

**REGIONAL AND LOCAL
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
PROGRAMS**

Kativik Regional Government



DEPARTMENT MANDATE



Public consultation and Advice on development:

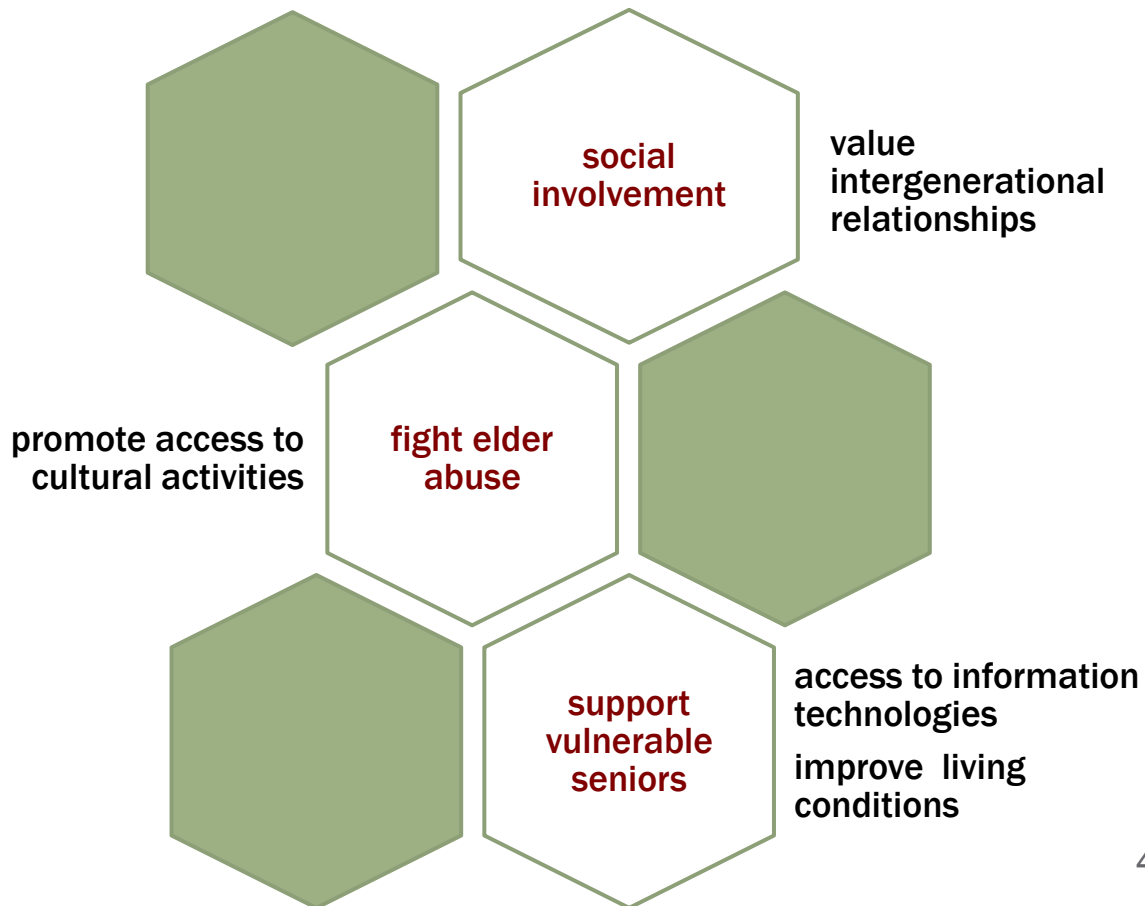
- Until 2003: the role of the Kativik Regional Development Council (KRDC) (JBNQA)
- 2004 Sivunirmut Agreement : KRG assumes greater autonomy in the establishment of its priorities, its mandates and the allocation of its funds
- Spring of 2015: Bill 28, recognizes the KRG as the primary interlocutor of the Government for the territory or community it represents as regards regional development
- Qarjuit Youth Council replaces Saputiit Youth Association



Elders

Regional Adaptation to Enhance Seniors' Living Agreement

Wide-range of projects
(except infrastructure projects)



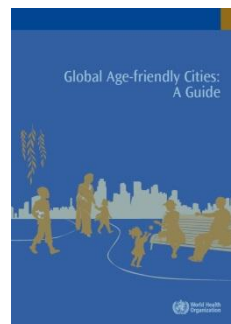
Municipality Friend of Elders (MFE/MADA)

● Elders' have the leading role in the MADA process in each community

● An Age Friendly Municipality, means that as a community, you are committed to provide a supportive environment for the elders, in a way that will better their quality of life on a daily basis

● A local process will ensure that a local committee will write-up a multi-year plan to include projects responding to elders' expectation to improve their living conditions

