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December Focus:

"Small actions lead to big changes. Let's make 2025 a year of collective impact for a greener tomorrow."

As we step into 2025, it's a perfect moment to reflect on the significant strides that local governments in Türkiye have made in advancing climate action and sustainability. The past year has been a testament of their commitment, determination, and leadership in tackling climate change. Their efforts have been inspiring, and their dedication continues to shape a more sustainable future for us all. From completing SECAPs to launching concrete climate projects, Turkish CoM municipalities have shown exceptional progress in their climate action plans. The number of municipalities in Türkiye signing the Covenant of Mayors has surged, growing from **32 in 2021 to 86 by the end of 2024** and still growing. This growth reflects the mounting ambition and resolve of local governments to take bold steps towards achieving climate goals.

Together, we are building a future where climate actions is led by communities, and the resilience of our cities and towns will stand strong in the face of the climate challenges ahead.



TÜRKİYE-LITHUANIA COOPERATION IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF SUSTAINABLE ENERGY AND CLIMATE ACTION PLANS

4-5 DECEMBER 2024



From the 3rd to the 6th of December 2024, a delegation from Türkiye took part in a study visit to Lithuania as part of the "EU4 Energy Transition: Covenant of Mayors in the Western Balkans and Türkiye" project. The aim of the visit was to **promote cooperation and exchange of best practices in the field of sustainable energy and climate policy between Türkiye and Lithuania**.

The delegation included representatives from the Ministry of Environment, Urbanisation and Climate Change of the Republic of Türkiye, UCLG-MEWA and the MLGP4Climate Platform **partner municipalities of İstanbul, Diyarbakır, Konya, Bandırma, Safranbolu, Melikgazi, Karatay, Çorlu, Bağcılar and Kuşadası**.



LITHUANIA STUDY VISIT

4-5 December 2024

Within the scope of the Study Visit on Türkiye-Lithuania Cooperation in the Implementation of Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plans, the first day visits were organized to Central Project Management Agency (CPVA), Lithuanian Ministry of Environment and Environmental Project Management Agency (APVA).



During the meeting with CPVA, international partnerships and projects implemented by the agency were presented.



Bandırma Mayor Mr. Dursun Mirza, his team, and CPVA representatives expressed their mutual appreciation for this valuable collaboration.

LITHUANIA STUDY VISIT

4-5 December 2024

In the meeting with the Lithuanian Ministry of Environment, the policies implemented by the ministry on sustainable waste management and water management were shared.



Water Sector Regulation: The Lithuanian Ministry of Environment oversees policies and coordinates efforts across stakeholders, including municipalities and regulatory bodies, to ensure safe and quality drinking water and effective wastewater management. Centralized systems cover 82% of drinking water and 79% of wastewater services.

Deposit Return System: Introduced in 2016, this system transformed beverage packaging recycling rates. Prior to its implementation, only 33% of beverage packaging was recycled. Today, over 90% of all deposit packaging is recycled, positioning Lithuania as a global success story in waste management.

LITHUANIA STUDY VISIT

4-5 December 2024

During the meeting with the **Lithuania Environmental Project Management Agency (APVA)**, the Agency's strategic approach to implementing environmental and climate investment policy was presented. APVA, plays a key role in coordinating national and international efforts, ensuring sustainable development and promoting green transformation.



APVA engages in numerous international initiatives to promote best practices and foster global partnerships:

- **EU Twinning Projects**
- **Development Cooperation:**
 - Lithuania's development cooperation projects extend to Armenia, Moldova, and Georgia, promoting shared expertise in environmental policies.
- **LIFE Integrated Projects**



The meeting saw the participation of representatives from Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality and Çorlu Municipality, who provided valuable input.

LITHUANIA STUDY VISIT

4-5 December 2024

On the second day of the study visit, meetings were held with the Association of Local Authorities of Lithuania (ALAL) and the City of Vilnius.



Roma Žakaitienė, Director of the Association of Local Authorities in Lithuania (ALAL), provided information on the role of the Lithuanian Association of Local Authorities in climate action through the Covenant of Mayors (CoM) initiative, the implementation of energy efficiency, the use of alternative energy sources and other climate change measures, and the financial instruments used.



Mayor of Akmene Vitalijus Mitrofanovas made a presentation on the city's plans and projects related to climate change and energy.



The Mayor of Safranbolu, Ms. Elif Köse, also took part in the meeting with her team, offering valuable contributions.

LITHUANIA STUDY VISIT

4-5 December 2024

In the last meeting within the scope of the Study Visit, the sustainable and green city development and sector-specific policies of the 'Green Capital City 2025' Vilnius were introduced.



With the European Green Capital title, Vilnius is charting a path toward a sustainable and climate-neutral future. The city's initiatives in biodiversity, green infrastructure, renewable energy, and smart mobility underline its dedication to sustainability. By fostering community involvement, Vilnius ensures that residents are active participants in this transformation.

A photograph of a winter forest at sunset. The scene is filled with tall, thin pine trees standing in a dense forest. The ground is covered in a layer of white snow. The sun is low on the horizon, casting long, warm orange and yellow rays of light through the trees. These rays create a path of light on the snow-covered ground, highlighting the texture of the snow and the trunks of the trees. The overall atmosphere is serene and beautiful, capturing the magic of a winter sunset.

Snowflakes are kisses from heaven

DİYARBAKIR METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY SECAP CONSULTATION WORKSHOP

13 December 2024



With the support of the EU4ETTR Project, Diyarbakır Metropolitan Municipality organized a successful consultation workshop on December 13 as part of its efforts to develop a Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan (SECAP). The event marked a pivotal moment in strengthening local capacity to address climate change challenges.

A key takeaway from the workshop was the critical role of local governments in fostering cooperation among diverse institutions and individuals to combat climate change.



