



**VISIT TO HELGELAND REGIONRÅD
JUNE 15-19, 2010**

Tuesday, JUNE 15		Host: Ms. Ingunn Laumann
06.30	Departure from Vilnius to Sandnessjøen Vilnius – Copenhagen 06.30-07.05 Copenhagen – Trondheim 09.15-11.05 Trondheim – Sandnessjøen 13.17-14.10 Arrival at Sandnessjøen Airport	Vilnius Airport – Sandnessjøen Airport
14.10	Arrival to Sandnessjøen Airport http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sandnessjøen_Airport,_Stokka Bus to Rica Hotel, Sandnessjøen	Bus
14.30	Rica Hotel, Sandnessjøen check-in and time to relax.	Rica Hotel
16.00	Walk down to Helgeland Intermunicipal Council office accompanied by Ms. Ingunn Laumann, Mayor of Dønna municipality	Rica Hotel
16.10	Welcome to Helgeland by Ms. Ingunn Laumann, Mayor of Dønna municipality Briefing on Helgeland Intermunicipal Council by Regional manager Ms. Sissel Hesjedal http://www.hel.no/	Helgeland Intermunicipal Council office
18.15	Walking back to the hotel	
19.15	Walking to Lille torget accompanied by Ms Sissel Hesjedal	Rica Hotel
19.30	Dinner at Lille torget	
22.00	Walking back to the hotel	Lille torget

Wednesday, JUNE 16		Host: Mr. Stig Gøran Olsen
07.00-09.00	Breakfast	Rica Hotel
09.00	Departure from Rica Hotel.	Bus
09.15	Welcome by Mr. Stig Sørra, Mayor of Alstahaug municipality. Introduction to the municipality and information about cooperative arrangements in municipalities. Briefing on political collaboration in Helgeland Intermunicipal Council and on Helgeland Oil and Gas Committee by Mr Stig Sørra. http://www.alstahaug.kommune.no/	Alstahaug Town Hall
10.30 – 11.30	Regional Cooperation in Education and Competence Building by RKK-leader, Ms. Monica Meisfjordskar	
11.30 – 12.00	Briefing on Helgeland Veiutvikling (Road-project) by Senior Advisor Bjørn Helge Hansen.	
12.00 – 13.00	Lunch in the Town Hall Cafeteria.	Town Hall
13.00 – 14.00	Briefing on HALD IKS, an intermunicipality cooperation to promote and develop trade and business by Managing Director Mr. Tor Henning Jørgensen.	Alstahaug Town Hall
14.10	Departure from Alstahaug Town Hall to HIAS	Bus
14.30 15.30	Briefing on HIAS by Mr. Stig Toven. HIAS is a sheltered workshop for vocational rehabilitation in the Helgeland region.	HIAS
15.30 – 18.00	Bus back to the hotel – leisure time	
18.00	Departure to Tjøtta Gjestegård by bus. Dinner	Tjøtta Gjestegård
21.30	Return by bus to the hotel.	

Thursday, JUNE 17		Host: Mr. Tor Henning Jørgensen
07.00	Breakfast	Rica Hotel
07.50	Departure by bus from Rica Hotel, Sandnessjøen to Herøy, one of the many islands in the region. http://www.helgelandskysten.com/frameset2.htm	Bus and ferry
09.00 – 09.15	Welcome to Herøy. Mr. Roy Skogsholm, Director of Administration in the municipality of Herøy.	The Town Hall in Herøy
09.15- 10.00	Intermunicipality cooperation in public road development. Mr. Roy Skogsholm, Director of Administration in the municipality of Herøy.	
10.15- 11.30	Herøy Development Park. Mr. Arnt Frode Jensen, Mayor of the municipality of Herøy.	The Town Hall in Herøy/The Herøy Development Park
11.30 – 12.30	Bus to Seløy Kystferie (Seløy Coastal Holiday) where lunch is served. http://www.dintur.no/parentproductinfo.aspx?ProductID=Sel%u00f8y&ParentProductID=Sel%u00f8y or: http://www.seloykystferie.no/?side=24	Seløy Kystferie
12.30 – 13.15	Bus trip to the island of Dønna. http://www.helgelandskysten.com/frameset2.htm	Bus
13.15 – 14.00	Visit to Helgeland Havbrukstasjon AS at Dønna, the largest private owned Institute of Fisheries and Aquaculture Research.	Dønna, Helgeland Havbrukstasjon AS
14.15 – 15.00	Water supply – public service, case Dønna. Mr. Dagfinn Næss Andreassen, Chief Engineer the municipality of Dønna	The Town Hall in Dønna
15:00- 15:45	Organization and structure in a Norwegian municipality, case Dønna. Mr. Pål Bleka, Vice Director of Administration in the municipality of Dønna.	
16.00 – 17.00	Guided trip on the island.	Bus
17.10	Ferry back to the Sandnessjøen.	
18.30	Dinner at Rica Hotel, Sandnessjøen.	Rica Hotel

Friday, JUNE 18		Host: Mr. Tom Pettersen
06.15	Check out. There will be a breakfast package waiting for you in the reception to bring with you on the boat.	Rica Hotel
06.45	Departure from Sandnessjøen harbour to Bodø.	
11.50	Arrival at Bodø. Tom Pettersen (KS Nordland, mob. +47 99 51 87 48) will meet you at the harbour. He will follow you to the hotel where you leave your luggage, and then walk the short distance to the County Hall.	
12.20 - 13.00	Lunch	Nordland County Administration
13.00 - 15.00	Meeting at Nordland County.	Nordland County
15.30	Check in at Radisson Blue Hotel. http://www.radissonblu.com/hotel-bodo	Radisson Blue Hotel
18.00	Trip to Saltstraumen http://www.destinasjon-saltstraumen.com/wips/1440814249/	Saltstraumen
19.30	Dinner at Saltstraumen – „Kafe Kjelen” http://www.destinasjon-saltstraumen.com/wips/1972810702/	Saltstraumen
22.00	Leaving to the hotel	

Saturday, JUNE 19		Host: Mr. Tom Pettersen
09.00-11.00	Breakfast/check-out/free time	
11.15	Taxi to Bodø Airport	
12.35	Departure from Bodø Airport to Vilnius Bodø – Oslo 12.35 - 14.05 Oslo – Vilnius 19.55 - 22.45	Bodø Airport – Vilnius Airport
22.10	Arrival at Vilnius Airport	Vilnius