

Role of Orkney Fisheries Local Actions Group (FLAG)

The Orkney FLAG is funded through the Community-Led Local Development programme of the EMFF (the scheme).

Its function is to manage a funding budget within Orkney, by promoting the scheme, and selecting projects that best meet the needs of the Local Development strategy (LDS).

The FLAG will assess project applications and then make recommendations to Marine Scotland. Marine Scotland will then be responsible for making the final decision on whether to approve a project application.

The LEADER team, on behalf of the FLAG, will be the first point of contact for applicants throughout the life of the project.