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Cooperation offer « Starry sky » July 2018 – Parc naturel régional de Chartreuse

Description of the project :

- *Initial position and local context of the project :*

The Parc naturel régional de Chartreuse is involved in a TEPos approach, "Territory with positive energy". This long-term strategy aims to achieve energy balance by 2050, by reducing energy consumption and increasing production of energy from renewable sources.

In this context, the management of public lighting and the reduction of light pollution are transversal subjects, involving different issues : protection of night biodiversity, reduction of energy consumption and municipal budgets, enhancement of the night sky as a synonym of well-being and connection with nature. Several municipalities of the Parc de Chartreuse already practice night extinction, total or partial, and have implemented it in different ways : co-construction of the project with the inhabitants, by hamlet councils for example, or proposition of test by the municipality itself. Population and elected representatives returns are all very positive, and more and more municipalities are interested in this subject.

- *Proposed objectives and activities*

2 objectives :

- Sensitise as many municipalities as possible on these issues, help them to implement night extinction, and become a territory with a "starry sky"
- Lead a discussion about how to valorize these approaches

Locally, the Parc naturel régional de Chartreuse will lead the cooperation project, administratively and technically, with the support of the association "Les Amis du Parc" and the implication of the communes willing to work on the subject (populations, elected representatives, associations). It is about forming a working group that will be involved in the reflection and the decisions during the project.

Activities envisaged with the partners :

- Work on the spread of good practices : exchanges and transfers of practices between different partners, feedback, reflection on new actions to be carried out
- Work on how to help municipalities willing to implement night extinction
- Work on the valorization of these approaches on a territorial scale

<p>Type of partner Natural park, communities with a LEADER program</p>	<p>Contact LAG Parc naturel régional de Chartreuse Place de la mairie 38380 St Pierre de Chartreuse 04 76 88 75 20 http://www.parc-chartreuse.net/</p> <p>LAG manager : Amélie DELERCE – amelie.delerce@parc-chartreuse.net Thematic representative : Sophie ROY – sophie.roy@parc-chartreuse.net</p>	<p>Languages spoken French English Spanish</p>
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