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MURSKA SOBOTA



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THE PROJECT

In the last years a large number of military brownfields has been dismantled because of changes in the security and defence policies. Most part of these sites is easily accessible, often located in the city-centre and even well connected through modern infrastructure. Therefore the rehabilitation of military brownfields in proximity of densely populated areas is an important issue for local authorities and an opportunity for private investors. In fact, by recovering military brownfields, greenfields are preserved, the sustainable urban, economic and social development is supported and public owners can profit from the rehabilitation. FATE aims at solving crucial problems related to military brownfields, finding the adequate requalification programme in accordance with the strategic development targets of the communities, through the design of feasibility and operational plans. FATE will also answer to the specific need for strengthening the territorial economic growth improving the entrepreneurial environment competitiveness through supporting structures like Business Incubators (BI) or Business Support Centres (BSCs) and finding adequate measures to encourage economic and SMEs growth. The project, has been financed in the framework of the European Transnational Cooperation Programme South East Europe 2007-2013 within priority Axis 4 focused on development of transnational synergies for sustainable growth areas, for the total amount of 2.200.000,00 € with an ERDF contribution of 1.725.500 €. It started on 1st April 2009 and will last for 30 months, until 30 September 2011.

WORK PACKAGES

The project's activities are organised in the following five work packages.

WP 1 Transnational Project Management

Coordination: it's the system which allows the management of the operation and assures the correct advancement and monitoring of the project from the financial, technical and strategic point of view; a mid-term and final quality evaluation of the project is as more foreseen.

WP 2 Communication and Dissemination: the communication activities will be implemented internally, so to assure the continuous flow of information among the partnership, and externally, to boost impacts and transferability of project's results to target groups, increase the stakeholders' awareness, disseminate outcomes and provide visibility to the project

WP 3 Analysis of Military Brownfields: it foresees the setting up of common methodological tools, starting from the context and SWOT analysis and then providing an assessment of the military brown-fields suitable for starting rehabilitation process.

WP 4 Tool to Manage the Project: it is expected to outline tools and measures to manage the process of conversion, as policy measures to promote entrepreneurship, to attract FDI, to implement efficient Business Incubator and Business Support Centres and to manage the property transfer of military brown-fields

WP 5 Pilot Actions: it consists of starting up the property transfer processes and the reconstructing phase by programming the rehabilitations of the sites in spatial development plans and by designing BI/BSCs strategies.

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