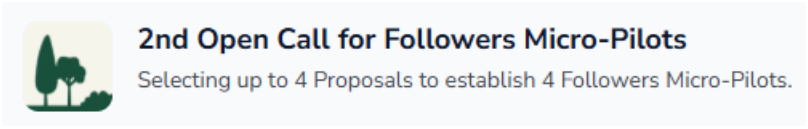
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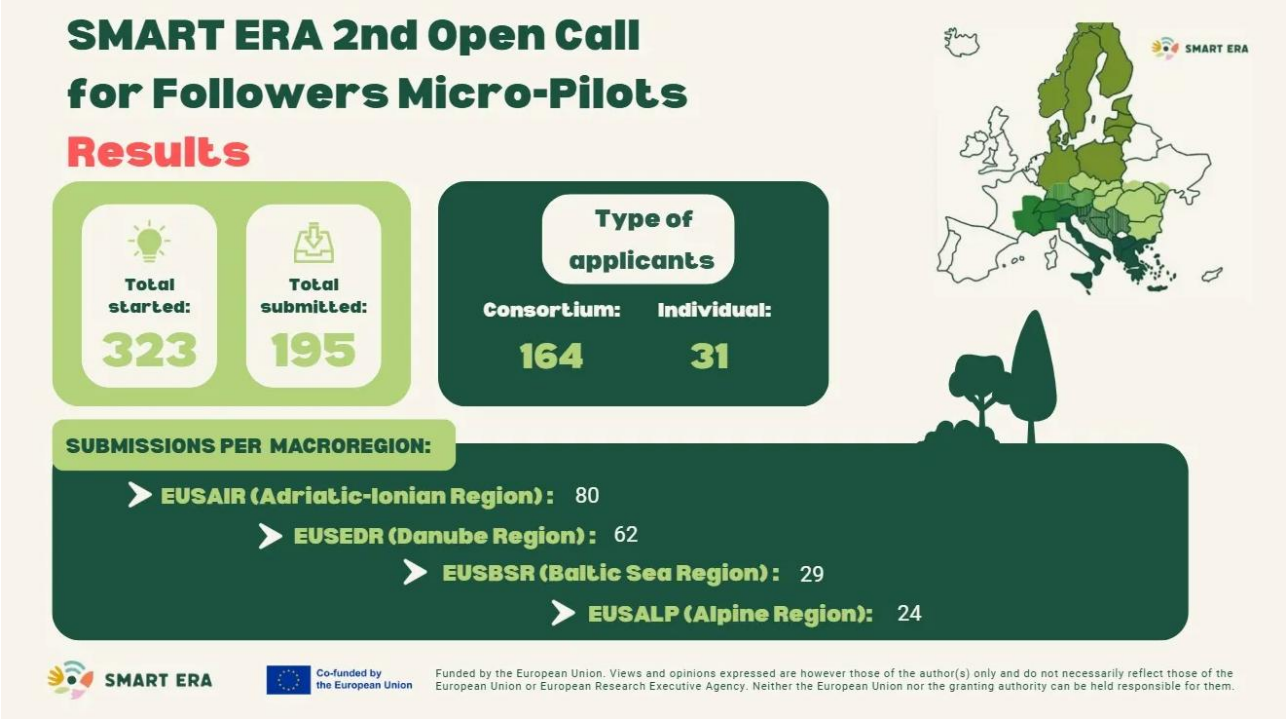
Project acronym: **SMART ERA**
Project grant agreement number: **101084160**
Project full name: **SMART community-led transition for Europe's Rural Areas**

SMART ERA 2nd Open Call for Followers Micro-Pilots

The Open Call was opened on the 12th June 2026.
It was closed on 15th September 2026 at 13:00 CEST.

The call was published at the SMART ERA Website (https://smartera-project.eu/) and on the Horizon Europe Participants Portal.