Diyarbakır Metropolitan Municipality's commitment to sustainability and resilience is a testament to its proactive approach in driving climate action and inspiring regional transformation.

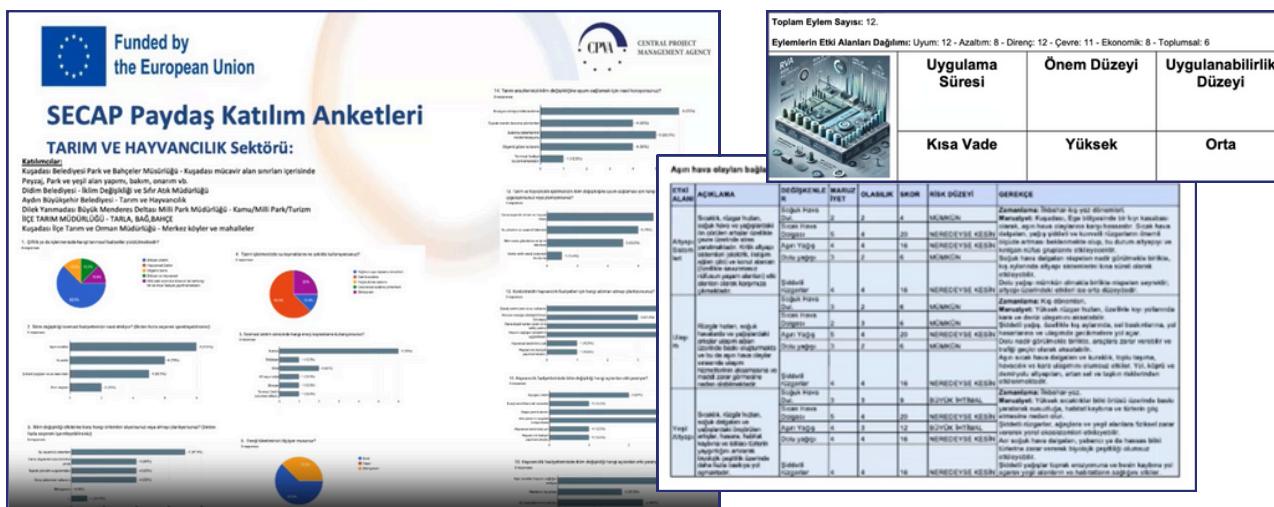


KUŞADASI MUNICIPALITY SECAP CONSULTATION WORKSHOP

10 December 2024

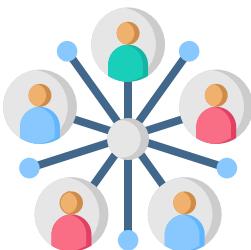
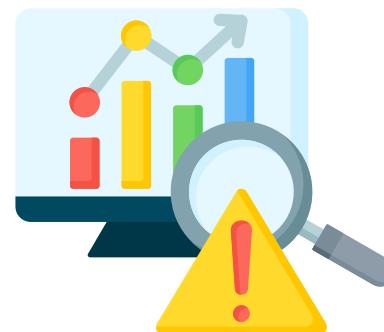


Kuşadası Municipality, a member of the MLGP4Climate Platform, continues to lead in the fight against climate change by organizing a **consultation workshop** for its Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan (SECAP). This workshop marked a significant step in strengthening the municipality's institutional capacity and fostering collaboration for a greener future.



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The workshop focused on the potential impacts of climate change across various sectors within Kuşadası. Key discussions centered on collecting reliable data, engaging stakeholders, and enhancing institutional cooperation to ensure an inclusive and effective adaptation process.



Participants emphasized the importance of broadening the network of institutions involved in climate action, reflecting the municipality's commitment to fostering a collaborative approach.

By hosting this workshop, Kuşadası Municipality demonstrates its dedication to addressing the challenges of climate change while promoting sustainable practices and community resilience.

A close-up, top-down photograph of several hands of different skin tones and ages stacked together in a circle. The hands are positioned in the center of the frame, with fingers interlocked. The people are wearing various clothing, including a white ribbed sweater, a dark blue shirt, and a tan-colored shirt. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

**The nice thing about teamwork is that you
always have others on your side.**

Margaret Carty

7TH LOCAL STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING OF EU4ETTR

16 December 2024

On December 16th, the 7th Local Steering Committee Meeting of the EU4Energy Transition: Covenant of Mayors in the Western Balkans and Türkiye Project highlighted significant achievements and strengthened cooperation among stakeholders. This important meeting was held with the participation of EU Delegation to Türkiye, GCoM, UCLG-MEWA, CPMA, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Environment, Urbanisation and Climate, Union of Municipalities of Türkiye, Marmara Municipalities Union and MLGP4Climate member municipalities.



Mr. Christian Ballaro, Program Officer for Energy at the EU Delegation to Türkiye

Mr. Christian Ballaro, Program Officer for Energy at the EU Delegation to Türkiye, highlighted in his opening speech the project's alignment with EU and Türkiye policies, as well as its focus on empowering local governments in the fight against climate change. Mr. Ballaro emphasized the progress made in preparing SECAPs

which are crucial for adaptation, mitigation, and attracting financing, and expressed hope that the project would serve as a successful example of EU-Türkiye cooperation.

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Ms. Rasa Suraučienė, Deputy Director of the Lithuanian Central Project Management Agency

Ms. Rasa Suraučienė, Deputy Director of the Central Project Management Agency (CPMA), in her opening speech, reflected on the successes of the EU4ETTR Project as it approaches completion. **Ms. Suraučienė** noted that over 20 Turkish Covenant of Mayors municipalities received technical support for SECAP implementation, with notable achievements including completed SECAPs for Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality and others. **Ms. Suraučienė** also highlighted two finalized grant projects, one in preparation, and the growth of the MLGP4Climate Platform to nearly 100 members.



