

WP3: 100% RES Communities: Implementation of two actions from within the SEAPS

Deliverable 3.3: Report on the coaching approach

Deliverable 3.5: Report on the implementation of actions

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1. Overview on capacity building actions

Prior note: Due to the close correlation of WP2 and WP3 a specific separation of events along their logic did not always take place. In some cases, both evaluation of the SEAP/energy concept and discussion of selected actions were included in one event. Because of this, we highlight for every sub point of this overview also the events and intermediate results from WP2.

1.1. Mentoring approach

Action	Date/Place	Description
Capacity building activities undertaken within Twinning approach as part of WP2		
1 st Face-to-Face Meeting	29-30/01/2013, Libin (Luxembourg)	Kick-off of Twinning partnership
2 nd Face-to-Face Meeting	7-9/10/2013, Brussels	Open Days of Cities and Regions (input on financing and capacity building); review of progress; preparation of agenda for 1 st Study Tour
1 st Study Tour	2-4/12/2013	Belgian delegation of 23 persons (mostly elected representatives from the LAs and TC) visit renewable energy plants in Aller-Leine-Valley and discuss methods for stakeholder mobilization.
Capacity building activities undertaken within Twinning approach as part of WP3		
3 rd Face-to-Face Meeting	19-21/03/2014, Brussels	Parliamentary Hearing on Building Political Will for 100%RE; review of study tour outcome, identifying learning objectives for 2 nd Study Tour
2 nd Study Tour	10-12/06/2014, Biovallée, France	Mobilization of activities in the sector of energy efficient housing renovation: economically and technologically viable tools; local conference on Dorémi-Project with guided tour to project sites (private houses)
4 th Face-to-Face Meeting	02 or 03/2015, tbc	Review of twinning process; progress made by twinning partners; next steps and potential project partnerships

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1.2. Overview on technical workshops

Code	Date / Place	Composition of the target group	Contents and topics
WP3_TW1_BE	23/04/2014 Libramont	Social construction NGO representative, Administrative Director of province, CoM service coordinator, Innergies	Launching a do it yourself eco-construction campaign
WP3_TW2_BE	22/05/2014 Libramont	Social construction ngo representative, Administrative Director of province, CoM service coordinator, CLER, Innergies	International Skype conference on the opportunity of launching a Doremi IEE Call proposal 2015
WP3_TW3_BE	4/06/2014 Libramont	Both University co-directors, Deputee in charge of climate, Administrative Director, CoM service coordinator, Innergies, secretary	lauching a first climate parliament, a tool to animate citizen's involvement in seap
WP3_TW4_BE	5/09/2014 Libramont	Administrative Director, CoM service coordinator, Innergies, secretary	Review of actions and planning
WP3_TW1_BE- INSTIT	17/02/2014 Arlon	Head of University unit , head of intermunicipal utility , Governer Chief advisor, Deputee in charge of climate, Adminstrative Director, CoM service coordinator and Innergies, secretary	Overview and follow up of the joint development dynamic (called PEPS-Province à Energie Positive). Overview individual Seap progress and debates on structural actions
WP3_TW2_BE- INSTIT	13/05/2014 Arlon	Head of University unit , head of intermunicipal utility , Governer Chief advisor, Deputee in charge of climate, Administrative Director, CoM service coordinator and Innergies, secretary	Overview and follow up of the PEPS (Province à Energie Positive) dynamic. Overview Seap progress and decide structural actions
WP3_TW3_BE- INSTIT	7/10/2014 Arlon	Head of University unit , head of intermunicipal utility , Governer Chief advisor, Deputee in charge of climate, Adminstrative Director, CoM service coordinator and Innergies, secretary	Overview and follow up of the PEPS (Province à Energie Positive) dynamic. Overview Seap progress and decide structural actions

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2. Overview on selected actions

- **Climate Parliament**

The Climate Parliament is about creating a coherent long term framework for mobilising citizens and communicating on the SEAP campaigns. Citizens engaged in the Parliament will be proposed to give their views and proposals on seap actions, and invited to participate in structural campaign. The territorial added value is thus on the cultural, educational and mobilisation sides.

Expert support: Pierre Stassart & Michel Daccache / University of Liège

- **DIY eco-construction campaign**

The Do It Yourself self-renovation campaign aims at self-renovating 200 private buildings through conference-training and on-site support for personal renovation in 14 communities. Citizens from all 14 LAs are invited to a conferences and training session on self-renovation. Those who wish to go further will receive personal on-site support during their renovation works.

Expert support: Patrick Truccolo / Le Trusquin

- **DOREMI: a framework for efficiently renovating private houses in mass**

DOREMI allows to boost the efficient renovation of public houses on a big scale, in all 14 LAs engaged in the CoM. This will be achieved by creating groups of craftsman that can deliver low cost efficient renovations in the Province of Luxembourg.

The theoretical aim of DOREMI is to renovate **100 houses per year** up to 2015 and then **600** after 2020, in order to help halve energy consumption in the valley. This operation will generate 150 jobs per annum and €1,260,000 p.a. in VAT, while reducing households' exposure to the vagaries of the energy market. These aims need to be fine tuned throughout an IEE project 2014 proposal call.

Expert support: Patrick Truccolo / Le Trusquin – Déborah Depauw / CAP 2020

2.1. Main rationale of the selection of actions

The structural actions of the Province of Luxembourg needed to be :

- Federative and accessible to all LAs of the Province, with a focus on the 14 LA engaged in the CoM
- Integrated in all individual SEAPs as supra-local actions.
- Focus on Energy Efficiency and education.

All three actions are consistent with the priority issues of the individual SEAPs : develop Energy Efficiency actions and create an overall involvement framework for citizens.

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2.2. Support mechanisms

What support mechanisms have you identified or used to assist rural community projects enabling them to assess potential and targets:

- Focus group discussion with expert guidance
- Key stakeholder workshops to select projects
- Conference visits; discussion of achievements and visions with international stakeholders
- Providing access to other already existing pilot projects

How have you assisted communities to identify investment channels suitable for the projects

Thanks to several contacts took by Innergies with potential European partners and several Belgian organizations and SME's, the renovation platform project is now on its way to become an H2020 project.

Convinced by Innergies, the Province of Luxembourg decided to finance the first pilot self-renovation campaign through its own annual budget.

The concrete launch and animation of the Climate Parliament will be financed through a grant from the Walloon Region which was obtained notably thanks to Innergies' lobby. This project will also benefit from funds from the French government through a European Climate Parliament project set together with RURENER for the COP21 in Paris in December 2015?

3. Status of implementation of actions

- **Climate Parliament**

The University of Liège has developed a working protocol based on similar initiatives led around the world. First sessions of the parliament will be held in September 2015.

- **DIY eco-construction campaign**

Operations started in January 2015 and should be renewed every year until 2020.

- **DOREMI: a framework for efficiently renovating private houses in mass**

An EASME proposal will be submitted for next 2015 call. If accepted, the project should be launched in 2016 and yield its first results in 2017.