

1. Sustainable Urban Future Through Management of Drought and Conserving Wetlands

Budget Line: Town Twinning between Turkey and EU - II (Twinning for a Green Future) Grant Scheme (TTGS-II)

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: The overall objective of the project is to create common and sustainable ground between Izmir and Ljubljana through improving dialogue, increasing capacity, and exchanging know-how for both cities in terms of coping with drought, drought-related issues and wetlands. We plan to reach this overarching goal through five specific objectives and consequent results (a) To enhance adaptation and resilience of Izmir and Ljubljana against the negative effects of drought (b) To create local, regional and sector based strategies and future projections against drought through using existing data (c) To develop a concrete and sustainable network between two cities in terms of creating Action Plan (d) To promote the importance of Gediz Delta and wet-lands (e) To increase the knowledge level of farmers, public, students related to effects of drought and wet-lands.

Project Partners: City of Ljubljana; Regional Development Agency of Ljubljana Urban Region (RRA LUR), Doğa Derneği, Köy Koop, DOPPS-BirdLife Slovenia

Duration: 12 months

Budget: € 116.055,52

Implementation Unit: Department of Agricultural Services

<https://www.izmir.bel.tr/tr/Projeler/2868/4>

2. Resistant İzmir: Digital City Design and Management System

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency Public Digital Transformation Financial Support Program (Non-profit Organizations Component)

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: Increasing the efficient service capacity of our institution by improving the information and communication infrastructure and making natural disasters in Izmir more predictable by making use of the Internet of Things technologies; collecting and analyzing meteorological data on climate change. With this foresight, it is to contribute to the production of alternative and effective new solutions to urban problems.

Within the scope of the project, a LoRaWAN (Long Range Wide Area Network) infrastructure has been established, enabling real-time monitoring of environmental parameters such as temperature, humidity, rainfall, and air quality. This infrastructure has strengthened early warning and decision-support processes, particularly for forest fire and flood risks.

Duration: 15 months

Total Budget: 6.291.850 TL

Grant Amount: 3.145.925 TL

Implementation Unit: Department of Information Technologies

3. PowerManagement

Budget Line: EIT Urban Mobility RIS (Regional Innovation Scheme)

Applicant: Better Renewable Energy Asset Management “PowerHub” (Czech Republic)

Project Purpose: Main objectives of the activity is to test and launch on the market complex solution combining existing software solutions (2 EIT Urban Mobility startups - BiaPower from Spain and Meter Solutions from Hungary) which were awarded as the most promising solution

for controlling and management of the charging stations in EIT UM Business Creation Programme - BiaPower focused on forecast and optimization of the electric vehicle charging (to lower costs, ensure green charging and enable clean, reliable electric grids) and Meter solution managing grid part of platform.

Partners: Czech Technical University in Prague, Automotive Technology Center of Galicia (Spain), City of Prague, Tractebel Engineering, Municipality of Ricany, Colruyt Group (Belgium)

Total Budget: € 616,740

Grant Amount: € 49,000 (Izmir Metropolitan Municipality)

Implementation Unit: Department of Transportation

4. IPROCURE Security PCP

Budget Line: HORIZON 2020 Pre-trade strategic procurement of innovative, advanced systems to support security Call Safe societies – protecting the freedom and security of Europe and its citizens” call

Lead Applicant: SYNYO GMBH (Austria) (Coordinator)

Project Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality and Association of Emergency Ambulance Physicians from Turkey, Johanniter International (Belgium- An international network of charities), SERMAS (Spain-Madrid Public Health System), JOAFG (Austria- Emergency Care Services Training Centre), HSEPC (Greece- Kar non-profit scientific community for Emergency Care Staff), Niño Jesús University Children's Hospital Research Foundation (Spain), Italian Restitution Council (Italy), European Medical Association (EMA- Belgium), Trinity College (Ireland).

Project Purpose: Aiming to ensure that the R&D studies on paper triage management are digitized and data-oriented, and the triage management prototypes that emerge from these studies are used in the field. A quick and accurate overview of the prototypes to be revealed in the project and the survivors and their situations; Ensuring the correct allocation of available resources and providing quicker supports for survivors or who get injured, Enabling more coordinated work with other first responders or associated teams; Ensuring studies to reduce transport times between the hospital and the accident site and issues which is about quality assurance and studies on educational scales will be discussed.

IMM's Role: Improving triage scenarios through a flexible triage management system: a) Prompt and accurate review of survivors and their vital condition, b) Provision of a decision support mechanism to enable better allocation of available resources and establish faster support for survivors, c) Providing more coordinated work with other first responders or associated teams. d) Providing efforts to reduce transport times between the ambulance response place and hospitals, and e) Ensuring that studies are carried out to increase quality assurance and prevent accidents. Within the scope of the project, it is expected that the Izmir Metropolitan Municipality Fire Brigade Department Search and Rescue (AKS 110) team will test and experience one of the prototypes produced in the project in the field and share these experiences with other partners.

Duration: 36 months

Budget: 22.998.660 Avro

Budget for IMM: 1.050.000 Avro

Implementation Unit: Department of Fire

<https://cordis.europa.eu/project/id/101022061>

5. The Maripet Project

Budget Line: Erasmus+ Cooperation Partnerships in Vocational Education and Training

Applicant: Ege University

Project Purpose: It covers the conversion of waste products from fishing into healthy and nutritious food for cats and dogs.

Project Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Balikesir University, institutions and organizations from Portugal, Norway, Croatia

IMM's Role: Providing support in written, visual and social media in visibility activities; IBB's Fisheries engineers, veterinarians and food engineers participate in 5 training and activity meetings in total to be held in Izmir during the project.

Budget for IMM: € 20.000.

Duration: 24 months

Implementation Unit: Department of Agricultural Services

6. ENCHANT (Energy Efficiency Through Behavior Change Transition Strategies)

Budget Line: Horizon 2020 Socio-economic research: non-energy impacts and behavioral insights on energy efficiency interventions

Applicant: Norwegian University of Science and Technology (coordinator)

Project Purpose: The main aim is to design an empirically-informed decision tool for impactful energy efficiency campaign design (users: policymakers, municipalities, NGOs, energy providers). To inform this tool, established behavioral science-based (psychology, behavioral economics) intervention techniques will be tested under controlled conditions in an unprecedented large-scale Randomized Control Trial (RCT) with hundreds of thousands of European citizens.

Partners: Energy Institute (Austria), University of Rome (Italy), Izmir University of Economics (Turkey), Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Babeş-Bolyai-University (Cluj-Napoca, Romania), University of Groningen (Netherlands), Smart Innovation Norway.

IMM's Role: The role of Izmir Metropolitan Municipality is to contribute to the development of the methods (RCT), including the questionnaire, in the process of creating the "Decision Kit"; delivery of the applications to the people living in İzmir; visibility of the Project and campaign as a campaign channel.

Total Budget: € 2.000.000

Grant Amount to be Received by the IMM from the Project: € 18.625

Duration: 30 months

Implementation Unit: Directorate of Climate Change and Clean Energy

<https://cordis.europa.eu/project/id/957115>

7. Preparation of Energy Audit Analysis Report for the Development of Energy Efficiency Practices

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency 2022 1st Term Technical Support Program

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: to reduce energy consumption or energy expenses for the Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, thereby increasing the use of energy-efficiency applications and new-generation technologies. For this reason, energy studies and reports of IMM's Bornova Ice Sports Hall, Ahmed Adnan Saygun Art Center and Buca Social Life Campus are prepared.