Mr. Bülent Özcan, Director General for Financial Cooperation and Project Implementation at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Directorate for EU Affairs, shared valuable insights as the project enters its final six months. **Mr. Özcan** highlighted project's distinctive focus on experience sharing, enabling local governments to benefit from practical advancements and European expertise.



Mr. Bülent Özcan, Director General for Financial Cooperation and Project Implementation at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Türkiye

Mr. Özcan underlined the project's vital support for local governments in combating climate change, aligning with the EU's 2050 and Türkiye's 2053 net-zero emission targets. **Mr. Özcan** concluded by stressing the importance of sustaining the project's outcomes and expressed hope for a second phase under CPMA's coordination.



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Ms. Daiva Matoniene, Project Team Leader, Lithuanian Central Project Management Agency

Ms. Daiva Matoniene, Project Team Leader of the EU4ETTR, provided a comprehensive update on the project's progress from May to November 2024 and outlined goals for the remaining months. Ms. Matoniene's presentation emphasized activities under six project outputs, lessons learned, and key findings:

- The MLGP4Climate Platform has become fully operational, with nearly **100 members**, CoM municipalities, Infographics have been prepared to introduce MLGP4Climate partner municipalities.



- In MLGP4Climate Platform library more than 245 sources are present including Baseline Emission Inventory Preparation Guide for supporting municipalities in their SECAP journey. The library also includes training videos on various topics.



- During the 6-month period, capacity building activities reached **25 municipalities**, SECAP preparation progressed for 10 municipalities and financial workshops were held with the Gap Fund.



- Over the course of the project, the number of CoM signatories in Türkiye increased **from 32 to 86**.



- Technical support was provided to **3 winners of the First Climaax Open Call** and to **11 municipalities for the EU-TR CCGP call**.



- **Over 600 participants** attended MLGP4Climate events in the past six months.

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Prof. Dr. Ayşen Erdinçler, Head of Department of Environmental Protection and Development at IMM

Prof. Dr. Ayşen Erdinçler, Head of Department of Environmental Protection and Development at Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality, presented the megacity's climate change policies, projects and challenges. **Prof. Dr. Erdinçler** emphasised that Istanbul's SECAP, as a signatory of the Global Covenant of Mayors (GCoM), was prepared with the support of the EU4ETTR project and that an IT monitoring tool is being developed in cooperation with MLGP4Climate to track the implementation of the SECAP and serve as a model for other municipalities.



Expected Climate Change Effects in Istanbul by 2100



Annually
1 – 4.5°C
temperature
increase



Temperatures
never down
below 0°C



Sea level
rise by
45-75 cm
by 2100



%30
decrease of
summer
rains



%59
increase of
extreme
precipitation



Long
periods
drought

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND DEVELOPMENT

CUTTING-EDGE ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES of İSTANBUL



As a GCoM member, the municipality reports its greenhouse gas inventory to the CDP annually.



- Waste to energy in Istanbul has reached an annual electricity generation of 1,316,908 MWh. This is equivalent to the annual electricity needs of 2.5 million people.

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Mr. Özcan Caymaz, Project Coordinator of Melikgazi Municipality

Mr. Özcan Caymaz, Project Coordinator of Melikgazi Municipality, shared insights into the municipality's sustainability initiatives and emphasised the importance of public engagement and collaboration.

Mr. Caymaz highlighted the municipality's swift transition to being a CoM signatory and preparing its SECAP. Mr. Caymaz explained that, with CPMA's grant support, the municipality implemented projects such as installing solar panels and electric vehicle charging stations.



Mr. Caymaz emphasised that the EU4ETTR project has fostered communication and exchange of experience with various institutions and networks, with CPMA and widely.

7TH LOCAL STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING OF EU4ETTR

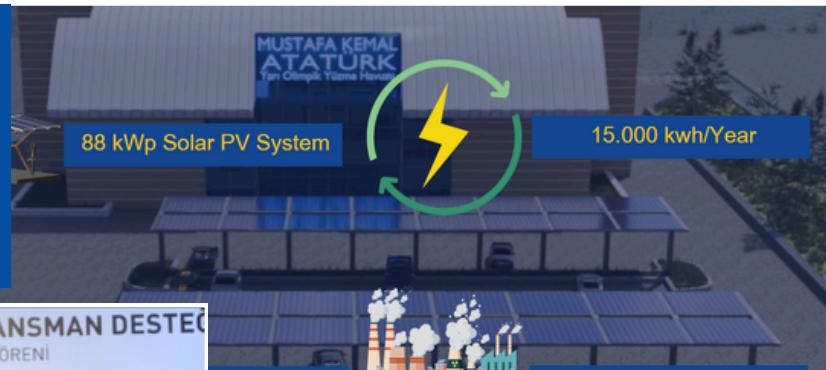
16 December 2024

Mr. Hüseyin Ayvacı, Director of Strategic Development of Çorlu Municipality, gave a presentation about Çorlu, noting that the region's high industrial activity increases its vulnerability to climate change.

