



PROJECT

Zero Waste Cyprus

waste management culture

Intelligent monitoring and efficient
waste reduction in Cyprus Island

LIFE-IP CYzero Waste - LIFE20 IPE/CY/000011

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Meet the Integrated Project LIFE-IP CYzero Waste
«Intelligent monitoring and efficient waste reduction in
Cyprus Island»!





Waste Management Culture

The Integrated Project LIFE-IP CYzero Waste
«Intelligent monitoring and efficient waste reduction in Cyprus Island»

The project aspires to contribute to the implementation of the Municipal Waste Management Plan and the National Waste Prevention Program, based on the principles of waste prevention and the circular economy, adopting practices and aiming to change the behavior and mindset of citizens.

Aim of the Project



The project aspires to contribute to the implementation of:

1 The Municipal Waste Management Plan 2022-2028

2 The National Waste Prevention Program

3 The National Action Plan for Circular Economy



PROJECT DURATION

01/10/2021 - 30/09/2029
(8 years)



BUDGET

€14.785.848



COFUNDING

EU: € 8.871.508,8 (60%)



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PROJECT PARTNERS

The project is coordinated by the Department of Environment of the Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment and is implemented in collaboration with 17 strategic partners.

Central Public Administration

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- Department of Environment (Coordinator)
- Agricultural Research Institute

Local Government

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- Nicosia Municipality
- Larnaka Municipality
- Limassol Municipality
- Pafos Municipality
- Geroskipou Municipality
- Aradippou Municipality
- Polis Chrysochous Municipality
- Paralimni Municipality
- Ayia Napa Municipality

Academic Institutions

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- National Technical University of Athens

Development Agencies

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- ANETPA – Pafos Development Company Aphrodite Ltd
- ANET – Troodos Development Company
- ANELEM – Development Agency of Lemesos Ltd
- ANETEL – Development Agency of Larnaka – Ammochostos Ltd
- ANEL – Nicosia Development Agency

Non-Governmental Organisations

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- Cyprus Chamber of Commerce and Industry

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PILOT ACTIONS LIFE-IPCyzero Waste

WASTE STREAMS

- Recyclable Materials
- Hazardous Household Waste
- Food waste and Agro waste
- Marine litter and discarded fishing gear

PILOT AREAS

- Municipalities
- Communities
- Fishing Shelters

TOOLS

- Pay As You Throw
- Introduction and implementation of the landfill Tax
- Introduction and operation of the Waste Management Fund
- Development of secondary raw material standards to support circular economy implementation

COORDINATING BODY

Introduction of institutional changes with the creation of a Coordinating Body between Central Government and Local Authorities for Waste Management

Stakeholder awareness

- Information, awareness and training

Inaugural Event

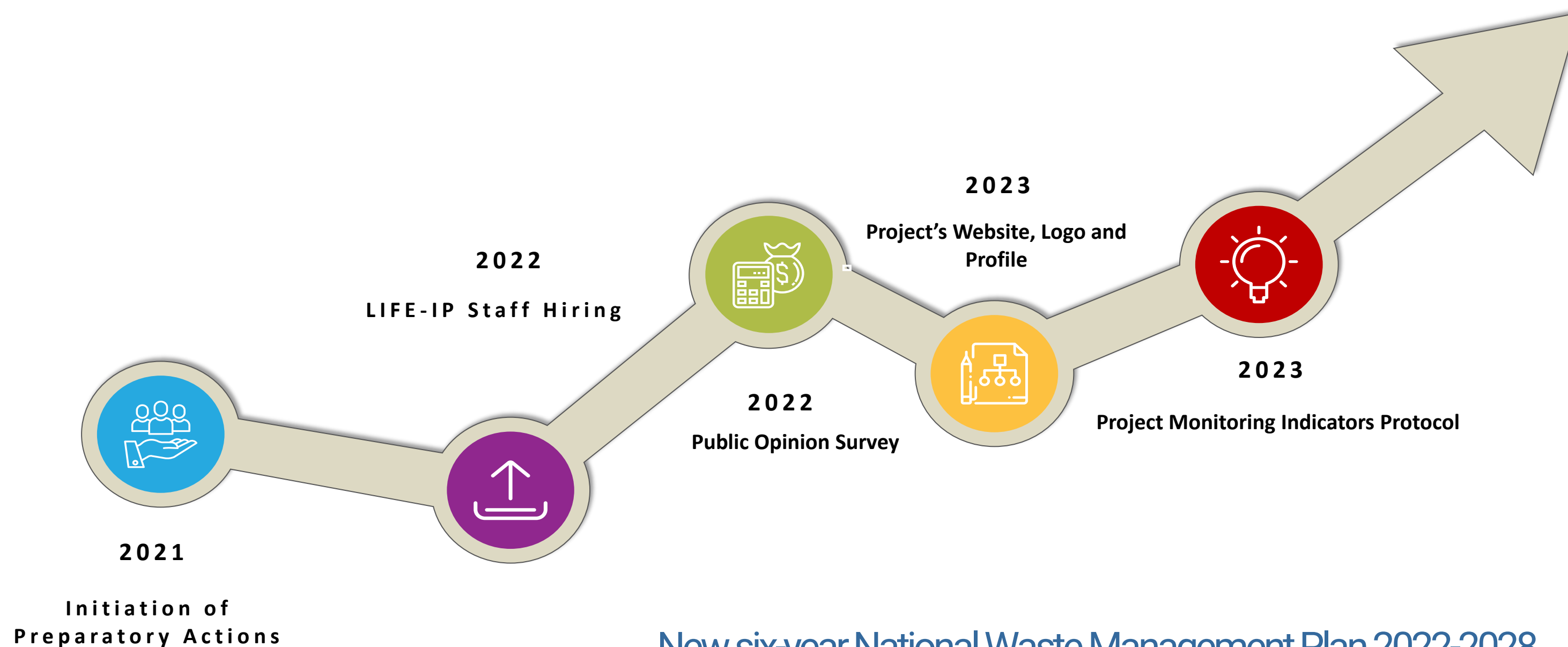
KICK OFF MEETING



The Kick Off meeting of the project took place on Monday, March 21, 2022, in Nicosia, in the presence of the project's teams, the Department of Environment (Project Coordinator) and its partners.

The event was welcomed by the Minister of Agriculture, Rural Development & Environment, Dr. Kostas Kadis and the Director of the Environment Department, Dr. Kostas Hatzipanagiotou. Afterwards, presentations were made on the administrative bodies, communication, financial management and project actions.

Our Starting Point



New six-year National Waste Management Plan 2022-2028

The new NWMP has been updated with a time horizon until 2028, which was ratified by the Council of Ministers Decision in July 2022.



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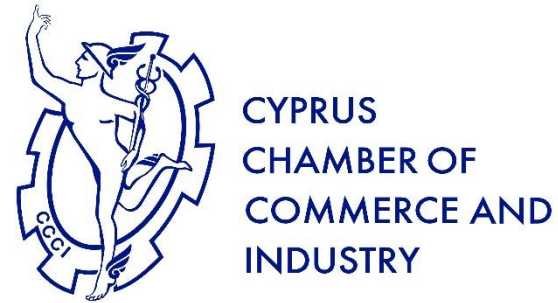
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