Budget: 194.750 TL

Duration: 6 months

Implementation Unit: Directorate of Climate Change and Clean Energy

8. CAMPAIGNers (Citizens Acting on Mitigation Pathways through Active Implementation of a Goal-setting Network)

Budget Line: Horizon 2020 Building a low-carbon, climate resilient future: climate action in support of the Paris Agreement

Applicant: Energieinstitut An Der Johannes Kepler Universitat Linz Verein

Partners: 29 institutions and Austria, Norway, South Africa, Belgium, Germany, Greece, Italy, Turkey, Finland, Lithuania, France, Azerbaijan, Ireland, Sweden, consisting Peru has a multi-partnership structure.

Project Purpose: Define target lifestyles and scope of action; derive replicable best-practices from relevant case studies; establish a lasting goal-setting network for experience-enhanced lifestyle change; assess the large-scale effects of lifestyle changes on the energy system, economy and climate; support cities to start a process towards low-carbon lifestyles; support the EU's long term strategy for GHG reductions at all levels.

Total Budget: € 5.000.000

Grant Amount to be Received by the IMM from the Project: € 34.225

Duration: 36 months

Implementation Unit: Directorate of Climate Change and Clean Energy

<https://cordis.europa.eu/project/id/101003815>

9. Awareness Raising and Capacity Building on Trafficking for Labor Exploitation in Izmir

Budget Line: HF30 "Strengthening the Human Rights Protection of Migrants and Victims of Human Trafficking in Turkey"

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: The proposed project aims at contributing to the effective fight against trafficking in human beings by raising the awareness of the public, especially the vulnerable groups, including migrants, women and/or children in Izmir. The specific objectives; the project will contribute to increasing the skills of the service providers, including but not limited to the professionals of child protection, psychosocial support personnel, education on child trafficking, laborers, chambers of commerce and industry. Therefore, it targets enhancing the capacity of the stakeholders. Moreover, the project strives to uphold a comprehensive approach against trafficking in human beings through developing cooperation between different stakeholders.

Partners: Association for Solidarity with Asylum Seekers and Migrants (SGDD-ASAM)

Duration: 6 months

Total Budget: €25.000

Implementation Unit: Directorate of Urban Justice and Equality

10. Establishing digital learning bases in Izmir, Turkey

Budget Line: German Ministry of Economy "Municipal Corona Solidarity Package"

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality and Bremen Municipality

Project Purpose: Overall objectives are a) fulfilling the responsibility of the municipality to expand educational opportunities in order to create a qualified and strong society in Izmir; b) contributing to ensuring equal opportunities and conditions in both formal and non-formal education. Specific Objectives are; a) Supporting the equipment capacity of a digital education access point in Bayraklı / Izmir for primary and secondary school students who are affected

from both Covid-19 and earthquake and do not have the internet, the necessary technological device for education b) Ensuring the participation of students (children) of vulnerable groups to the formal educational program and education support opportunities offered by the Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, c) Raising awareness of students about Covid-19 and its prevention.

Budget: € 41.956

Implementation Unit: Directorate of Family and Child Services

Duration: 12 months

11. Sustainable Urban Mobility Plan (SUMPIzmir) Project

Budget Line: EU Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance Phase-II (IPA II) Transport Sectoral Operational Program

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: It is the preparation of the "Sustainable Urban Mobility Plan in İzmir" to meet the mobility needs of people and businesses in İzmir for a better quality of life. A strategic plan will be prepared based on the active participation of citizens and stakeholders, a high level of cooperation between institutions, the integrated development of all modes of transport, and principles such as monitoring and evaluation.

Project Partners: A consortium of MuConsult-Panteia (Netherlands), Rupprecht Consult (Germany), Parabol (Turkey), BNN (Turkey), Polis (Belgium)

Duration: 24 months

Total Budget: € 3.199.845

Implementation Unit: Department of Transportation

12. Co-design for Sustainable, Resilient and Inclusive Public Spaces and Services

Budget Line: Swedish Institute within the framework of the Public Sector Innovation Programme

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: This project focuses on increasing the capacity of municipal officials to co-design inclusive public environments and services. The project aims to contribute to improving service provision with a focus on both the physical and digital public environment.

Partners: Izmir University of Economics, Aegean Exporters' Associations (Turkey), Lebanon and Indonesia, Lund University (coordinator)

Duration: 8 months

Implementation Unit: Department of Social Projects, Department of Information Technologies

13. A Culture Route Towards Sustainable Development: Efeler Route

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Küçük Menderes Basin Sustainable Development Financial Support Program (Non-Profit Organizations Component)

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: To contribute to sustainable development in the Küçük Menderes Basin by activating the cultural tourism potential in the region within the framework of strengthening non-agricultural economic activities and diversity.

Partners: Izmir Governorship, Izmir Regional Directorate of Forestry, Ege University, Izmir Foundation, Izmir Regional Directorate of Culture and Tourism (associate), Association of Efeler Route (associate)

Total Budget (TL): 1.341.545

Grant Amount (TL): 1.000.000,00

Implementation Unit: Department of Agricultural Services

Duration: 24 months

14. Romani Well Being

Budget Line: US Embassy Grant Program

Applicant: ROMGEDER

Project Purpose: To provide a suitable occupation through job qualification courses; Providing psychological support to children in need; To organize trainings and information meetings on human rights and other citizenship rights.

Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Çeşme Municipality, İzmir Bar Association

Total Budget: 12,515 USD

Duration: 12 months

IMM's Role: IBB will provide trainer support in human rights and citizenship education

Implementation Unit: Department of Social Projects

15. The Project Better Opportunities for Roma Girl and Women

Budget Line: MATRA Social Transformation Programme in Turkey 2021

Applicant: Roma Education Folklore and Sports Club Association

Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: The main purpose of our project is to develop a model strategy plan to prevent early child marriages in Roma community with the cooperation of women Roma-NGOs, public authorities and the Roma community.

IMM's Role: Assigning trainers for the training, workshops and meetings to be carried out within the scope of the project and providing the necessary support for the activities to be implemented.

Implementation Unit: Department of Social Projects

Duration: 12 months

16. Future 4.0 Do It Yourself! Project

Budget Line: Erasmus+ Programme KA1- Learning Mobility of Individual

Applicant: Geleceği Şekillendiren Eller (Non formal Group)

Project Purpose: Using the creativity of young people "do it yourself!" It is encouraged to produce new products with its philosophy. To contribute to the dissemination of this culture and to increase the employment rates in the technology and informatics sectors in our country.

Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Stage-Co Platform, Youth 4 Future LTD (England), Asociacija, Tavo Europa (Lithuania), Developmental Center of Thessaly Aketh-DCT (Greece)

IMM's Role: Participating in the activities of the project and providing necessary support, contributing to the coordination and visibility of the project.