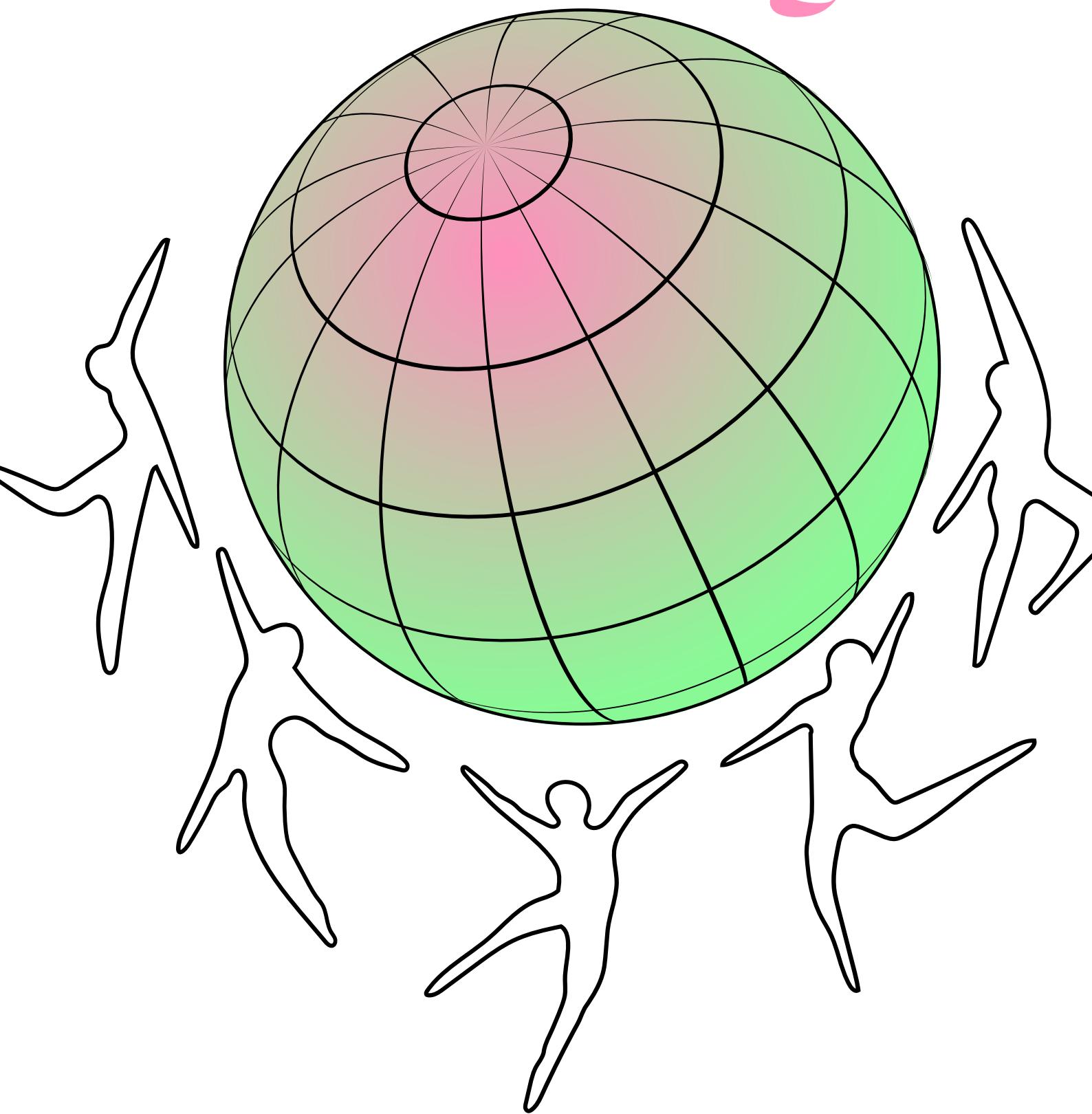


Çorlu signed the CoM in 2019 prepared its SECAP in 2022, using 2019 as the baseline year. Çorlu became one of the pilot municipalities of MLGP4Climate in 2023.

Çorlu received a grant from CPMA for the CARPORT project, which will be completed in 2025.



No Poverty

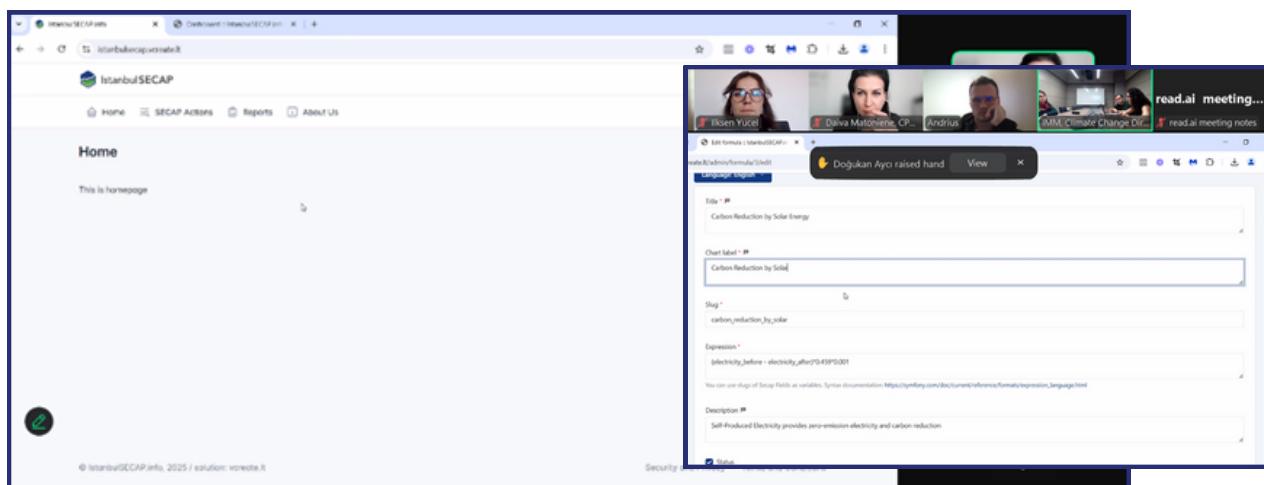




IMM SECAP IT MONITORING TOOL DEVELOPMENT MEETING

18 December 2024

The development of an advanced IT tool for monitoring SECAP (Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan) actions in collaboration with Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality continues to progress. This tool aims to enhance efficiency, transparency, and adaptability in tracking and reporting on climate action progress.



During a recent meeting, the team focused on refining features that allow for robust customization, streamlined data management, and dynamic reporting. The discussions revolved around optimizing functionality, integrating user feedback, and ensuring the tool meets the diverse needs of stakeholders involved in SECAP implementation.