Full call details were published at: https://opportunities.getonepass.eu/applications/smart-era/start



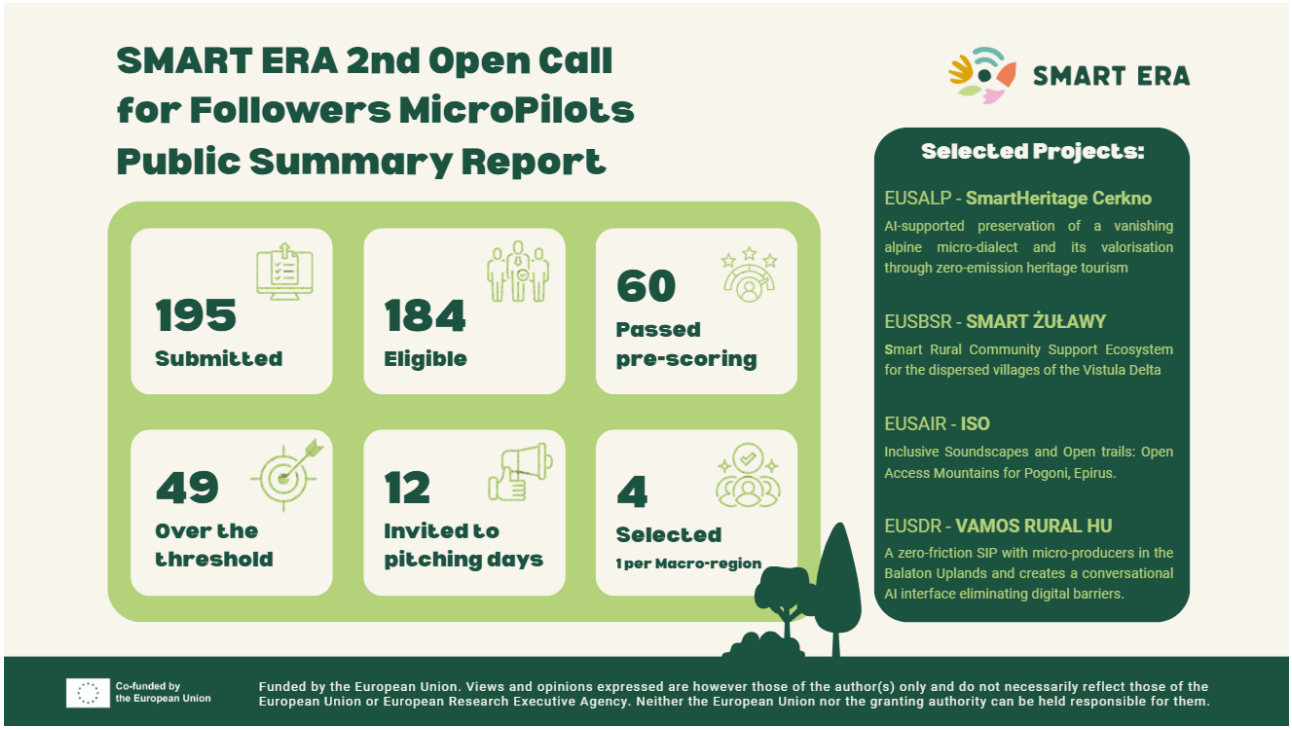
Number of proposals received and selected for financial support

The evaluation and selection have been completed.

All applicants have been informed about the evaluation results for their proposal for financial support.

The submitted proposals passed through various stages:

- **195** submitted
- **184** eligible
- **60** passed pre-scoring threshold and moved to expert evaluation phase
- **49** scored above threshold in the expert evaluation
- **12** top-scored (top 3 per Macro-region) projects were invited to Pitching Days
- **4** projects were pre-selected for funding (1 per Macro-region)



Proposals selected

Beneficiary	MACRO-REGION	Community Activator	Pilot Orchestrator	PROJECT ACRONYM	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT AWARDED
SMART_2OC_01	EUSALP	ZAVOD ZA TURIZEM CERKNO - ZT Cerkno	ALPDEV, programski razvoj, d.o.o.	SmartHeritage Cerkno	AI-supported preservation of a vanishing alpine micro-dialect and its valorisation through zero-emission heritage tourism	90,000.00€
SMART_2OC_02	EUSBSR	Fundacja NOVA	Inzynieria Dobrych Serc	SMART ŻUŁAWY	Smart Rural Community Support Ecosystem for the dispersed villages of the Vistula Delta	90,000.00€
SMART_2OC_03	EUSAIR	KOIN.S.EP. Syllogikis kai Koinonikis Ofeleias Open Mountain	SYNETAIRISMOS ERGAZOMENON SOCIALITY	ISO	Inclusive Soundscapes and Open trails: Open Access Mountains for Pogoni, Epirus	90,000.00€
SMART_2OC_04	EUSDR	RURAL Szociológiai és Kommunikációs Betéti Társaság	Vamos Rural Marketing SL	VAMOS RURAL HU	Vamos Rural — Menjünk Vidékre! designs a zero-friction SIP with micro-producers in the Balaton Uplands and creates a conversational AI interface eliminating digital barriers.	90,000.00€