Total Budget: € 20.880

Implementation Unit: Directorate of Vocation Factory

Duration: 10 months

17. Civil Society Dialogue for Empowering Youth-Works in Local

Budget Line: Supporting Civil Society Dialogue Between EU and Turkey Grant Scheme

Applicant: Pİ Youth Association

Project Purpose: Creating a sustainable civil society dialogue on youth field between Turkey and Netherlands.

Partner Countries: Turkey and Netherlands

Project Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality (Associate)

IMM's Role: Participating in national and international organizations such as training and meetings with at least 2 representatives; Facilitating the strengthening of youth work at the local level; To contribute to youth associations in their region with a guiding and supportive role in order to strengthen youth work at the local level; To cover the accommodation and travel expenses of its own participants in domestic and international travels.

Total Budget: €166.654

Implementation Unit: Directorate of Social Projects

Duration: 15 months

18. Sustainable, Accessible and Inclusive Urban Mobility

Budget Line: EU Instrument for Pre Accession Period II, Phase II

Applicant: World Bank

Project Purpose: The mission held meetings with Kocaeli and Izmir, the two targeted/pioneer municipalities, with the following five objectives: (i) present the conclusions of the urban transport accessibility analysis and benchmarking exercises; (ii) conduct a workshop on multi-criteria prioritization of transport schemes as defined by the master plans; (iii) provide and present ideas on capacity building for implementing Sustainable Urban Mobility Master Plans - SUMP, particularly looking at citizen engagement and impact analysis; (iv) discuss results on a demonstration exercise in Izmir using big data from Automated Fare Collection system and Automated Vehicle Location system for public transport passenger travel behavior analysis;

Pilot Municipalities Who Get Technical Support: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Kocaeli Metropolitan Municipality

Implementation Unit: IMM Directorate of Transport Planning

19. RURITAGE Rural Regeneration through systemic heritage-led strategies

Budget Line: Horizon 2020 Programme SC5-21-2016-2017: Cultural Heritage as a driver for sustainable growth

Applicant: Bologna University (Italy)

Project Purpose: To create a new rural regeneration paradigm through increasing cultural and natural heritage potential of rural areas. Starting from the identification of 6 Innovation Areas (pilgrimages, sustainable local production of food, migrants, arts and festivals, resilience, integrated landscape management) representative of a European model of development based on the enhancement of the local cultural and natural heritage, tangible and intangible, RURITAGE will promote the transfer of knowledge from Role Model Cases, chosen as carriers of good practices, towards 6 cases that will replicate them.

Partners: The project has 40 partners from European countries. Consortium has Colombia, Brazil and Chile as well as Europe. Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Izmir Institute of Technology, Demir Energy Consulting Company are located from Turkey among project partners

Total Budget: € 10,401,187

Grant Amount: € 168,750 (IMM)

Implementing Unit: IMM Department of City Master Plan

Duration: 48 months

<https://cordis.europa.eu/project/id/776465>

20. Urban GreenUp:

Budget Line: Horizon 2020 Smart Cities and Communities 2- Sustainable Cities Through Nature-Based Solutions

Applicant: Cardiff Research Center (Spain)

Project Purpose: Considering that %54 of the world population lives in cities and this rate is rapidly increasing, it has the main objective of achieving progress in sustainable city development and design. With the purpose of implementing nature based solutions for cities to be reshaped according to their natural characteristics, the Project estimates a) developing of a methodology, b) local authorities and stakeholders to implement nature based solutions more effectively, to improve their capacities with the purpose of eliminating the effects of climate change, c) within this purpose, preparing of "Re naturalization Urban Plans" for cities, d) undertaking of wide scoped implementation activities un three cities Vallaloid (Spain), Liverpool (UK) and Izmir (Turkey) which undertake works in line with aforementioned plans and integrate re naturalization issue into their strategic urban planning. The project also aims to establish a model that efficiently monitors the data obtained from these implementations and the dissemination of this model is also used outside Europe.

Partners: Vallaloid Municipality (Spain), Liverpool Municipality (England), Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Acciona İnfrastructure (Spain), Singular Green (Spain), Fundacion Water Center of New Technology (Spain), Press Council (Spain), Community Afforestation Initiative (NGO), Ove Arup&Partners International (England), Liverpool University (England), Demir Energy, Ege University, Izmir Institute of Technology, Izmir Katip Çelebi University, Bitnet Information Services, GMV Innovating Solutions (Spain), Youris.com (Belgium), Soil and Climate Association (Spain), Luigi Bocconi Trade University (Italy), Research Institute at RMIT University (Vietnam), Portugal Innovation Community, Rovaniemi Municipality (Finland), Mantua Municipality (Italy), Ludwigsburg Municipality (Germany), Medellin Municipality (Colombia), Binh Dinh Municipality (Vietnam), Chengdu Hi-Tech Industrial Development Zone (China)

Total Budget: € 14.724,694

Grant Amount: € 2,326,000 (IMM)

Implementation Unit: IMM Directorate of Projects

21. Add Value to Milk

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Küçük Menderes Basin Sustainable Development Financial Support Program (Non-Profit Organizations Component)

Applicant: Izmir Agricultural Development and Other Agricultural Cooperatives Association

Project Purpose: To ensure sustainable development in İzmir and especially in the Küçük Menderes Basin by developing the key actors' capacities in terms of the production of milk and dairy products of high quality through supporting the cold chain.

Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

IMM's Role: It will be responsible for % 10 of the total budget.

Total Budget (TL): 900.975,83

Grant Amount (TL): 783.457,24

Implementation Unit: Department of Agricultural Services

Duration: 12 months

22. Kùltürpark Children's Discovery Center (Children's Rights and STEM)

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Small Scale Infrastructure for Improving Social Cohesion Grant Scheme Programme"

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: Within the scope of sustainable development and a strong society, this course aims to develop the skills of children, who are the determinants of future societies, based on children's rights, personal, social, scientific-technological research and design, and to contribute to increasing the capacity of accessible and innovative education.

Total Budget (TL): 1.063.187

Grant Amount (TL): 797.390

Implementation Unit: IMM Directorate Family and Child Services

Duration: 18 months

23. Green Re-vision: A Framework for Resilient Cities

Budget Line: Capacity Building in the Field of Climate Change in Turkey Grant Scheme

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: The overall objective of the action is to create a resilient urban area in a context of climate change by using/enhancing/supporting the potential of green infrastructure. Special aim of project; a) developing a framework that makes a city more resilient city to the impacts of climate change, b) increasing the technical capacity to enhance capacity to enhance capacity building of target groups and stakeholders on climate change action and c) increasing public awareness on climate change by disseminating the knowledge and experience.

Partners: Association of Landscape Researches (co-applicant), Urban Ecology Society of Austria - SURE (Participant)

IMM's Role: To determine the sensitivity by using climate models, to monitor the rain, water level and rain holding capacity potential according to estimations and to assess the risks, to develop the suggestions to make city resilient, by examining good samples to increase the institutional capacity, to undertake awareness and information activities.