The platform's innovative approach to managing climate data underscores its potential to support local governments in achieving their climate goals. By fostering collaboration and incorporating state-of-the-art solutions, this initiative represents a significant step forward in climate action planning and monitoring.



ENERGY POVERTY TRAINING WITH BAĞCILAR MUNICIPALITY

19-20 December 2024

On 19-20 December via EU4ETTR Project organised a training on energy poverty with Bağcılar Municipality, a member of the MLGP4Climate Platform. Led by National Expert Arif Künar, the training involved key municipal departments to strengthen their capacity to achieve SECAP goals.



The training focused on:

- **Presenting the latest developments in energy efficiency and renewable energy legislation.**
- **Identifying local energy efficiency opportunities and sharing practical solutions.**
- **Promoting sustainable energy use and effective energy bill management strategies.**

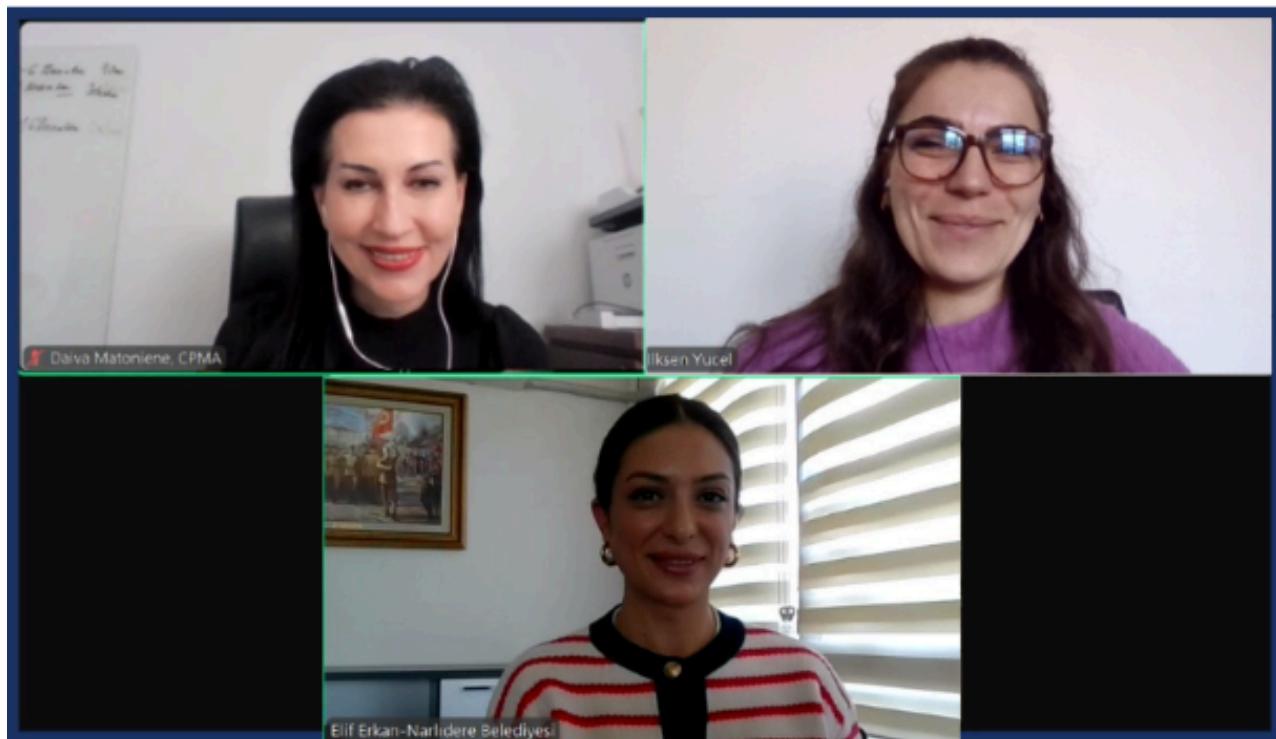
This training is an important step in supporting Bağcılar Municipality's efforts to tackle energy poverty and advance its SECAP implementation.

NARLIDERE MUNICIPALITY SECAP KICK OFF MEETING

27 December 2024



Narlıdere Municipality launched the preparation process for its Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan (SECAP) with a collaborative kick-off meeting organized in partnership with the MLGP4Climate Platform. This milestone follows Narlıdere's recent commitment to the Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy (GCoM), reflecting the municipality's dedication to combating climate change and advancing sustainability.



The meeting laid the groundwork for a comprehensive SECAP, outlining the necessary steps to improve energy efficiency, reduce emissions, and enhance resilience to climate impacts. This initiative highlights Narlıdere's proactive efforts in addressing climate challenges and creating a sustainable future for its community.

This collaboration represents a significant step forward in Narlıdere's climate journey and energy transformation efforts.

CLIMATE LEADERSHIP IN 12 WEEKS: SECAP TRAINING

The upcoming 12-week training organized by MLGP4Climate is a key opportunity for municipalities to deepen their understanding of the SECAP (Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan) process. This training, which begins on January 7, 2025, will cover all stages of SECAP development, from theoretical knowledge to practical guidance, with **expert sessions from international organizations like GCoM, JRC, CDP, and leading financial institutions.**



Throughout the course, participants will gain crucial insights into the SECAP (Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan) process, from theory to practical application.

This training is part of MLGP4Climate's ongoing efforts to strengthen local capacity and foster meaningful climate action. Through such initiatives, MLGP4Climate is empowering municipalities to make significant strides toward energy transformation, sustainability, and resilience. The impact of these efforts extends far beyond the training, influencing local policy and global climate goals.



By bringing together national and international experts, MLGP4Climate continues to lead the way in advancing climate action at the local level, contributing to a greener, more sustainable future for all.



