

Actions to Deploy Innovation in European Cities

Summary of D2.3: "Action Points for Each Local Affiliate"

Cities across Europe and beyond have established high-level objectives to tackle the negative consequences of climate change. These new very ambitious objectives require an innovative approach. The innovation in implementing sustainable mobility solutions is at the core of the FastTrack project. This report summarises a programme of actions to be undertaken by each city involved in FastTrack for the remainder of the project and beyond. This actions' program is facilitated by the tools and methods developed and applied by FastTrack project partners and provides cities with **knowledge** and **tailored assistance** on the effective deployment of their sustainable mobility innovation.

The FastTrack project established a capacity building programme for the representatives of city authorities and aims to help cities understand their needs and intensely implement sustainable mobility plans. The intensive nature of the capacity-building programme lies in creating platforms for discussion, interaction and knowledge sharing between the city representatives. At the end of this intensive programme, cities will have defined Deployment Plans, which reflect how a chosen measure could be implemented taking into account several requirements including staffing, funds, technology etc. **These Deployment Plans could become examples for how to shape future projects that will go beyond the current practice as well as organisational and cultural barriers.**

FastTrack cities benefit from a pool of knowledge, enabling them to prepare for the rapid transfer and adoption of mobility innovation measures and strategies in line with their needs and local specificities. Because of the vast diversity of the cities' characteristics and of the innovations chosen, their plans have been presented from different perspectives. They range from the motivation and needs to deploy a particular innovation, to areas of implementation, who is the targeted group, what are potential challenges and the expected impact. These perspectives have been chosen to allow a better understanding for the cities' plans and their respective actions to achieve these plans. An overview of the dimensions and the aspects analysed is presented in the first part of the document, following the information provided by cities. The main aspects approached by the cities have been captured and classified in seven groups: motivation, coverage, implementing body, target audience, actions, impact and challenges.

The cities that are actively involved in the project provided a wealth of information during meetings, interviews, and questionnaires that technical partners have designed and implemented to-date. The results of the analysis of the information shared by cities in terms of actions done at local level to implement innovative sustainable mobility solutions is the core part of this document.

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Read FastTrack Deliverable 2.3 in full on our website at: FastTrackMobility.eu/resources.

Background

Local authorities across Europe are motivated to take bold and swift action to accelerate the transition towards more sustainable mobility and transport. However, it is not easy for them to keep pace with innovations in the field that are rapidly changing, nor with ever updating insights regarding what works, where, why, and how to transform innovations into worthwhile, reliable and rapidly-implementable mobility solutions.

CIVITAS FastTrack helps local authorities across Europe to accelerate their transformation by addressing these knowledge, capacity, governance, data, evidence and funding challenges, and by sharing insights from this process with stakeholders around the world. In order to meet local needs and requests, and to provide them with tailored expertise, consultation, support and advice, FastTrack makes use of a range of methods that provide local authorities with opportunities to learn from the best.

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