Total Budget: € 150.386

Grant Amount: € 122.293

Duration: 24 months

Implementing Unit: IMM Directorate of Healthy Cities and Clean Energy

24. Software in The Future of Turkey; Young and Children Coding

Budget Line: Erasmus+ KA3 Support for Policy Reform, Structured Dialogue Project

Applicant: New Talent Cooperative

Project Purpose: To enhance the software industry in terms of regional and national thereby to provide getting education of coding at an early age of young/children and to contribute to increasing of employment related to information processing in Turkey

Partners: Two different CodorDojo representatives from the EU and İzmir Metropolitan Municipality

Total Budget: € 30.000

Grant Amount: € 29.580,00

Duration: 12 months

Implementing Unit: Department of Information Technologies

25. Establishment of Photovoltaic Power System in Ekrem Akurgal Life Park Sports Hall and Parking Area

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Renewable Energy and Environmental Technologies Grant Scheme Programme"

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: To contribute environmental sustainability decreasing of outsource dependency by means of using local energy sources in Izmir, within this context, by generating electricity from solar panels in Izmir where there is sufficient solar energy potential, to contribute using of renewable energy, to promote using renewable energy and technologies, to contribute extending of use of renewable energy and technologies in different sectors and to provide maximum decrease in electricity costs.

Total Budget (TL): 1.297.518

Grant Amount (TL): 973.138

Duration: 12 months

Implementing Unit: IMM Directorate of Healthy Cities and Clean Energy

26. Women Empowerment- An Integrated Project to Reduce Social Marginality and Promote Income-Generating Opportunities for Most Vulnerable Women of Gecekondu Areas.

Budget Line: Grant Scheme for Improving Employability with Social Integration of Disadvantaged Persons Grant Scheme

Applicant: Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Milano (Italy)

Project Purpose: Foster positive economic impact and livelihood at the community level, supporting social integration of the vulnerable female population of gecekondu. Specific Objectives: 1)Develop and strengthen the capacities of Izmir service providers, reinforcing partnerships network at the local level so as to better respond to the needs of vulnerable groups such as women through service development, increased employability, and entrepreneurial expertise, and 2)assist women to become an active labour force through direct employment and business start-ups.

Partners: Aegean Region Chamber of Industry (co-applicant), Izmir Cake and Bakery Manufacturers Association (co-applicant), Izmir Metropolitan Municipality (Participant), Turkish Employment Agency (Participant)

Total Budget: € 291.950

Grant Amount: € 277.353

Duration: 12 months

Implementing Unit: IMM Directorate of Vocation Factory

27. ATHENA (Use of New Communication/ Social Media in Crisis Situations and Management)

Budget Line: EU 7th Framework Programme Security Call

Applicant: West Yorkshire Police Department

Project Purpose: This Project aims to develop technical applications or apps for smartphones and mobile digital media devices, which will capture real-time information from the public

during crisis situations. Athena explores the use of mobile applications as a means of sharing information and advice between the authorities and the public. As well as using their mobile devices to communicate what is happening around them, the public will be able to assist crisis managers by informing the operational response of the emergency services.

Partners: International Organisation for Migration, Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Sheffield Hallam University, Fraunhofer Institute, SAS Software Limited, Municipality of Ljubljana, Thales Nederland BV, University of Virginia, CRISMART Swedish National Defence College, EPAM Systems, Research in Motion - Blackberry, Epidemico.

IMM's Role: To provide input on defining user requirements, to give advice and support within the exercising programs, to give feedback for the continued development of the ATHENA application, and to disseminate activities. ies, feedback, Description of user requirements, technical application

Duration: 36 months

Total Budget (Euro): 5.412.685

Grant Amount (Euro): 2.631.592

Implementing Unit: IMM Fire Department

28. CITYFIED Replicable and Innovative Future Efficient Districts and Cities

Budget Line: EU 7th Framework Programme Smart City Call

Applicant: Cardiff Research Center (Spain)

Project Purpose: The CITYFIED Project aims are as follows; to development of innovative and cost effective methodologies and procedures, to become future's smart cities, to decrease the energy demand, to generalize renewable energy consumption, to reduce GHG emissions, to improve methodologies for building renovations, to generalize smart grid architecture, to install district network heating, to develop ICT, to organize cluster of cities

Partners: Swedish Environmental Research Institute, TÜBİTAK-Marmara Research Center, Istanbul Technical University, TECNALIA, ACCIONA, DALKIA, LKF, KRAFTRINGEN ENERGI, Soma Electric City Generation and Distribution Trade Inc., IACUSTICA, MIR, STEINBEIS, YOURIS Company Cities Cluster: City of İzmir, Firenze, Malaga, Napels, Salerno, Rovereto, Botkyrka, Ludwigshafen, Udine, Valladolid, Varmdö

IMM's Role: Within the scope of the project, our municipality is among the "CITYFIED Cities Cluster", which is composed of 11 cities and established for the repetition and dissemination of the results obtained from the demonstration cities.

Duration: 5 years

Implementing Unit: IMM Directorate of Healthy Cities and Clean Energy

29. Izmir Metropolitan Municipality City College Soiled (Industrialized) Agriculture: Production, Quality, and Employment Investment

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Grant Programme on Declining Development Level Gap among Districts"

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: To contribute widespreading of technical and innovative applications to provide an increase in agricultural production capacity, productivity, quality, and added value in Izmir, through this, to contribute to an increase in employability and income level, especially in disadvantaged districts.

Partners: Dikili Municipality, Ege University Solar Energy Institute

Total Budget (TL): 352.228,04

Grant Amount (TL): 317.005.236

Duration: 12 months

Implementation Unit: IMM Directorate of Vocation Factory

30. IMM Izmir City College

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency Guided Projects Call

Applicant: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Project Purpose: In accordance with local labour market demand and in partnership with the municipality, private sector, and vocational education institutions, the project aims to establish the unique Izmir City College Model, which will directly have a positive impact on the skill gap. It aims to enhance Izmir's competitiveness and economic development in key sectors and to bring innovation in vocational education through the use of a FABLAB.

Partners: Yasar University Research Development and Application Center, Ege University Solar Energy Institute, Aegean Region Chamber of Industry, Izmir Union of Chambers of Tradesmen and Artisans,

Contributors: Turkish Employment Agency Izmir Directorate, Ege University Ege Vocational School, Young Businessmen Association of Turkey Aegean Branch, Aegean Free Zone.

Total Budget (TL): 3.105.970

Grant Amount (TL): 2.329.477

Duration: 24 months

Implementing unit: IMM Directorate of Vocation Factory

31. Peninsula Flowers

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Peninsula Sustainable Development Grant Support Programme"

Applicant: Bademler Village Agricultural Development Cooperative

Project Purpose: To increase the technical capacity by modernizing the production and engraving process of endemic plants and seasonal/cutting flowers, to increase enterprise management capacity of the cooperative and to encourage participation in flower production and cooperatives

Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

İMM's Role: To meet cofinance of 42.417,84 TL, which is equal to %10 of project budget, to provide technical and administrative support at information meetings, to provide support for visibility and dissemination activities.

Total Budget (TL): 424.178,31

Grant Amount (TL): 381,760,479

Duration: 12 months

Implementing Unit: IMM Department of Agricultural Services

32. Kuşçular Agricultural Development Cooperatives Multipurpose Cold Storage

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Peninsula Sustainable Development Grant Support Programme"

Applicant: Kuşçular Village Agricultural Development Cooperative

Project Purpose: By increasing the agricultural production and assessment capacity of Urla district Kuşçular plain, and by stimulating the current potential to increase producers' income levels and welfare levels and thus to contribute to the sustainable development of Izmir.