MLGP4Climate

MLGP4CLIMATE LIBRARY EXPANDS WITH NEW VALUABLE ARTICLES

The MLGP4Climate Platform is proud to announce a significant milestone in its mission to support local governments in climate action: our resource library now houses 280 valuable tools, reports, and guidelines!

This comprehensive collection provides municipalities and stakeholders with access to essential knowledge on topics like energy efficiency, climate resilience, sustainable urban planning, and funding opportunities. Whether it's preparing SECAPs, developing innovative projects, or staying informed about the latest global trends, this ever-growing library is designed to empower and inspire.



We are committed to continuing the expansion of this knowledge hub, ensuring that local governments have the resources they need to lead the way in climate action and sustainability. Together, we're building a greener, more informed future!

<https://mlgp4climate.com/mlgp-library>



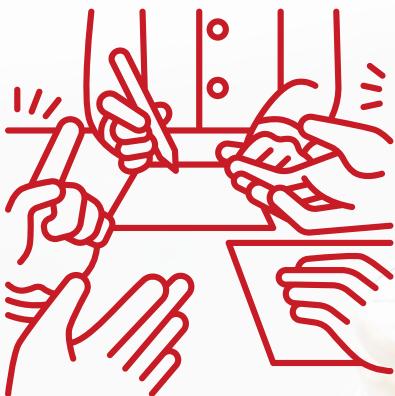


MLGP4CLIMATE : CONSULTANCY PROVIDED FOR 11 TURKISH MUNICIPALITIES



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Within the scope of “Financial Call: EU-TR Climate Change Grant Program (CCGP) for Sustainable Energy And Climate Action Plans (SECAPs) Actions Implementation” various meetings were held with project partners and cooperatives for ten projects.



The process included extensive support in enhancing concept notes, with specific attention given to aligning them with the call's objectives. This support involved providing detailed guidance, suggestions, and corrections to ensure the concept notes were well-structured and SECAP target-oriented.

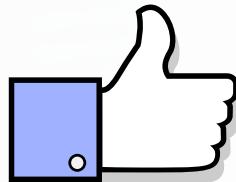
Within the project's scope, active engagement took place with various municipalities, universities, directories, and NGOs. Bilateral meetings were conducted with the applicants to facilitate the review of the concept notes.



Efforts were focused on improving the content and structure of the concept notes, accompanied by strategic recommendations to strengthen their alignment with the call requirements.

MLGP4CLIMATE : CONSULTANCY

PROVIDED 11 TURKISH MUNICIPALITIES



RECOMMENDATIONS



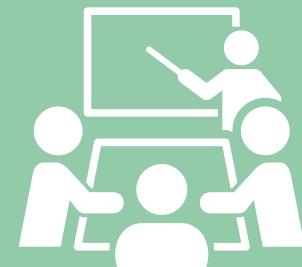
Assisting in the preparation of concept notes for project applications across ten diverse institutions within a condensed timeframe has offered a valuable and enriching experience.

It has been observed that various institutions adopt distinct methodologies for formulating project concept notes. These approaches are influenced by the team's prior experience with European Union projects, the size of the team involved, and the specific priorities of municipalities.



Understanding the priorities of municipalities and clearly demonstrating how these priorities align with specific projects can enhance engagement and encourage institutions to take ownership of the initiatives. Municipalities which have prepared SECAPs demonstrated good understanding of priorities and important actions.

Training organizing sessions can be considered for candidates to enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of project applications. These sessions could be conducted online or in person to facilitate thorough project preparation.





TIPS FOR PROPOSAL WRITING

The project should be anchored by a central objective that aligns with SECAP guidelines. Following the establishment of this primary goal, it is essential to identify secondary objectives and corresponding actions designed to facilitate the achievement of the main objective.

To promote clarity and effectiveness, these actions should be articulated in measurable terms, and the overall plan should be organized accordingly.

Before beginning the concept note preparation, it is essential to thoroughly review the guidance and annexes of the call to manage the concept note and project preparation phase effectively. Ensure that the application form includes the required information, such as the PIC number and EuropeAid ID number, as these procedures must be completed before submitting the application.

TIPS FOR PROPOSAL WRITING

CLARITY IN OBJECTIVES AND ACTIONS START WITH LF	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Start with Logical Framework. Clearly define objectives, actions, and measurable KPIs, ensuring they align with the project's purpose and are realistic.
ADHERENCE TO FORMATTING STANDARDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Maintain a professional and consistent format, adding headers, subheadings, and tables where appropriate for better presentation.
COMPREHENSIVE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Include detailed timelines and action plans linked directly to project objectives, ensuring alignment and feasibility.
LANGUAGE AND TECHNICAL ACCURACY	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Translate concept notes into required languages and include technical tools or details to strengthen the proposal.
SYSTEMATIC REVIEW PROCESS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Develop a review system to check compliance with guidelines, address missing sections, and incorporate stakeholder feedback effectively.

Oğuzlar, Çorum, Türkiye



Congratulations Oğuzlar Municipality: New Member of Global Covenant of Mayors



Oğuzlar Municipality has taken a major step in the fight against climate change by signing the Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy (GCoM). This commitment highlights the municipality's dedication to contributing to global climate and energy goals while fostering local sustainability efforts.

As part of this commitment, the municipality will prepare a Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan (SECAP) to address both mitigation and adaptation challenges.



With guidance from the GCoM Türkiye Help Desk under the EU4ETTR Project, Oğuzlar joins a growing network of municipalities driving transformative change. Together, we are building a sustainable future for all.



Karlovac, Croatia





Congratulations to the newcomers of the Multi-Level Governance Platform!

Welcome the City of Karlovac!



The City of Karlovac has joined the **MLGP4Climate Platform**, demonstrating its strong commitment to sustainability and environmentally-friendly initiatives.

