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for Climate & Energy



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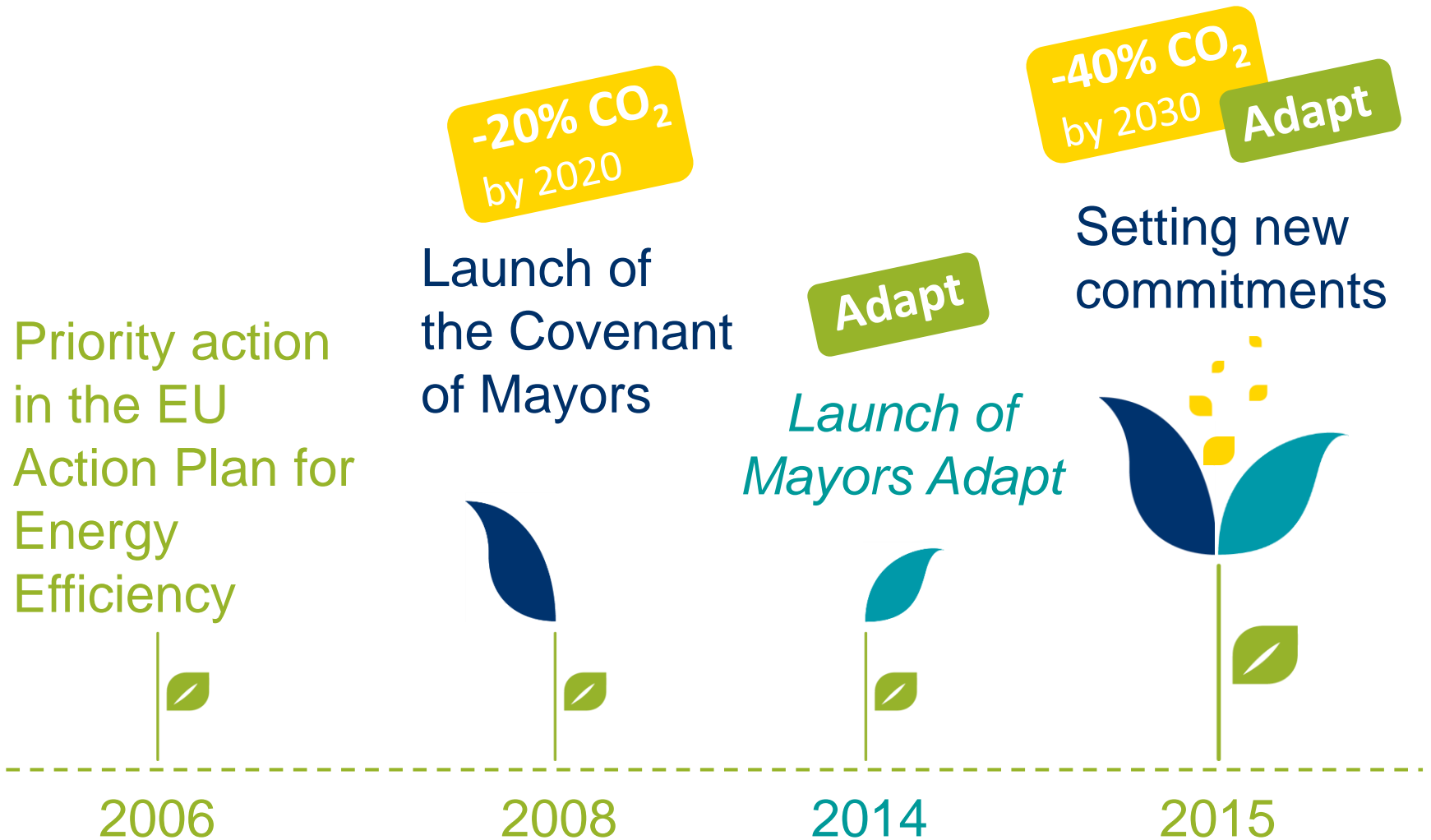
...brings together **local and regional authorities** voluntarily committed to implementing **EU climate and energy objectives** on their territory.

