

We offer:

(To target regions)

- A task force of experts ready to provide 'hands on' support e.g. to write and build up your procurement
- Training sessions
- Distribution of valuable case studies
- National and international networking and knowledge sharing



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Sustainable procurement in municipalities focusing on energy efficient solutions



PRIMES
Green Public Procurement

Why green public procurement?

- Green Public Purchasing (GPP) is a powerful tool to reach strategic environmental target to 2020 and beyond
- Setting a good example and influencing the market towards more energy efficient solutions
- Engaging in GPP is a way of showing the municipality's work towards a sustainable community
- Improvement and rationalization of energy consumption and to obtain savings in energy consumption



The PRIMES project focuses on small and medium-sized municipalities, which can benefit greatly from collaboration.

Why invent the wheel twice? Learn from good examples and from information exchange:

- The PRIMES project will generate case studies from six countries across Europe offering support and expertise to municipalities and regions.
- Like GPP capacity building in the public sector results in market boost for green services and products.

Expected results:

- GPP capacity building in 70 organizations in the public sector resulting in 114 GPP contracts designed and tendered.
- Primary energy savings (45,500 tones via 114 procurements) reducing 71,133 tCO₂e/year

"You immediately realize how much potential there is and the difference in the results that can be achieved by taking a strategic rather than a traditional approach to procurement"

Aline De Tremerie,

Purchasing Director at the City of Ghent, Belgium (Participator in Procura+ - www.procuraplus.org)

