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# SRDP Delivery

## 8 different funding mechanisms:

- LFASS
- Leader
- RDC – LMOs
- **RDC – RPs**
- Processing & Marketing
- Crofting Counties Grant Schemes
- Forestry Challenge Fund (WIAT & Forests for People)
- Training Scheme

# Rural Priorities: Potential Options

- Community Services and Facilities
- Micro-enterprises
- Renewable energy
- Information and awareness raising
- Access management
- Skills development
- Collaborative Local Development Strategies

# Community Services and Facilities

**Leisure, recreation, sporting, catering and other rural services and facilities eg:**

- build or renovate community facility
- internet café
- sports facilities/equipment
- catering facilities
- feasibility studies

**NB not running or maintenance costs**

# Applying for Rural Priorities

- Are you part of a formally constituted group?
- Get registered
- Start with what outcome you can deliver
- Select the relevant Regional Priority and chosen option(s)
- Talk to your Case Officer

# RP Application Process

- Two stage application process
  - Statement of Intent
  - full Proposal
- Feedback on Sol from Case Officer on fit with priorities and available budget
- Application on-line (support available)
- Guidance available on the website

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