With a vision of becoming a green and smart city, Karlovac is actively working towards achieving energy efficiency and sustainable development goals. Joining the platform will further strengthen its ongoing projects, including geothermal and solar energy initiatives, as well as smart city applications.

This milestone highlights Karlovac's dedication to advancing energy transformation and sustainable urban development. Congratulations to the City of Karlovac on this important step!



Congratulations to the newcomers of the Multi-Level Governance Platform!

Welcome Heinrich Böll Stiftung Association!



Heinrich Böll Foundation has joined the MLGP4Climate Platform, reinforcing its commitment to environmental protection, climate action, and the promotion of democratic values. As an independent civil society organization operating globally, the Heinrich Böll Foundation has been working in Türkiye since 1994, contributing to sustainable development, social justice, and democratic engagement.



World's longest stone bridge: Uzunköprü

Edirne, Türkiye



Congratulations to the newcomers of the Multi-Level Governance Platform!

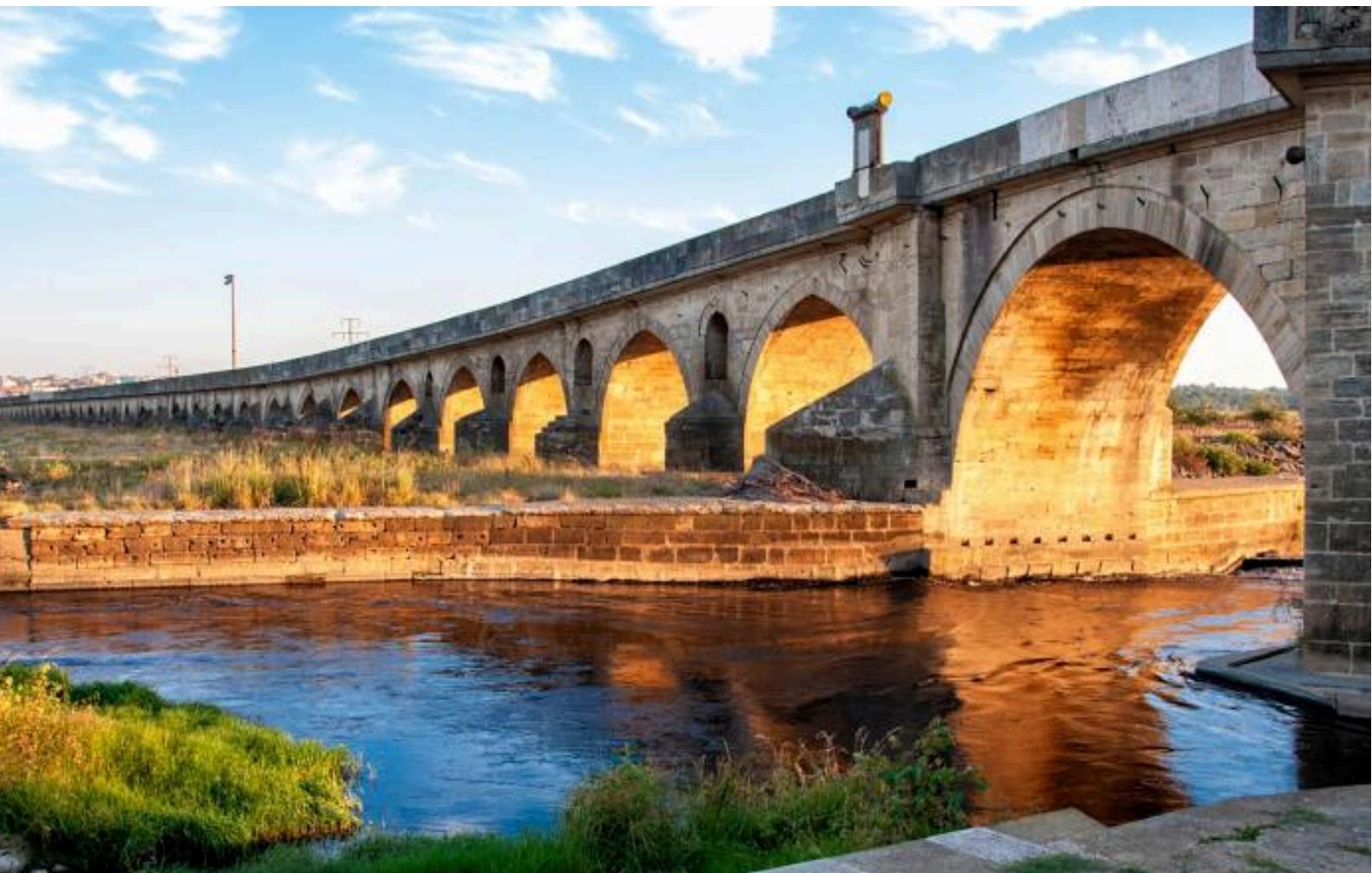
Welcome Uzunköprü Municipality!



Renowned for its iconic bridge and rich historical heritage, Uzunköprü is now making significant strides in building a sustainable future. By joining the MLGP4Climate Platform, the municipality reaffirms its commitment to protecting the environment while preserving its cultural identity.

Dedicated to combating climate change and achieving climate neutrality, Uzunköprü Municipality has taken the lead in numerous initiatives, including green urban resilience projects, climate change adaptation planning, and reducing greenhouse gas emissions in urban areas. The municipality is also open to collaborating on knowledge exchange and developing joint projects focused on climate change adaptation and mitigation.

Uzunköprü is ready to strengthen partnerships in areas such as urban mobility and resilient urban development, marking another important step toward a greener and more sustainable future!



Three Kümbets

Erzurum, Türkiye



Congratulations to the newcomers of the Multi-Level Governance Platform!

Welcome Erzurum Metropolitan Municipality!

