

Solid Waste Management in Polog Region, North Macedonia

Project Description

The nine municipalities of the Polog region are implementing an Integrated Waste Management (IWM) Project funded by the Swiss State Secretariat for Economic Affairs SECO, supported by INFRASTRUKTUR & UMWELT, in consortium with SEHLHOFF and BAR E.C.E.

The Project provides technical assistance to develop the framework conditions for an IWM system in the region. It supports the implementation of the new waste regulation in Polog municipalities and improvement of the organization of the regional and local waste disposal systems. It is designed to provide for advanced waste management solutions, based on the concepts and standards outlined in the EU standards and in national waste management legislation and policy, in line with EU accession roadmap.

The Project contributes to improved quality, effectiveness and sustainability of waste management services in the Polog Region and reduced negative environmental and health impacts. It will address immediate short-term remediation needs and will lay the basis for future regional infrastructure investments.

Results

- Implementation of the new waste regulation
 - Improvement of the organization of the regional and local waste disposal systems
- Established Inter-municipal Waste Management Utility in charge of operating Rusino landfill
- Definition of organizational setup and financial scheme for the operation of the regional landfill in Rusino and future waste treatment facilities

Our Services

- Preparation of a Regional Waste Management Plan (RWMP) and related studies
 - Feasibility Study for implementation of selected measures defined in the RWMP
- Preparation of designs and tender documents for priority short-term investment measures
- Design for rehabilitation/construction of selected waste treatment and disposal facilities

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Solid Waste Management

Country:

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Location:

Polog Region



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Regional Development Centre

Partners:

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