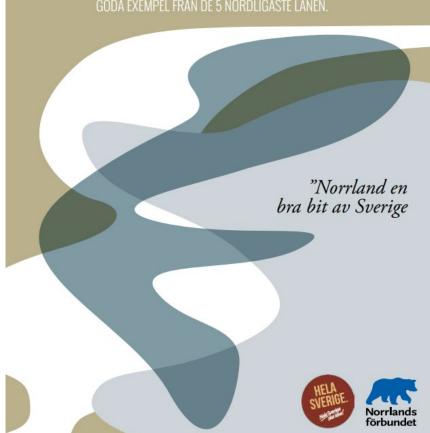
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LANDSBYGDS-UTVECKLING IRL NORR.

GODA EXEMPEL FRÅN DE 5 NORDLIGASTE LÄNEN.



VÄSTERBOTTEN

UTMÄRKELSE TILL "GALEN IDÉ" I STÖCKE.

Stöckebygdens utveckling prisades för att ha skapat Mötesplats Stöcke som blev till en social innovation.

Länsavdelningen för Hela Sverige ska leva

Västerbotten delade för första gången 2021 ut utmärkelsen "Årets lokala utvecklingsgrupp i Västerbottens län". Vinnare blev Stöckebygdens utveckling som skapat Mötesplats Stöcke, en "galen idé" som blev till en social innovation.

Det finns många lokala utvecklingsgrupper i Västerbotten som håller sina orter levande, som bygger gemenskap och sammanhållning och ser till att det finns service och arbetsmöjligheter. En av dessa är Stöckebygdens utveckling.

Allt började 2015 med två mammor som ville bygga en idrottshall till barnen i Stöcke. Men varför nöja sig med en idrottshall när bygden också saknade en mötesplats? Ambitionerna växte och 2017 bildades den ekonomiska föreningen Stöckebygdens utveckling. De har



Några av eldsjälarna bakom Mötesplats Stöcke och Alf Söderlund, Hela Sverige ska leva Västerbotten. Från vänster Erik Bäckström, Linn Alexandersson, Lars-Olov Hansson, Katrin Jonsson, Alf Söderlund, Maria Bergstén, och Anders Lundström..

framtidstro spontant uppstår, skapas och utvecklas, berättar Maria Bergstén, ordförande i Stöckebygdens utveckling.

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RURAL VOLOUNTEERS AND URBAN CASH?

SOCIETY'S LADDER OF NEEDS.

We have developed a model that described society's ladder of needs. It describes what society needs at a minimum to work and exist.

MASLOW'S LADDER OF NEEDS. SOCIETY'S LADDER OF NEEDS. SELF-ACTUALIZATION. SELF-ACTUALIZATION. Innovation, growth, creativity, Be everything you can be. entrepreneurship. ESTEEM. ESTEEM. Power to influence, local impact, recognition, Power, recognition. balance between the countryside and city. BELONGING. BELONGING. Meeting places, cultural and leisure activities, Love, attention. popular adult education. SAFETY/SERVICE. SAFETY. Services, education, police, employment, Security, stability. postal service, healthcare. PHYSIOLOGICAL. INFRASTRUCTURE. Basic needs: Roads, energy, digital infrastructure, telephony, housing, water, air, food, clothing, housing. finance, communication, transportation.



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Thank you for listening!

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A FAIR DISKUSSION OF PROS AND CONS AND WHY



Benefits of a green indust

- Deliver on climate goals
- Improve competitiveness
- Reduce costs and improve resilience
- Increase productivity
- Create jobs
- Attract/fix population to some areas
- Improve health and wellbeing

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HOW IS THE LOCAL COMMUNITY AFFECTED BY ENERGY PROJECTS?

Possibly good

- Produces energy we all need
- Less climat changing fossil fuels
- Refunds to the locals
- Generates work during construction
- Generates work during production
- The community is now contributing
- The area can be restored
- Survival of the community
- For the sake of the children- do!

Possibly bad

- Classified as environmentally hazardous
- Disturbing noise and alterd view
- Affecting nature, wildlife, livehood
- The establishment will last for long time
- A ground for conflicts among locals
- Lack of local participation and power
- No or small amount of refund and jobs
- It's someone elses needs and profits
- For the sake of the children- don't!