● Nunavimmiut are encouraged to learn and explore concrete ways on how to better work with the elders in areas that have a direct impact on their lives, such as health, housing and transportation to name only a few



Culture

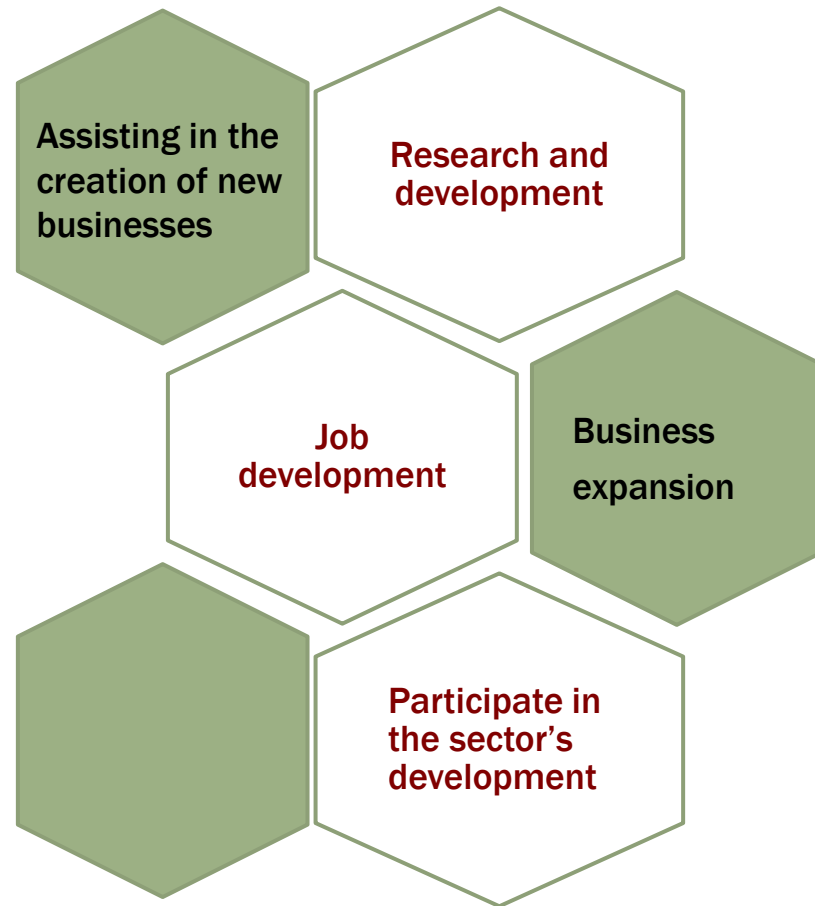
- Agreement for the improvement of the conditions of artists and writers (Avataq - MCCCCF-CALQ-KRG)
 - Through Avataq, provides funding to Nunavik artists and writers in many disciplines through competitions. Average prize between \$3,000 to \$5,000
 - Annual funding to increase economic benefits to artists through marketing and competitive products



Women

- Agreement on Equality between women and men
 - Through Saturviit Inuit Women Association, projects and events related to equality issues and to enhance the participation of women in political representations are funded

