





Area 4 502 km<sup>2</sup>

Number of Districts 9

Number of Towns 18

**Number of Municipalities 258** 

Population (2016) 5

of which:

in pre-productive age (0-14) 78 778

in productive age (15-64) 415 169

in post-productive age (65+) 95 429



**Decrease of Population 2007-2016** 

-10 703 persons

of which net migration

- 2 631 persons



#### **CORE COMPETENCES**

- Transport
- Social Care
- Secondary Education
- Culture
- Health Care
- Regional Development
- Tourism









#### **TRANSPORT**

- management of 1,563 kilometers of roads
- public transport

#### **EDUCATION**

- Focused on Vocational education and training
- Leader in Dual Learning





"... aby každý absolvení

našiel uplatnenie.

#### **GREEN REGION**

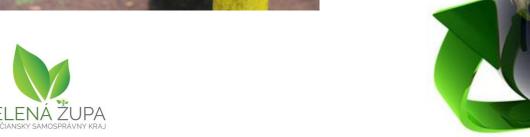
Reduce ecological footprint of the Region Electromobility, cycling and touristic trails





Energy-efficient buildings
Subsidy Program "Green Eyes"







#### **Major Employers in the Region**

- Hornonitrianske bane Prievidza (Slovakia)
- Continental Matador (Slovakia)
- Hella Slovakia (Germany)
- LEONI Slovakia (Germany)
- YURA Corporation Slovakia (Korea)
- Vertiv Slovakia (Int.)
- RIALTO (Italy)
- Gabor (Germany)
- GeWiS Slovakia (Germany)
- RONA (Slovakia)











#### WHAT WE WANT TO ACHIEVE

- Safe and environmentally friendly transport
- Quality education for the labor market
- Quality and innovative healthcare and social services

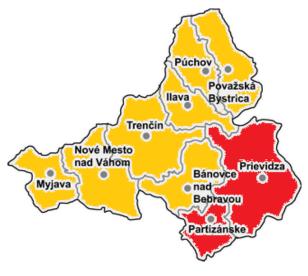




## **UPPER NITRA**

Districts Prievidza Partizánske

Number of Towns 5 Number of Municipalities 70



share of the region:

Area	1 261 km2	<b>28%</b>
Population (2016)	<b>181 655 persons</b>	30,82%

of which: aged 0-14 23 156 aged 15-64 years 127 821

aged 65 and more 30 638

Decrease of Population 2007-2016 - 4 576 persons 42,75% of which net migration - 1 738 persons 66,06%





#### **UPPER NITRA**

Rate of Registered Unemployment (2017)

Prievidza District 5,14 %

Partizánske District 3,60%

Number of Job Seekers 5 378

Of which:

Long-term unemployed (12 months +) 1 736 32,28%

Unemployed graduates 295 5,49 %

of which more than half are in the social sciences

**Labor Market Requirements:** secondary vocational education, skilled workers and craftsmen









#### THE MOST IMPORTANT ENTERPRISES IN THE UPPER NITRA

- Hornonitrianske bane Prievidza JSC
- Fortischem JSC, Nováky
- · SaarGummi Slovakia LTD. Dolné Vestenice,
- ContiTech Vibration Control Slovakia LTD., Dolné Vestenice
- Slovaktual LTD. Pravenec
- Vegum JSC. Dolné Vestenice
- GeWis Slovakia, LTD., Prievidza
- Rialto LTD., Partizánske
- Brose Prievidza LTD.







#### MAIN OBJECTIVES OF TRANSITION:

- Transformation of the region
- Environmental challenges
- Strategic planning
- Support for project implementation











#### **NEXT STEP:**

# ACTION PLAN FOR TRANSFORMATION "TAILORED" TO THE REGION

Identification of specific areas for Upper Nitra









## **TRANSPORT**

Speed road R2 from the crossroad with D1, direction Prievidza, Handlová;

R8 from Bánovce nad Bebravou, direction

Nitra











- Restructuring of industry, innovations
- Energy utilities
- Modification Of The Labour Market Structure
- Development Of The Other Sectors













- Comprehensive project for the transformation of the region;
- Systematic **synergy** of all stakeholders;
- Identification of **priority** projects for the Upper Nitra region;
- The Socio-Economic Study of JRC and the methodological and technical support of SRSS;
- The use of **funding** for key projects outside the existing national allocations;
- To evaluate the progress we meet on **June 30, 2018.**









# For me, the transformation will be successful on the day when the last miner gets the new job.







