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Progress on ELC Implementation in SERBIA

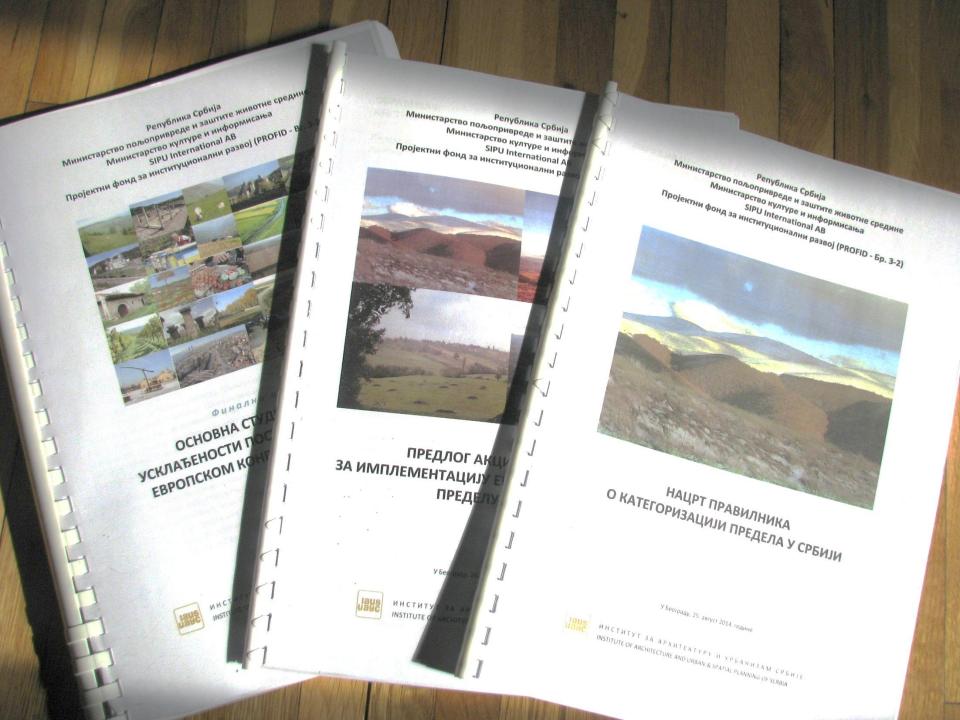
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Current Legislation

- Law on Environmental Protection
- Law on Nature Protection
- Law on Environmental impact Assessment
- Law on Strategic Environmental Impact Assessment
- Regulation on Ecological Network
- The new Spatial Plan of the Republic of Serbia (2010/2020)
- National Strategy for Sustainable Development (2010)
- National program for Environmental Protection
- Biodiversity Strategy of the Republic of Serbia (2011/2018) Strategy Forestry Development Strategy of the RS (2006)
- Serbia Agriculture Development Strategy (2006)
- Tourism Development Strategy of the RS (2006)



CONTENT OF THE ACTION PLAN

- Basic framework of the ELC
- Overview of the implementation of the ELC within EU countries
- Evaluation of the implementation of the ELC in Serbia
- The benfits of the ELC implementation in Serbia
- Vision, aims and priorities for the implementation of the ELC in Serbia
- Plan of activities for implementation of the ELC for the period 2015-2020
- Monitoring and reporting on realization of the AP ELC RS
- Annex I (Definitions)
- Annex II (Baseline Study)

Monitoring and reporting on the implementation of the Action plan

- Ministry of Agriculture and Environmental Protection
- Ministry of Culture and Information,
 - The process of monitoring will include monitoring of the implementation of all priority activities and projects for their implementation in the period 2015-2020.

LEGISLATIVE BASIS

- The Law on Nature Protection ("OG of RS" No.36/2009, 88/10)
 - the criteria for identification of landscapes and the method for assessing their significant and characteristic features shall be prescribed by the Minister (par. 5, Article 26);
- The Law on Ratification of the European Landscape Convention ("OG of RS", International Agreements No.4/11)
- The Law on Environmental Protection ("OG of RS", No. 135/04, 36/09)
- The Law on the Spatial Plan of the Republic of Serbia ("OG of RS", No. 88/10)

CONTENT OF THE RULEBOOK

- TEXT OF THE RULEBOOK
- APPENDIX 1:
 - DEFINITION OF TERMS
- APPENDIX 2:
 - PROCEDURE OF IDENTIFICATION AND ASSESSMENT OF LANDSCAPE

Belgrade Workshop





PILOT PROJECT 2015

Increasing Capacities of Šumadija and Pomoravlje districts for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention

Project Holder:

Regional Economic Development Agency for Šumadija and Pomoravlje (REDASP)

Project is to be implemented in cooperation with Ministry of Culture and Information of the Republic of Serbia – Agreement signed

Project duration:
March 2015 – December 2015



This project strongly supports efficient implementation of the European Landscape Convention and implementation of the development strategies and spatial plans introducing the new, landscape category. Intention is that it should be well described and recognized within the various planning documents.

Territory of project implemementation: Šumadija and Pomoravlje districts – 11 Municipalities and 2 Cities - 5001κμ², 5.6% of the total are of the Republic of Serbia.





PROJECT GOAL

Identification of the resources of Šumadija and Pomoravlje districts tied to the implementation and promotion of the European Landscape Convention

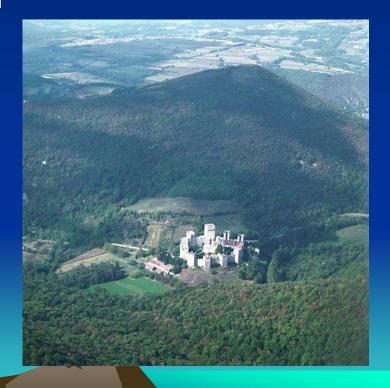
In compliance with many efforts and documents in domain of improvements of the environment and protection of the natural resources this specific project have aim to establish a solid base for efficient networking and cooperation among the institutions, organizations and citizens of the territory.

The role of the local government as well as other relevant regional and institutions, public organizations, private sector and citizens should be properly understood in order to betterproperly identify the resources of the Sumadija and Pomoravlje districts and easily implement measures and actions for sustainable development of territories.

The project promotes:

- ☐ lintegration of different knowledge-production approaches to observation of the territory (economic, social, environmental, historic/cultural, perceptive/visual, etc.).
- □ Raising awareness with the particular aim of securing public involvement in landscape policy choices, establishment and availability of landscape databases.

This knowledge is to be gained through various forms of public involvement in the process of landscape policy definition.



OBJECTIVES

- IDENTIFICATION AND ASSESSMENT OF LANDSCAPE CHARACTER
 TYPES
- USE OF EXPERIENCE IN SPATIAL DATABASE CREATION
- USE OF EXPERIENCE FOR POTENTIAL AMENDMENTS TO THE RULEBOOK
- PUBLICATION OF RESULTS IN A FORM OF STUDY AND DESIGNING OF WEBSITES FOR REGIONAL AGENCIES IN SUMADIJA&POMORAVLJE
- PREPARATION OF MATERIAL FOR THE PRESENTATION AND PROMOTION OF ACTIVITIES FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ELC
- INDIRECT CONTRIBUTION TO RECOGNITION OF LANDSCAPES IN SERBIAN LEGISLATION







