

Visit of the Danish Ambassador to Russia and representatives of the Russian-Danish local self-government development project to Vologda Region, March 11-12, 2009

Visit participants

Denmark

Per Carlsen, Danish Ambassador to Russia

The project

Peter Korsby, Project Team Leader

Henrik Johansen, Project Director

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Henrik Nielsen, Municipality of Bornholm

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Government of Vologda Region

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Olga Akimova, Consultant, Department of International and Inter-regional Relations, Government of Vologda Region

March 11

5.20 – 10.00 Arrival, check-in at the hotel, free time, breakfast, short tour to the Vologda Kremlin

10.30 – 11.30 Working meeting with the Governor of Vologda Region

11.30 – 13.30 Depart to Kirillov, check-in at the hotel

14.00 – 15.00 Meeting with the Head of Kirillov District, lunch

15.00 – 20.00 Sightseeing tour of Kirillov District

March 12

11.30 – 14.00 Conference “Kirillov District Development Strategy: Experience, Challenges and Prospects”

14.00 – 15.00 Lunch

15.00 – 17.30 The conference continues

18.00 Gala dinner in honour of the conference guests and participants

19.30 Depart of the Danish Ambassador to the station of Cherepovets

Kirillov District Development Strategy: Experience, Challenges and Prospects Conference Agenda

- 11.30 – 12.00** **Welcome and introduction**
S. Usov, Head of Kirillov District
Nikolay Vinogradov, First Deputy Governor of Vologda Region
Per Carlsen, Danish Ambassador to Russia
Peter Korsby, Project Team Leader
Alexander Kulikov, Project Expert
- 12.00 – 12.30** **Vologda Region development strategy. Role of Kirillov District in the regional development strategy**
Representatives of the Government of Vologda Region
- 12.30 – 13.00** **Presentation of a strategic development plan for Kirillov District**
S. Usov, Head of Kirillov District
- 13.00 – 14.00** **Objectives and key projects of the strategic development plan**
Managers of working groups focused on key development objectives of Kirillov District
- 14.00 – 15.00** **Lunch**
- 15.00 – 15.30** **Development, Jobs and Growth – Bornholm**
Henrik Nielsen, Municipality of Bornholm
- 15.30 – 16.00** **Pre-requisites and mechanisms of implementation of the strategic development plan**
Alexander Kulikov, Project Expert
- 16.00 – 16.30** **Intermunicipal co-operation framework and mechanism for dissemination of information**
A. Yulin, Deputy Head of Kirillov District Administration
A. Ivanov, Assistant Head of Kirillov District Administration
- 16.30 – 17.30** **Discussion and questions**
- 17.30** **Closing remarks**