Partners: IMM, Urla Municipality

IMM's Role: To provide co-finance with the amount of 37.163.57 TL, which is equal to %10 of the project budget, to provide bases for cold storage and to provide aid in kind for the construction of the roof and for concrete works, to support the project's visibility and dissemination activities and to participate and support the activities of the project.

Total Budget (TL): 371.635.66

Grant Amount (TL): 334.472,094

Duration: 12 months

Implementation Unit: IMM Department of Agricultural Services

33. Mobilization of Milk Cold Chain

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Peninsula Sustainable Development Grant Support Programme"

Applicant: Kınık Agricultural Development Cooperative

Project Purpose: In Kınık district, to increase profitability in animal breeding activities by increasing the quality and bargaining capability of dairy products of families who deal with bovine and ovine animal breeding and to increase interest in the district towards animal breeding. **Partners:** Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

IMM's Role: Within the scope of project partnership to meet cofinance at the amount of 49.925,00 TL, which is equal to 8.9% of the project amount, to participate and provide support to activities of the project, especially beginning from training activities, to provide support to visibility and dissemination activities.

Total Budget (TL): 559.565,92

Grant Amount (TL):503.609.328

Duration: 12 months

Implementation Unit: IMM Department of Agricultural Services

34. Production of local grape, molasses and increase of added value in Seferihisar, Developing Post-Sale Activities."

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Peninsula Sustainable Development Grant Support Programme"

Applicant: Hıdırlık Agricultural Development Cooperative

Project Purpose: In Hıdırlık Agricultural Development Cooperative, in addition to increasing the current local product range and marketing activities, establishing a product line of molasses for grape which is one of the most valuable products of the region, and equipping the Cooperative with a new facility.

Partners: IMM, Seferihisar Municipality, Seferihisar District Governorship

IMM's Role: to provide co-finance with the amount of 53.130.69 TL, which is equal to %10 of the project budget, and to promote the local products of Izmir.

Total Budget (TL): 531.306.90

Grant Amount: 478.176,21

Duration: 12 months

Implementation Unit: IMM Department of Agricultural Services

35. Urla Wine Yard Path

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency "Peninsula Sustainable Development Grant Support Programme"

Applicant: Urla Wine Producers and Viticulture Association

Project Purpose: By determining the vineyard paths considering the natural, historical, and cultural structure of Peninsula, the region will become a brand in terms of vineyard paths both at the national and international level and become a tourism destination.

Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Urla Municipality

IMM's Role: With the vineyard path to be developed during execution of the Project, IMM will provide information subject to integration of the route to be established and to assist with the subject of marking.

Duration: 12 months

Implementation Unit: IMM Directorate of Agricultural Services

36. Young in Work

Budget Line: Ministry of EU Affairs Turkish National Agency Erasmus+ Programme Key Action 3: Support for Policy Reform

Applicant: İzmir Governorship

Project Purpose: With the project, that has the main themes of youth and employment, 40 youngsters 24 of whom are disadvantaged will participate workshops for 3 days, for training, qualified labor force, labor force market, and entrepreneurship and to improve their social skills, for youngs to be aware of local, regional, national and international employment policies, to get involved in employment policies through exchanging of ideas with representatives of stakeholders. Furthermore, by coming together with decision makers and experts, to contribute to the formation of a Policy Paper on Sustainable Young Employment.

Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Turkish Employment Agency Konak Service Building, Izmir Union of Chambers of Tradesmen and Artisans, Youth Deal Cooperative

IMM's Role: To reach the young people who will attend the summit and workshops, to participate in organized workshops and the summit, and to provide training to be organized on EU funding opportunities.

Total Budget: 14.636 Avro

Duration: 8 months

Implementation Unit: Directorates of EU and Grant Projects Department, and Vocation Factory

37. WizmirNET (Wireless and Accessible Internet)

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency - Transformation into Knowledge-Based Society and ICT Grant Support Programme

Applicant: IMM

Project Purpose: To speed up Izmir's transformation into a knowledge-based society and to spread the use of the internet throughout Izmir. To accomplish this, free wi-fi will be provided by IMM at 8 different locations around Izmir, and a mobile application will be created for indoor routing and navigation at the municipality building and Arts Center, aiming to help the disabled and elderly.

Duration: 12 Months

Total Budget (TL): 1.191.635

Grant Amount (TL): 750.000

Implementing unit: IMM Information Technologies Directorate

38. Digital Determination Benign Services

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency - Transformation into Knowledge-Based Society and ICT Grant Support Programme

Applicant: Kiraz Municipality

Project Purpose: By determining the disadvantaged people living in 56 separately located neighbourhoods in Kiraz, establishing a digital system including hardware and data network to provide uninterrupted and productive services, which aim to improve their living conditions and to deliver the required services (medical, social, technical assistance, etc.) to those who need them.

Partners: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

IMM's Role: To provide assistance in delivering services to those who are in need after undertaking of necessary determination. Within this framework, to provide assistance to personnel on basic health training, patient transfer, self-care, and treatment services; to provide the needs of the poor, old, and disabled; to give maintenance assistance, and to provide infrastructure services.

Total Budget (TL): 1.000.000

Grant Amount (TL): 750.000

Duration: 12 months

Implementation Unit: IMM Eşrefpaşa Hospital, Directorate of Social Services

39. BORBEL E-City Information System

Budget Line: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality "Transformation into Knowledge-Based Society and ICT Grant Support Programme"

Applicant: Bornova Municipality

Project Purpose: By integrating archive, institutional information document management, information technologies applications within the different units of Bornova Municipality among each other and with Geographical Information Systems (CBS) of Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, thus to achieve improvement in current administration management system, to ease access to services of local governments, by presenting internet and mobile technologies services for e-service applications, to contribute to the dissemination of applications that will serve for transfer of Izmir into information society.

Partners: Ege University, Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

IMM's Role: To use the data belonging to the Bornova District in Geographical Information Systems.

Total Budget (TL): 997.300,00

Grant Amount (TL): 747.975,00

Duration: 12 months

Implementation Unit: Department of Cartography and Geographical Information Systems, Department of Information Technologies

40. Leadership Programme for Security and Rule of Law

Budget Line: Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands Matra CoPROL (Cooperation with Pre-accession Countries on the Rule of Law)

Applicant: International Agency of the Association of Netherlands Municipalities (VNG International)

Project Purpose: 1. Leadership and Good Governance programme aimed at improving visionary and strategic leadership of high-level policy and decision makers at institutions in the public security sector; 2. Security benchmark and standard setting as a tool for improved performance and coherence with stakeholders; 3. Multi-stakeholder workshops to increase the capacity of government practitioners to include all civil society groups in the policy and decision-making process; 4. Training of trainers at institutes for public administration to enhance the training capacity of public administration and to sustain the leadership programme in the local context.