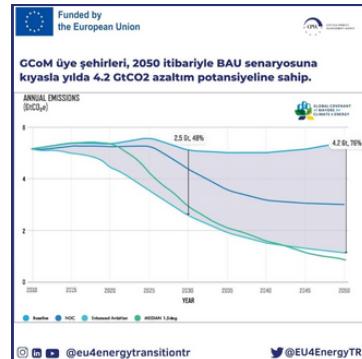


Erzurum Metropolitan Municipality is a governmental organization that aims to provide public services including challenging with climate change. The Municipality is currently focused on renewable energy solutions and green energy transitions, reducing greenhouse gas emissions through smart and innovative solutions and informing the people of Erzurum and raising awareness regarding challenging with climate change.



Visibility for climate actions:

Climate Change and Climate Action News:



Important Days:



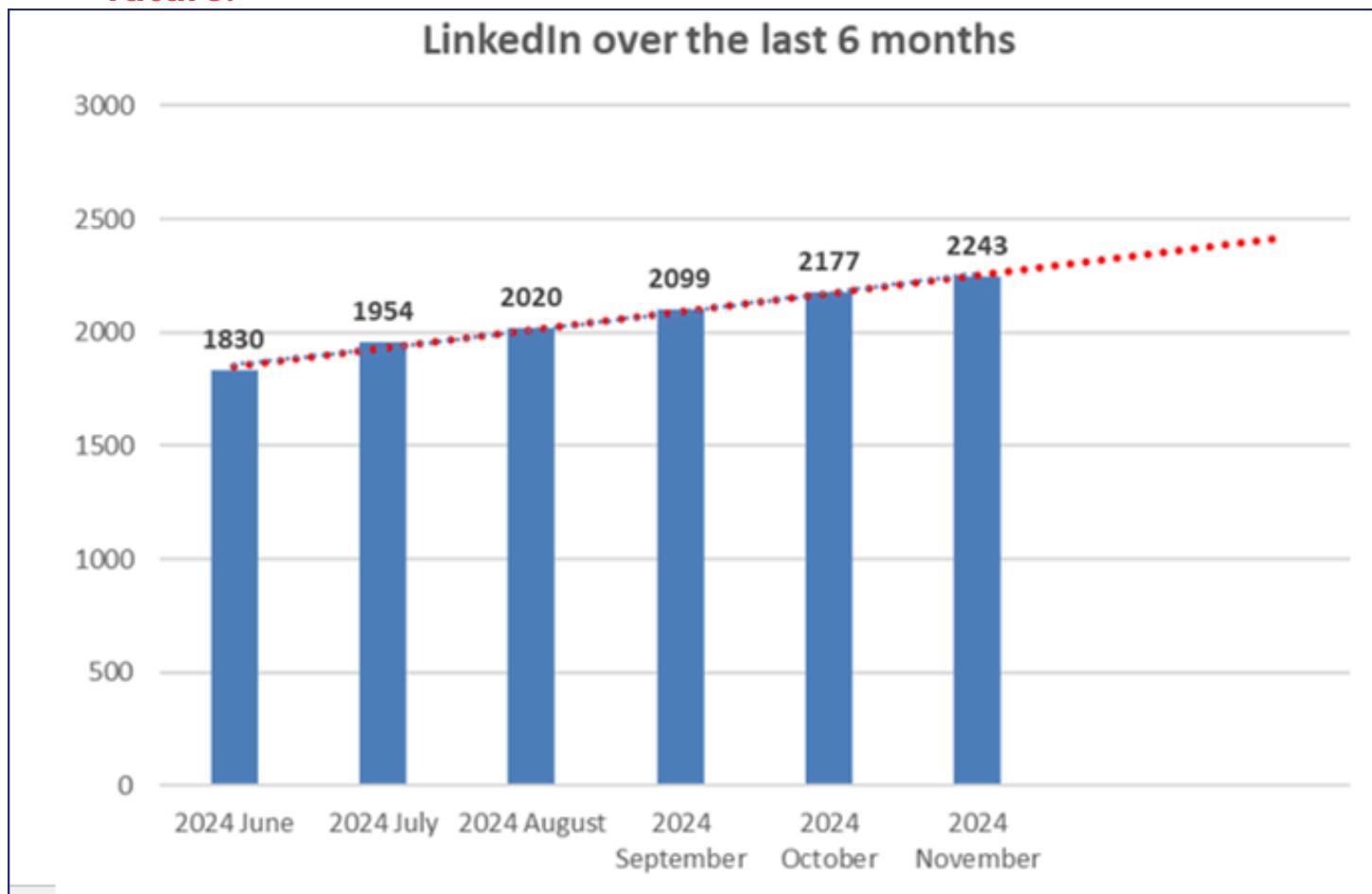
The project has actively disseminated valuable knowledge through various channels, including news, announcements, and guidebooks. With significant contributions from both national and international partners such as the Global Covenant of Mayors (GCoM), the Covenant of Mayors (CoM), and other resources, we have successfully shared essential information and updates widely.



Visibility for climate actions:

Visibility and communication activities play a vital role in successfully implementing climate actions and driving the energy transition. Clear and effective communication not only highlights project achievements but also engages stakeholders, builds strong partnerships, and amplifies the impact of our collective efforts.

Thank you all for your dedication, collaboration, and support on this important journey toward a sustainable future!



Announcements from EU4ETTR Side:

UPCOMING EVENTS



Karatay Municipality SECAP Stakeholders consultation Workshop

January 2025



MLGP WG 1 Meeting

January 2025



12 Weeks SECAP Training

January-March 2025



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2025

Thank you for your wonderful friendship—it's been a true gift this past year. Wishing you endless joy, good health, and success in the year ahead. May we continue to share laughter, support, and great memories in 2025 and beyond!

Wishes to another amazing 2025 year together!

With love,
Daiva Matoniene
EU4ETR Project Team Leader, Lithuanian
Central Project Management Agency

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