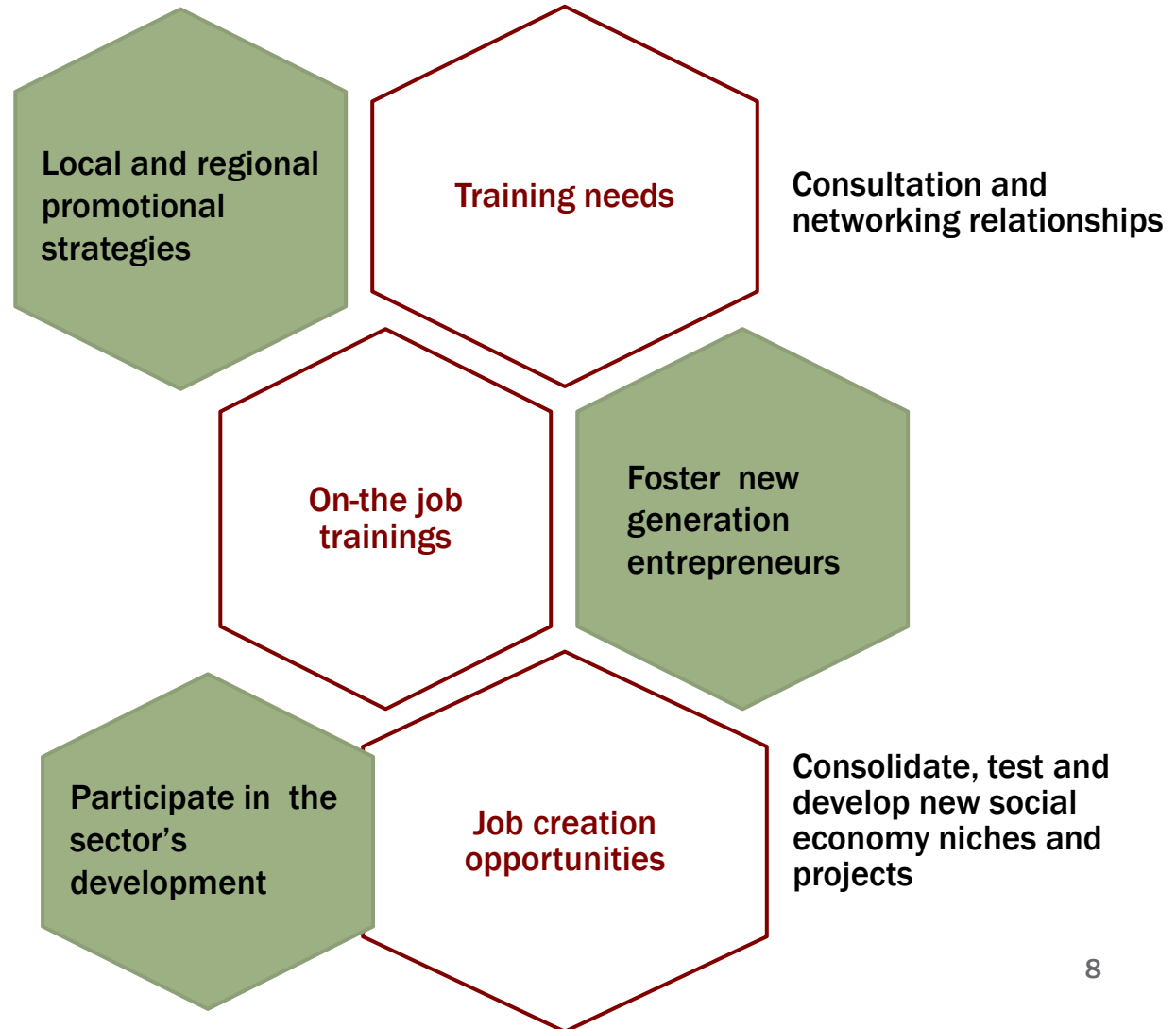
Agro Food Development



DEPARTMENT SUPPORT: REGIONAL SECTORS



Social Economy



Nunavik Family Houses Projects



Provide a safe and friendly space for community activities geared towards bringing the family closer, i.e. community kitchen, parenting workshops, etc



Support to families and their children

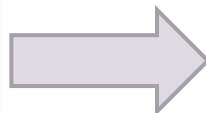


Counselling regarding parenting roles with participation of the community resources especially the elders

- Funding is available for infrastructure renovation through KRG Sanarrutik funding for equipment and working capital, through consolidated Makigiarutiit Fund I&II and through Makigiarutiit III when the applicant qualifies as a social economy enterprise

Inuit Business Development Fund (IBDF)

- Research & Development
- Establishment of businesses
- Economic development projects



(varies according to availability of the yearly funds)

Important Factors: limited funding to participate in projects and economic development activities

Business Equity Fund

Complement promoter's equity to assist in undertaking business projects by leveraging KRG/KLDC and other funding/financing programs

Direct Contributions

Consolidated Makigiarutiit I and II Fund

- Improve economic environment in the community/region
- Serves business and social economy enterprises, as well as specific economic sectors and community projects
- Made-in-Nunavik policy

Maximum: \$150,000 in:

- loans, contributions and/or investments in preferred shares (maximum 15 years)
- maximum contribution amounts for projects promoted by women and youth is 50% of eligible costs

Important Factors

- Promoter to invest 10%* of project total
- Loans requires loan security
- Interest rate: 4.5%

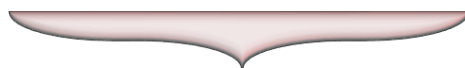
*Economic sectors requiring support, and local employment and development projects, are exempt from equity requirement

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Makigiarutiit Fund

- Establish the conditions promoting the emergence of economic development (including expansion of businesses assistance)
- Create and/or develop businesses and/or consolidate jobs
- Foster entrepreneurship among women and young people



Maximum participation of \$1,000,000

- Loans
- Contributions
- Investment in preferred shares to be redeemed within a maximum period of 15 years

Important Factors

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- Loans requires loan security offered by promoter
Interest rate 4.5%



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KLDC support measures: included in KRG RLDD Programs

Entrepreneurship Support Measure Fund

- Technical assistance to support entrepreneurs
 - Feasibility studies
 - Market surveys
 - Product Development



Support Measures for Emerging Enterprises Fund

- Technical assistance and support next generation entrepreneurs
 - Business startup
 - Monitoring and coaching



Socio-economic firms

- Funding for non profit community firms providing community service

KLDC was dissolved upon adoption of Bill 28. Its mandate is assumed by the KRG – RLD Department