Mandate for the regional working group on communications (RWGC)

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- Strengthen transport-planning cooperation in the Barents Region seeking sustainable solutions in a holistic perspective.
- Increase the common understanding of transport problems in the region
- Help decision makers, planners, authorities and companies to see the region as a single transport area
- Support sustainable development and growth in the region by promoting to development of well-functioning transportation infrastructure, both in the North-South and the East-West direction consisting of railroads, roads and air traffic
- Working out a regional reflection on Barents Transport Strategy. The Barents Transport strategy should seek to summarize and coordinate all the national and regional initiatives and thus serve as a guideline for development of a sustainable and well-functional multimodal transport infrastructure in the region
- Seek to be actively involved in the work on the national level (BEATA), the European level such as the TEN-T, and the Northern Dimension partnership for transport and logistics.