Partners: VNG International, Union of Municipalities of Turkey (TBB), Den Haag Academy, Center for International Legal Cooperation (CILC), Dutch Institute for Public Administration (ROI), Standing Conference of Towns and Municipalities of Serbia (SCTM), Albanian Foundation for Local Autonomy and Governance (FLAG), Izmir- Ankara- Konya Metropolitan Municipalities, Bolu- Erzurum- Trabzon Governorship, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Internal Affairs Directorate General of Provincial Administration, Directorate General of Security and Police Academy, Public Administration Institute for Turkey and Middle East (TODAIE).

IMM's Role: Taking part in training in EU standard-based leadership and good governance, security benchmarking activities, multi-stakeholder workshops, and training of trainers.

Duration: 24 Months

Implementing Unit: EU and Grant Projects Department

41. Increasing the Capacity of Vocational and Technical Education in Renewable Energy Technologies

Budget Line: IPA 4 - Increasing the Quality of Vocational and Technical Education in Turkey

Applicant: Ege University Solar Energy Institute

Project Purpose: To tackle unemployment and to increase the capacity of employers in the labour market, to increase the capacity of vocational and technical education professionals, and to create social awareness.

Partners: IMM, Bornova Municipality, Contributors: Çınarlı Industrial Vocational Education School, Buca Industrial Vocational Education School, Enisolar Company.

IMM's role: In the scope of dissemination of renewable energy and sustainability topics, IMM will attend the VETPRO group education to improve its human resources. After the project, IMM will implement the curriculum in its own educational branches.

Total budget (Euro): 275.912

Duration: 12 months

Implementing unit: Directorate of Vocation Factory, Directorate of Healthy Cities and Clean Energy

42. Mobile (Travelling) Kindergarten

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency Pre-School and Vocational Education Support Programme

Applicant: IMM

Project Purpose: To disseminate pre-school education in a fast and efficient way in the disadvantaged districts of Izmir and to contribute to socially based education models.

Partners: Izmir Directorate of Education

IMM's role: To create a Mobile Education Center (truck) and give free and quality education to disadvantaged districts of Izmir in pre-school education: Beydağ, Bayındır, and Kiraz. Moreover, to educate parents, teachers, and create public awareness.

Duration: 12 Months
Total budget (TL): 492.547 TL
Grant budget (TL): 443.085,50 TL
Implementing unit: Social Projects Department

43. Techno-Kitchen

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency Pre-School and Vocational Education Support Programme

Applicant: Izmir Advanced Technical School for Girls

Project Purpose: To transfer technology in culinary utensils, to strengthen vocational curriculum in culinary arts, to adapt students and teachers to innovative methods, and to provide qualified workers to the employment market.

Partners: IMM, Konak District Governorship, Izmir Directorate of Education, Konak Municipality, İzmir Chamber of Restaurants, İzmir Karşıyaka Private Educational Institution.
Contributors: Seçsan Food and La Cigale Restaurant.

IMM's role: To provide participants for project trainings, seminars, conferences, and to support promotion and dissemination activities.

Duration: 12 Months
Total budget (TL): 464.318.10
Implementing Unit: EU and Grant Projects Department

44. Solar Sludge Dryer establishment in Tahtalı Basin Wastewater Treatment Plant

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency Renewable Energy and Environmental Technologies Grant Scheme Programme

Applicant: IMM Directorate General of Izmir Water and Sewage Administration (İZSU)

Project Objective: Contribution to the dissemination of sludge (the end product of the wastewater treatment process) treatment using cost-effective renewable energy resources in Turkey, particularly in Izmir. It consist of the installment of the sludge drying plant by the project coordinator IMM Directorate General of Izmir Water and Sewage Administration, recycling the sludge back into the economy and the environment.

Duration: 12 months
Total Budget: 1.103.328 TL
Grant Amount: 827.496 TL
Relevant Branch: Directorate General of Izmir Water and Sewage Administration (İZSU) Wastewater Treatment Department

45. Action Network on Sustainable Urban Mobility – RAMUD

Budget Line: Cross-Border Cooperation within the European Neighbourhood and Partnership Instrument (ENPI) Mediterranean Sea Basin Joint Operational Programme

Project Purpose: Creating a specific network of expertise on urban travel and open to other cities and institutions to sensitise local authorities in the region on the need to adopt policies and strategies on sustainable urban travel using existing synergies within MEDCITIES; To strengthen exchange and cooperation in urban transportation, with particular attention to South-South, East-East and South-East being the currently almost nonexistent

Applicant: Municipality of Barcelona

Partners: Municipality of Barcelona (applicant) - Spain, Municipality of Sousse - Tunisia, Urban Community of Al-Fayhaa - Lebanon, TRAI.IN SpA – Sienna Mobility Services – Tuscany – Italy

Associates: Metropolitan Hydraulic Services and Waste Treatment Organisation of the Metropolitan Area of Barcelona, acting as Medcities General Secretariat – Barcelona – Spain, Izmir Metropolitan Municipality (IMM), Urban Community of Tétouan – Morocco, Barcelona Metropolitan Area Public Transport Operator - TRANSPORTS DE BARCELONA S.A., Barcelona, Spain

Location: Sousse (Sousse, Tunisia), Tripoli (Lebanon), Sienna (Tuscany, Italy), Barcelona (Catalonia, Spain)

Duration: 30 months

Participating unit in Izmir: IMM Transport Department

46. Mediterranean Network for the promotion of Sustainable Urban Development Strategies and three new Urban Development Strategies (USUDS)

Budget Line: Cross-Border Cooperation within the European Neighbourhood and Partnership Instrument (ENPI) Mediterranean Sea Basin Joint Operational Programme

Project Purpose: To create a network of cities interested in building strategies for urban sustainable development and develop three new Urban Sustainable Development Strategies (USDS) in Sousse (Tunisia), Saida (Lebanon), and Larnaca (Greek Cypriot Administration in South Cyprus).

Applicant: Metropolitan Hydraulic Services and Waste Treatment Organisation of the Metropolitan Area of Barcelona acting as Medcities General Secretariat

Partners: Metropolitan Hydraulic Services and Waste Treatment Organisation of the Metropolitan Area of Barcelona acting as Medcities General Secretariat (applicant) – Catalonia, Spain; Sfax City Council – Sfax, Tunisia; Strategic Research and Economic and Social Development Foundation (Fundación CIEDES) – Andalucía, Spain; Sousse City Council – Sousse, Tunisia; Saida City Council – Lebanon; Larnaca City Council - Greek Cypriot Administration in South Cyprus; Urban Community of Al Fayhaa – Lebanon

Associates: Barcelona City Council, Izmir Metropolitan Municipality (IMM), Tirana Municipality, German Technical Cooperation (GTZ), Marseille City Council, Ancona City Council

Location: Spain (Catalonia and Andalusia), Tunisia, (Sfax and Sousse), Lebanon, Greek Cypriot Administration in South Cyprus

Duration: 24 months

Participating unit in Izmir: IMM Strategy Development Directorate

47. A Tripartite Cooperation to Developing City Museology

Budget Line: Civil Society Facility EU-Turkey Intercultural Grant Programme (ICD MUSE)

Project Purpose: To support the intercultural dialogue between EU and Turkey by means of developing city museology and improving cooperation possibilities between city museums in European Union state members (Bologna Industrial Heritage Museum, Lisbon City Museum) and in Turkey (Ahmet Pristina City Archive and Museum - APIKAM).

