Public sector energy efficiency Can we initiate more projects?

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#### Example of EBRD support of energy efficiency in street lighting and other public facilities: South Eastern Europe



- Programmed and managed by the EBRD Energy Community Supported by the Energy Community European Bank for Reconstruction and Development Funded by the EU Western Balkans Investment Framework and the Western Balkans Joint Fund **Activity area** Policy dialogue support **Technical assistance** Financing To create effective legislations for public To help local public authorities with sector energy efficiency (EE) procuring EE projects banks (WeBSEFF) EE works & services procurement by Identification of EE Projects 18 partner banks preparing procurement law, contract Support municipalities in tender templates and guidelines preparation and procurement
  - Transposition of ESCO elements of EU Directives 2006/32/EC and 2012/27/EU
  - General policy dialogue

- Credit line through commercial EUR 152m financed through
- Direct financing (WeBSDFF) EUR 100m



## Steps towards implementing a public sector energy efficiency project



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	1.	Screening and identification of potential proje	Taking stock: Step 2: number of municipalities	
	2.	Municipality is informed about potential proje	<b>informed 72</b> SRB 28; BiH: 4; HR: 17; MNE: 23	
	3.	Follow up to estimate the potential, determine	Step 4: number of Lol 29	
	4.	Getting political commitment of the municipal ownership over the potential project	Step 8: number of tenders prepared 14 HR 7, SRB 5, BiH 2	
1	5.	Technical proposal and feasibility accepted by	Step 9: number of tenders published 4	
(	6.	Finalised technical proposal submitted to and	HR 3 + 3 to be published in June; BiH 1	
	7.	Municipal assembly approval of project	Step 11: number of projects with completed efficiency investments 3	
	8.	Finalising tender document and contract	•	
(	9.	Tender publication by municipality	Break down of investment volume: Capex <eur 1="" m<="" td=""></eur>	
	10.	. Contracting between municipality and contrac	18 projects Capex EUR 1-5 m	
11. Implementation by contractor		. Implementation by contractor	4 projects Capex EUR 5-10 m	
			3 projects	
			Capex >EUR 10m	
			1 project	

## Public Lighting in Novigrad – implemented project





#### Implemented measures

- Lighting design
- Demounting of old luminaires (High pressure Sodium / Metal halide/ Mercury)
- Installation of new LED luminaires
- Project documentation verified
- Technical inspection and Energy certification

#### Economic data

Total number of light points	1,684
Total energy consumption (street lighting)	762,244 kWh
Light points modernised	954 (57%)

Energy cost savings	33,062	EUR/
5		year
Maintenance savings	19,080	EUR/
)		year
EnPC contract period	98	months
Total ESCO fee offered by	460,526	EUR
the most preferred bidder		

# **Results - Public Lighting in Novigrad**



#### Modernisation:

57 % of Novigrad's street lighting system was modernised with highly efficient LED luminaires <u>CO2 emission</u>:

New street lights achieve energy saving of 297,262 kWh/year and a reduction in CO2 emissions of 112 tCO2/year <u>Cost savings</u>:

Annual energy costs reduced from EUR 58,160 to EUR 25,098 Installed Capacity:

the installed capacity decreased from 126 kW to 54 kW Maintenance costs savings:

Maintenance costs could be substantially saved because exchange cycles could be extended significantly **Short contract duration**:

Because of high energy savings and the long nominal lifetime a contract duration of 98 months (8,2 years) was possible



## PPP biomas district heating project in Sokolac, BiH – tender published



- **PROJECT:** District heating system powered by biomass with cogeneration (CHP), in the municipality of Sokolac, BiH
- SCOPE OF THE PROJECT: Reconstruction and expansion of district heating network, installation of cogeneration biomass plant and peak boiler
- **PLANNED POWER PLANT:** 1 MWel and 4,1 MWth, peak boiler 4 MW;
- FUEL NEEDS: 16.120 t/a of wood chips for cogeneration and 4.048 t/a of wood chips for the peak boilers;
- **EXISTING/PLANNED HEATED AREA:** 26,302 m2 / 131,592 m2;
- **ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF INVESTMENT:** 15,2 million KM;
- **MODEL OF FINANCING:** Public Private Partnership (PPP);
- **LEVEL OF DEVELOPMENT:** Feasibility study with PPP comparator.

### PPP biomas district heating project in Sokolac, BiH





## Window 1: support for preparing energy efficiency projects





# TC project preparation for ESCO projects:

- 3 street lighting projects implemented
- 1 tender ongoing
- 2 to be published in June
- •8 are ready to be tendered
- more tenders under preparation, including street lighting PPP Belgrade
- more municipalities indicated interest in projects

#### Policy dialogue

Legislative support for EE Projects

#### TC assignments

Energy efficiency (EE) Project preparation Street lighting tenders prepared by REEP ESCO tenders under preparation by REEP Feasibility/scoping studies prepared by REEP So the question is, can we initiate more energy efficiency projects?



Questions for discussion:

a) Are there sufficient economic, political or other incentives for local authorities to prepare energy efficiency projects?

b) How could the central government provide more top level political support? Is it worthwhile for e.g. mayors to initiate energy efficiency projects?

c) REEP is identifying, scoping and preparing tenders for energy efficiency investments at local level. What else could be done in order to increase the number of initiated and tendered projects?

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