The Covenant of Mayors for Climate & Energy



- A **unique bottom-up movement** shaped by cities, for cities
- A shared vision of **decarbonised** and **resilient** cities where citizens have access to **secure, sustainable and affordable energy**
- A **growing and inclusive community** now counting over **7,500** signatories representing over **235 million citizens**

Evolution of the initiative



The Covenant of Mayors going global



2008



Launch of the Covenant of Mayors (CoM)

2011



CoM Office for Eastern Europe

2012



CoM extends to South Mediterranean (CES-MED)

2014



Mayors Adapt (sister initiative on adaptation)

2015



New framework (merger w/ Mayors Adapt)

2016



Going global!
CoM Office for Sub-Saharan Africa

2017

Launch of the **Global Covenant of Mayors** for Climate & Energy

The Covenant of Mayors going global



The Covenant of Mayors in Europe

key figures



7,500+ signatory cities,

Incl. 778 signatories to the new Covenant of Mayors for Climate & Energy

ca. 360 regions, provinces, associations, local & regional energy agencies

35+ Associated Partners



5,900+

Action Plans developed



... average CO₂-emission reduction of about **27%** by 2020

Achievements of signatory cities



As of 2015:

-23% greenhouse gas emissions

-14% energy consumption

x4 share of renewable energy sources in
final energy consumption (**14%**)

x3 local renewable energy production

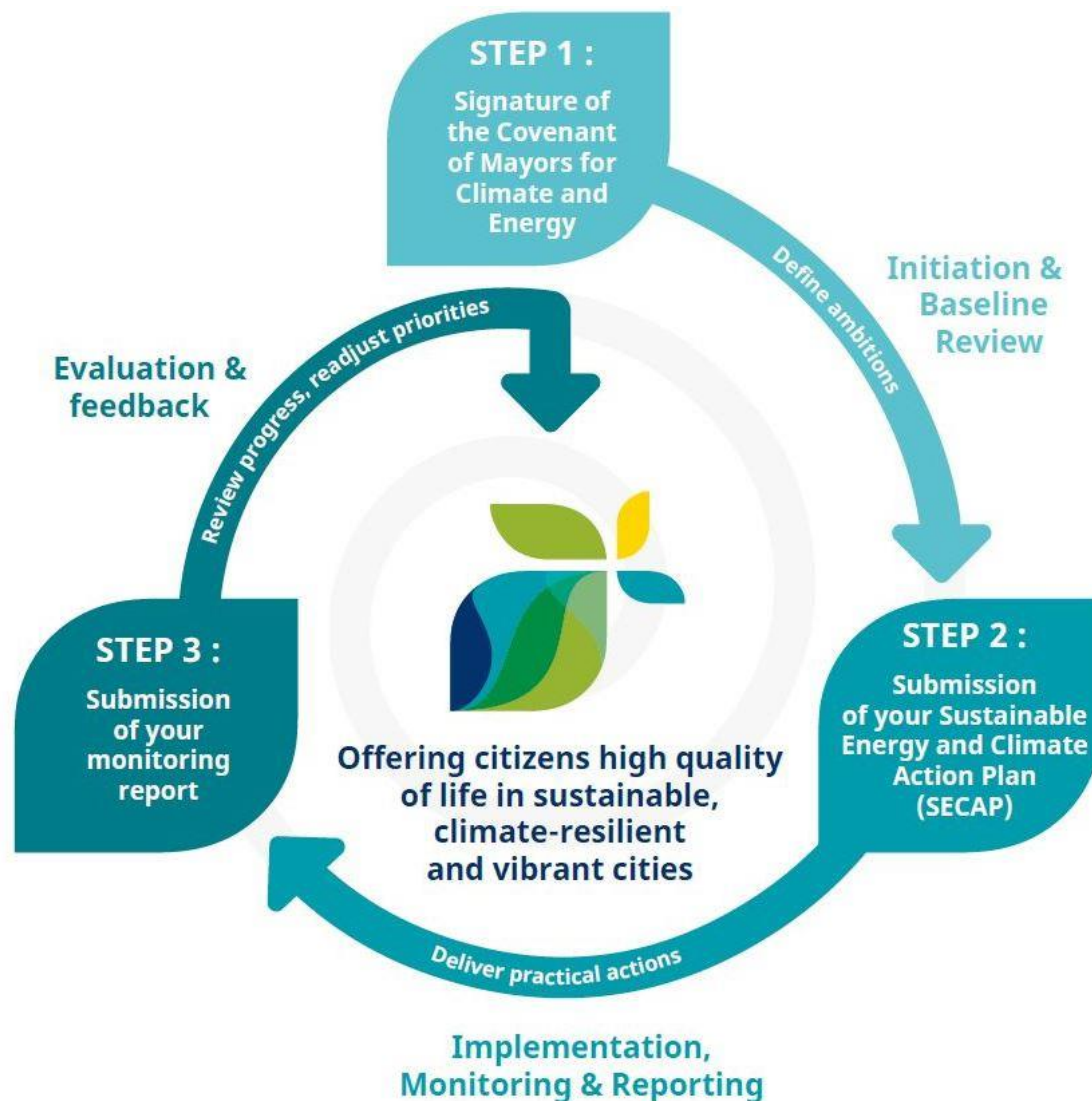
Commitments in Europe



Signatories pledge to:

- Reduce CO₂ (and possibly other GHG) emissions by at least **40% by 2030**
- Increase their resilience** by adapting to the impacts of climate change
- Translate their political commitment into local results by developing local **action plans** and **reporting** on their implementation

The Covenant step by step



A reference framework for action



- **Consistency and transparency** thanks to a common reporting framework for all, **flexible and adjustable** to local realities
- **High visibility** *via* personalised signatory profiles on the Covenant website
- **Evaluation** of the data reported by the Commission's independent scientific centre
(signatories are suspended in case of non-compliance)

The Covenant Community



Signatories

Villages, towns, cities, counties

Coordinators

*Regions, Provinces, Ministries,
national energy agencies*

Covenant of Mayors Clubs

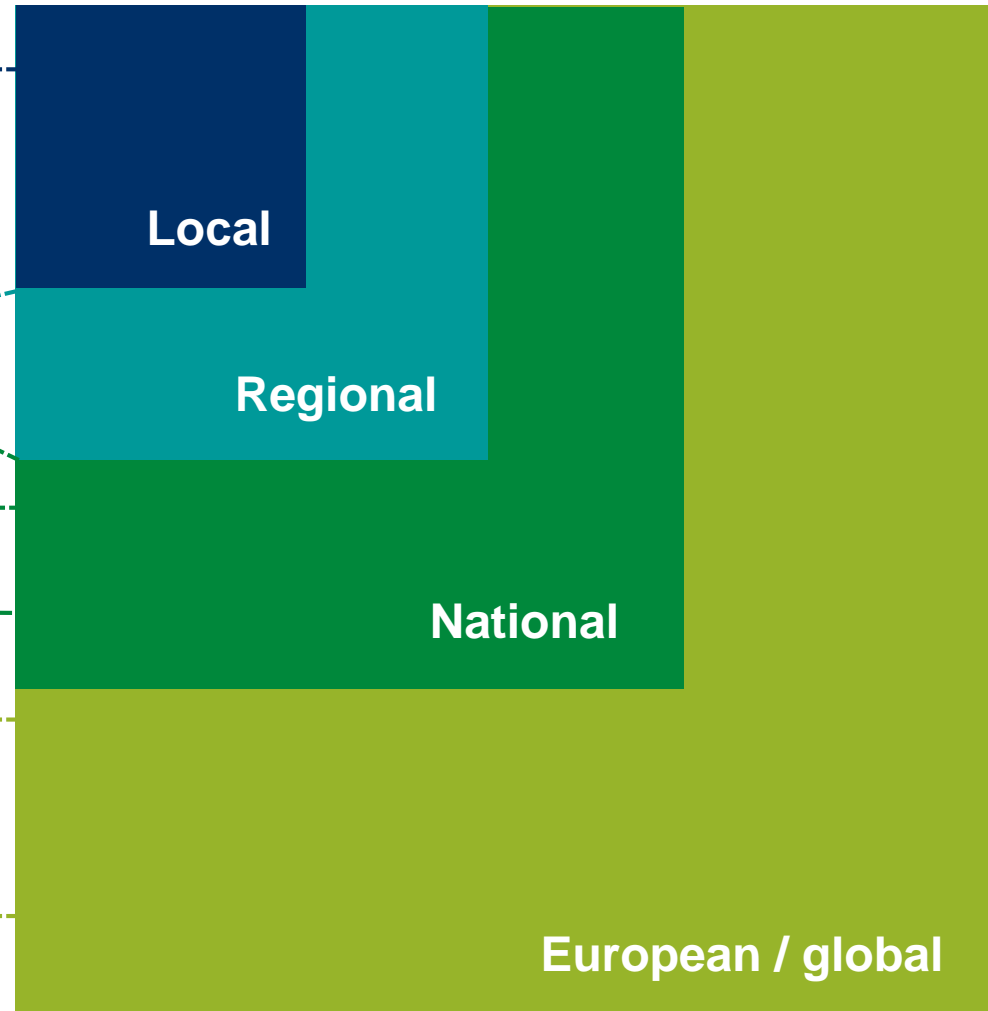
Academia

Associated Partners

*European federations of companies, NGOs,
international networks*

Supporters

Non-profit organisations, associations, agencies



Supporting signatories



Specific methodological materials:

Action Plan template & instructions

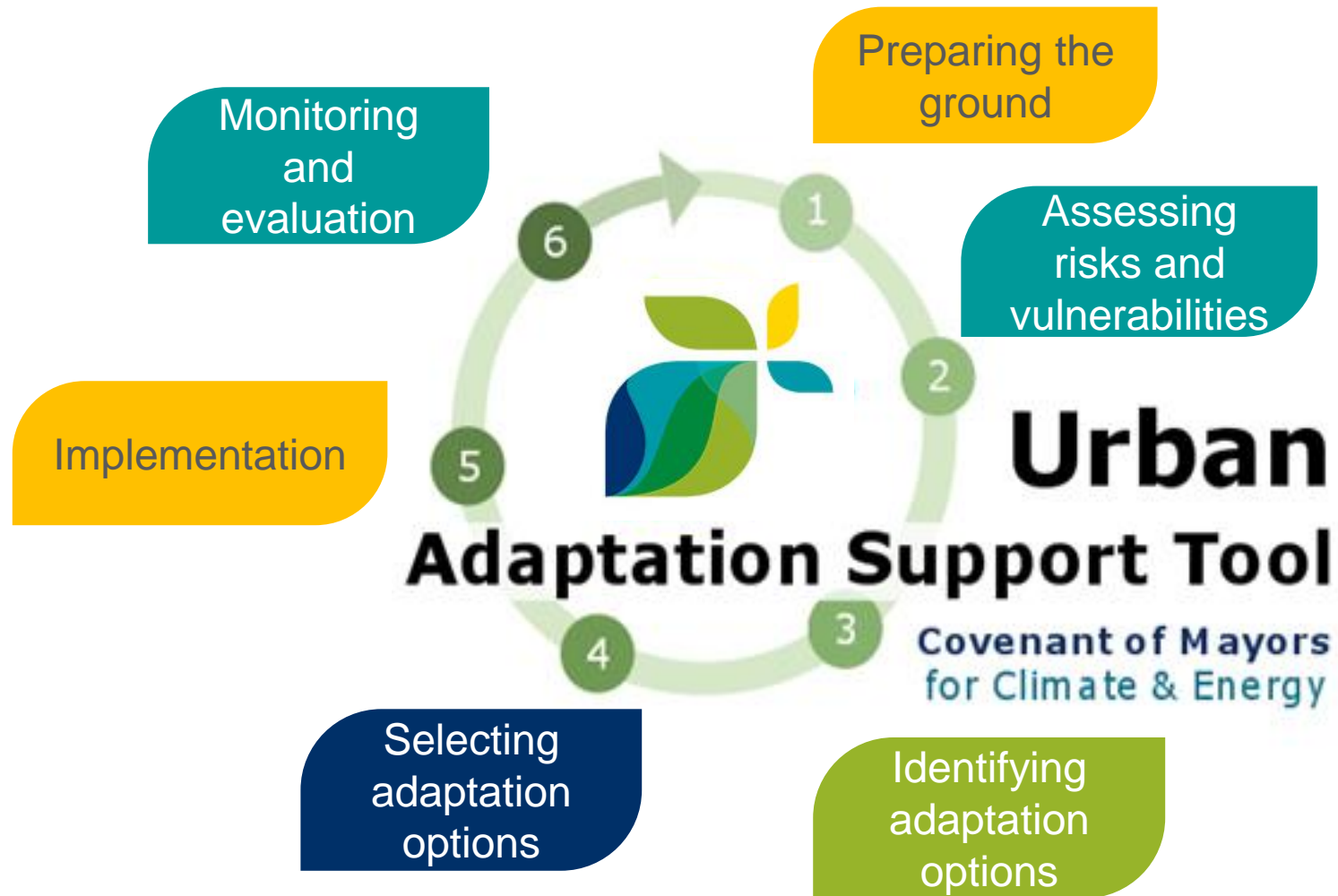


Guidance materials



Thematic leaflets


Supporting signatories



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Funding instruments


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Quick Reference Guide

Financing Opportunities for Local Climate & Energy Actions (2014-2020)

European Structural and Investment Funds	European Funding Programmes	Project Development Assistance	Financial Institutions Instruments	Alternative Financing Schemes
ERDF	LIFE	ELENA EIB	EFSI	EPC
Cohesion Fund	Urban Innovation Actions	ELENA KfW	Municipal Loans	Crowd-funding
ESF	CIVITAS Activity Fund	Horizon 2020 Call EE22	Deep Green (PF4EE)	Soft Loans, guarantees
EAFRD	URBACT III	JASPERS	NCFE	Revolving loan funds
EMFF	Territorial Cooperation		EEEF	On Bill Financing
	Horizon 2020			Green Municipal Bonds

Applying for ESIF:

- CLLD

Supporting signatories



Covenant Capacity-Sharing Corner:

- Discussion Forums – Exchange With Your Peers
- Resource Library – Search, Add and Rate Resources

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Supporting signatories



Capacity-building events:

- Webinars
- Workshops
- Finance working groups
- City-twinning programme



Supporting signatories



Helpdesk

- General helpdesk
- Country-specific helpdesks:
Italy, Spain, Germany & Austria





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