Applicant: IMM Ahmet Pristina City Archive and Museum - APIKAM,

Partners: IMM Ahmet Pristina City Archive and Museum - APIKAM, Bologna Industrial Heritage Museum, Lisbon City Museum

Duration: 10 months

Total budget: € 142.271,05

Grant Amount: € 113.816,84

IMM's Contribution: € 28.454,21

Implementing unit: IMM Ahmet Pristina City Archive and Museum - APIKAM

48. Innovative Approaches To Giving Better Services For The Victims Of Domestic Violence

Budget Line: EU Lifelong Learning Programme LDV (VETPRO)

Project Purpose: Providing vocational mobility for workers in the field of domestic violence, gaining experience in fighting domestic violence, discovering innovative approaches and implementing legal regulations.

Applicant: Izmir Directorate of the Ministry of Family and Social Policies

Partners: Wave - Women Against Violence Europe (Hosting Partner), Izmir Directorate of Ministry of Family and Social Policies Counseling Center, Initial Admission and Guest House, Ismet Vural Multi-Purpose Social Service Organisation, Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Aliaga Municipality, Karsiyaka Municipality, Buca Municipality, Association for the Protection of Women's Rights, Izmir Solidarity Association for Women.

Location: Izmir, Vienna

Grant Amount: € 27.300

Implementing unit: IMM Department of Social Affairs Women Councelling Center

49. Establishment of a Sewage and Cesspool System in Bayındır District

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency

Project Purpose

Preventing water pollution in the Menderes River basin and improving the environmental quality of the region

Applicant: Directorate General of Izmir Water and Sewage Administration

Location: Izmir - Bayındır

Total Budget: 379.964,45 TL

Grant Amount: 284.973,34 TL

IMM's Financial Contribution: 94.911,11 TL

Implementing unit: IMM Directorate General of Izmir Water and Sewage Administration

50. Agora Excavation House Restoration Project

Budget Line: Izmir Development Agency Tourism and Environment Grant Support Programme

Project Purpose

1. To restore the historical structure of 19th-century domestic architecture present at the Agora Excavation Site at the Konak District of Izmir from the perspective of visual perception, and to promote it in architecture and restoration environments

2. To support the development of culture tourism at the City Centre by arranging interior functions of the structure to be restored as Agora Excavation House, which will increase the number of finds exhibited at the archaeology museum at the city centre and shed light on new academic studies drawn from these finds

3. To promote the Agora Excavation Site in archaeological environments in order to draw attention to the contribution that the improvement of the excavation site qualities at the City Centre in the Konak District of Izmir will make to tourism

4. Organising promotional seminars with the attendance of tourism sector representatives

Applicant: IMM

Location: Istiklal Neighbourhood, Konak District, Izmir.

Duration: 18 months

Dates implemented: 01.07.2010 – 07.01.2012

Total budget: 544.584,63 TL

Grant amount: 408.438,48 TL

Implementing unit: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality Historical Environment and Cultural Properties Directorate

51. CIVITAS CATALIST project

Budget Line: Activity Fund of the CIVITAS Initiative co-financed by the European Union Exchange Staff Activity

Project purpose

Working visit of expert personnel in bicycle applications to the City of Bremen within the scope of sustainable, green and energy-efficient urban transport measures

Implementing unit: IMM Transport Planning Directorate

52. Organic Waste Recycling Model in Small Family Farming Businesses

Budget line: Agriculture and Rural Development Grant Support Programme

Project Purpose

1. Establishing sustainable systems for the reduction of input costs of current and potential organic farming producers in Menderes, Seferihisar and Urla districts selected as pilot areas,
2. Forming model practices on the utilisation of organic waste producers' organic waste in Menderes, Seferihisar and Urla districts selected as pilot areas,
3. Extending the organic agriculture method in Menderes, Seferihisar and Urla districts selected as pilot areas

Applicant: IMM

Partners: Ege University Faculty of Agriculture, Soil Science and Plant Nutrition Department, and Ecologic Agriculture Organisation Association

Location: Villages of Yenikoy (Menderes District), Orhanli (Seferihisar District), and Yagcilar (Urla District) of Izmir

Duration: 12 months

Total budget: TL 599.500

Grant amount: TL 449.625

Implementing unit: IMM Agriculture, Parks and Recreation Department

53. Modeling Seismographic Observations in Izmir, Aliğa and Menemen Districts

Financial Source: TUBITAK (The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey - Public Research and Development Projects)

Project Purpose: The project aims to obtain field and laboratory data on the dynamic properties of Quaternary and Neogene young sediments in the İzmir Metropolitan Settlement Area, as well

as their strong ground motion characteristics, and to assess the scale of earthquake hazard arising from the soil conditions in İzmir in light of this data.

Partners – Research Institutions of the Project: Dokuz Eylül University Earthquake Research and Application Center (İzmir) and the Ministry of Public Works and Settlement, General Directorate of Disaster Affairs, Earthquake Research Department (Ankara).

Client Institutions of the Project: İzmir Metropolitan Municipality and the Ministry of Public Works and Settlement.

Total Budget: 3,8 million TL

Duration: 3 years

Implementing unit: IMM Urban Planning Directorate

54. Support to the Solution of Economic and Social Integration Problems in Istanbul, Izmir, Ankara and Bursa as Major In-Migrant Destinations (Internal Migration Integration Project)

Financial Source: Phare Programme - Turkey

Project purpose

Support to Istanbul, Ankara, Izmir, and Bursa municipalities to increase institutional capacity to mitigate socio-economic integration and environmental-related problems derived from migration, and to rehabilitate and reintegrate street children in the targeted districts.

Applicant: State Planning Organisation

Partners: Metropolitan Municipalities of Izmir, Istanbul, Ankara and Bursa

Sector: Economic and Social Cohesion (ESC)

Location: Izmir, Istanbul, Ankara, and Bursa

Duration: 18 months

Dates implemented: 01.12.2008 – 31.05.2010

Izmir's portion in the budget: € 3.101.750

Implementing unit in Izmir: IMM Culture and Social Affairs Department

55. Cennetcesme Integrates with the City

Budget line: Social Development Grant Support Programme

Project Purpose

1. Providing social support and investment to human resources within the scope of improving the social status of Cennetcesme Neighbourhood inhabitants
2. Developing education and vocational training opportunities of women and adolescents who are placed among disadvantaged groups in order to improve their employability by acquiring qualification
3. Developing urban awareness of Cennetcesme Neighbourhood inhabitants, showing them ways of access to social services in the City, and contributing to their harmonisation process with the City
4. Contributing to capacity development of related institutions in this field notably those organisations that are /will be operating in the area.

Applicant: IMM

Partners: Directorate of Karabaglar Public Education Centre

Location: Cennetcesme Neighbourhood, Karabaglar District, Izmir

Duration: 9 months

Dates implemented: 01.07.2009 - 10.04.2010

Total budget (accrued): TL 156.603,00

Grant amount: TL 117.452,25

Implementing unit: IMM Urban Transformation Directorate

56. A Sustainable Example in Social Development: Organic Agriculture in the (Urla – Seferihisar – Cesme – Karaburun) Peninsula

Budget line: Social Development Grant Support Programme

Applicant: IMM

Project Purpose

1. Contributing to the development of employment opportunities and income-generating activities in the Peninsula region of the Province of Izmir in a way that will accelerate social development of the region and Izmir; within this scope, dissemination of organic production in agriculture, which is the primary income source of the region, and promotion of the rural population's transition to organic agriculture
2. Improving information and awareness level and orienting the public, primarily the rural population in the Peninsula region of the Province of Izmir, towards socio-economic development and organic production relations
3. Promoting persons who are willing to do environment-friendly production, will be pioneers of it, and are not doing certified production, contributing to the improvement of their professional knowledge and skills in a pioneering way, and constituting model practices for its dissemination in the Peninsula region of the Province of Izmir
4. Contributing to a sustainable and systematic approach to rural poverty, socio-economic development, and organic agriculture issues by related public institutions, educational, research, and civil society organisations, and consumers in the Peninsula region of the Province of Izmir
5. Contributing to the development of marketing opportunities of current and potential organic agriculture producers, and within this scope, making supply meet demand in the Peninsula region of the Province of Izmir

Partners: Izmir Provincial Directorate for Agriculture, Ege University Faculty of Agriculture Department of Horticulture, and Ecologic Agriculture Organisation Association

Location: Urla and Seferihisar Districts of the Province of Izmir, City of Izmir

Duration: 9 months

Dates implemented: 01.07.2009 – 10.04.2010

Total budget (accrued): TL 130.818,20

Grant amount: TL 98.113,65

Implementing unit: IMM Agriculture, Parks and Recreation Department

57. Izmir's Healthy Mothers

Budget line: UNDP MDG Fund

Applicant: Aegean Region Chamber of Industry (EBSO)

Project Purpose

In line with Millennium Development Goals (MDGs): "Goal 5: Improve maternal health", this project comprises actions to raise consciousness and awareness of primarily women of reproductive age and of the public about issues on maternal health and health service facilities in Izmir, in order to increase the low utilization rate of reproductive health services due to various factors.

Consciousness and awareness of primarily women in Izmir aged between 15 and 49, and the public was raised on maternal and reproductive health.

Partners: IMM Esrefpasa Hospital (coordinating unit)

Location: Province of Izmir

Duration: 8 months

Dates implemented: 30.03.2009 - 30.11.2009

Total budget: \$ 22.220

Grant amount: \$ 20.000

Implementing unit: IMM Esrefpasa Hospital

58. Promoting and Protecting the Human Rights of Women and Girls' Urbanization through Literacy

Budget line: Sabanci Foundation Grant Program

Applicant: IMM

Project Purpose

This project aimed to troubleshoot "literacy" problems, which have been the most important stage in the adaptation of women from in-migrant families to the city. It aimed to teach 1st and 2nd stage literacy courses to 80 women resettled in Uzundere Collective Site and provide preschool training to 30 children between the ages of 4 and 6 from among their children within the scope of supporting the urban transformation project carried out by Izmir Metropolitan Municipality with social transformation.

Location: Kadifekale and Yesildere Neighbourhoods of the District of Konak, Izmir

Duration: 8 months

Total budget: TL 7.000

Implementing unit: IMM Culture and Social Works Department

59. Promotion of Roma Culture Through Theatre

Budget line: BG-UE-B2004-22.020401-ELARG

Applicant: Republic of Turkey Ministry of Culture and Tourism (MoC&T)

Project purpose

To promote the culture of Roma citizens living in Izmir to the people of Izmir by a theatrical play entitled "Once the Whole World Rendered My Homeland" written by Director Haluk Isik

Partners: IMM (applicant), Roma Culture Welfare and Solidarity Association

Location: Izmir

Duration: 9 months

Total Budget: € 44.836,20

Grant Amount: € 40.352,58

Implementing unit: Izmir Metropolitan Municipality Culture and Social Affairs Directorate

60. Active Labour Market Strategy Project - New Opportunities Programme (2002) Vocational Training Programmes for Technical Support Persons

Budget line: B7-050 TR/0205.01/002

Project Purpose: Programme intended for equipping young unemployed people with skills and/or enhancing young skilled labour to a better point.

Applicant: Turkish Employment Organisation (ISKUR)

Partners: Bornova District Municipality, Chamber of Mechanical Engineers Izmir Branch, Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Location: Bornova District, Izmir

Duration: 12 months

Total Budget: € 242.645,56

Grant Amount: € 218.363,00

Implementing unit: Bornova Municipality Culture and Social Affairs Directorate

61. Patient and Elderly Care Training Programme for Women

Budget line: B7-050 TR/0205.01/002

Project Purpose

Programme intended for changing the point of view of women towards social life and improving their self-confidence.

Applicant: Turkish Employment Organisation (ISKUR)

Partners: Bornova District Municipality, Ege University Nursing Vocational High School, Ege University Women Problems Research and Practice Centre (EKAM), Izmir Metropolitan Municipality, Zubeyde Hanim Elderly Home.

Location: Bornova District, Izmir

Duration: 10 months

Total Budget: € 107.879,64

Grant Amount: € 97.088,07

Implementing unit: Bornova Municipality Culture and Social Affairs Directorate

62. Integrated Programme for the Elimination of the Worst Forms of Child Labour in Selected Industrial Areas in Izmir by 2003 (Automobile, Footwear and Garment Sectors)

Budget line: ILO-IPEC and local contribution

Project Purpose

The aim of the project is to withdraw 1500 children under the age of 15 working in selected industrial areas (auto repair, footwear, and garment) of Izmir from working life and put them back to education, prevent other children from working in these work places, improve working conditions of 2000 working children between the ages of 15 and 18, prevent 500 younger siblings from child labour, provide 1500 families with social services and alternative income sources. As a result, 3479 children under the age of 15 were withdrawn from work and enrolled in primary school. 1000 children aged 15-18 were withdrawn from the worst forms of child labour and enrolled in the Apprenticeship Training Centres of the Ministry of Education. The project has reached 6079 children in total.

Applicant: Ministry of Labour and Social Security - Chairmanship of Labour Inspection Board

Partners: Ministry of Labour and Social Security (applicant), Governorship of Izmir, Izmir Labour Inspection Board, Izmir Provincial Directorate for Social Services, Izmir Directorate of Education, Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Location: Izmir

Duration: 33 months

Dates implemented: 01.09.2001 – 31.05.2004

63. An Integrated Programme for the Elimination of Worst Forms of Child Labour in Furniture Sector in Three Selected Provinces (Izmir, Ankara, and Bursa)

Budget line: Action Programme on Child Labour Under Project (TC number) TUR/03/P50/USA

Applicant: Ministry of Labour and Social Security – Chairmanship of Labour Inspection Board

Project Purpose: To support the elimination of child labour in dangerous industries in Turkey through withdrawal of all children under the age of 15 working in the furniture sector in Izmir, Ankara and Bursa and to improve working conditions of all children between the ages of 15 and 18 working under dangerous conditions in these sectors.

Partners: Governorship of Izmir, Izmir Metropolitan Municipality

Location: Provinces of Izmir, Ankara and Bursa

Duration: 24 months

USDOL Donor Contribution: USD 2.500.000

Contribution of Germany: USD 500.000

Turkish Government: USD 6.243.000