

Programmatic Cooperation Framework for
Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Republic of Moldova, Ukraine and Belarus



REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA

20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BODIES

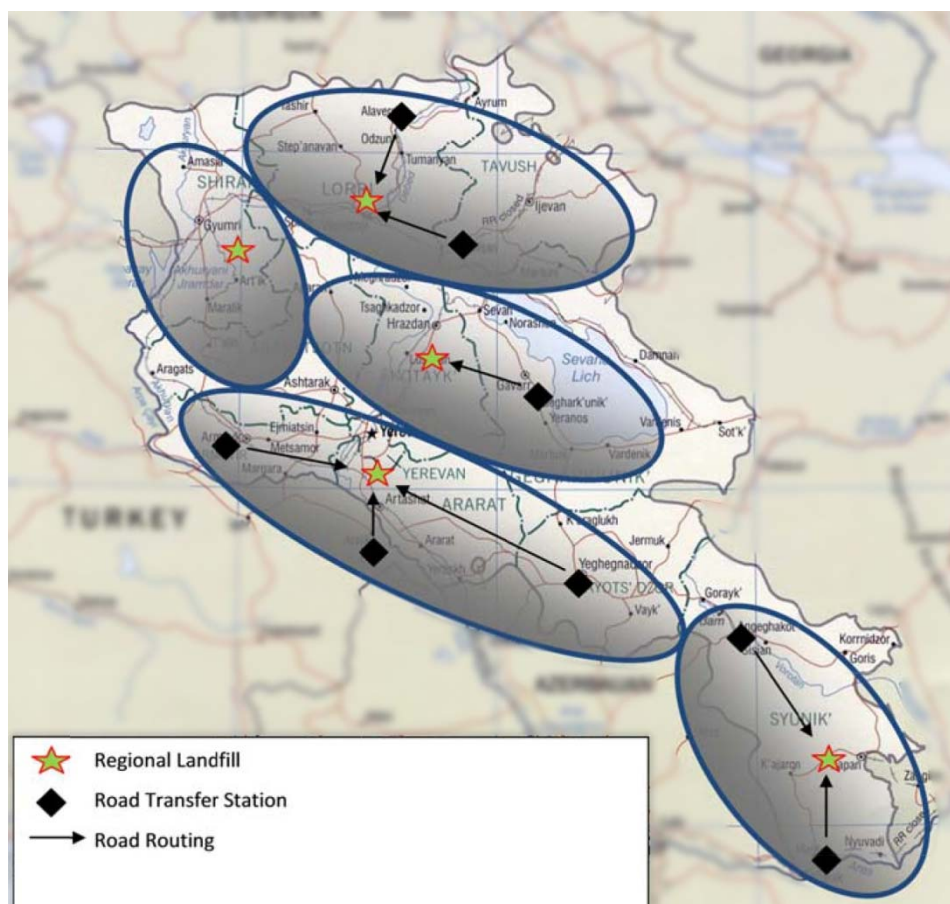
Inter-municipal cooperation - synergy of
local self-government and better services
for citizens on solid waste management

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IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF PUBLIC SERVICES IN SOLID HOUSEHOLD WASTE MANAGEMENT



5 Regional landfills (National Strategic Approach)

SYSTEM – regional sanitary landfills

Covering – 2 regions are served by a

First project

Project name; ‘Kotayk and Gegharkunik solid waste management project’ - financed by EBRD

Project communities; 12 municipalities in Kotayk and Gegharkunik regions

Sanitary landfill; located in Hrazdan (one of the project municipalities)

Covered area; two regions with population of more than 0,5 mln.

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Main Objective of the project;

- to improve waste collection and transportation service in target communities,
- to construct regional sanitary landfill where all generated waste in two regions will be disposed.



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Key points of the projects

- Establishment of company (joint venture)
- Construction of regional sanitary landfill
- Construction of transfer stations (2 in Gegharkunik region)
- Procurement of equipments (tracks) and containers
- Public awareness and training



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Responsibilities of Project Municipalities

- establish Project Company (joint venture of 12 project municipalities)
- co - operate with stakeholders or public awareness campaign proposed pursuant to the stakeholders participation programme
- staff the Project Company and train such staff and take necessary steps required to make the Project Company ready to carry out the Project;
- invite private and municipal operators, through open tendering, to bid for all waste collection services
- stop operating and close any existing landfill located in the municipalities

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KEY COMPONENTS

CAPEX (capital expenditure)

- New landfill
- Two new transfer stations
- New solid waste collection points
- Equipment for solid waste collection
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- Special-purpose equipment

Technical Assistant (consultations)

- Corporate Development, Stakeholder Participation and Municipality Support Programme
- Project Implementation Support
- Environmental and social impact assessment

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Importance and benefits

- established inter-municipal cooperation (joint venture)
- introduction of effective practical mechanisms of solid household waste management
- contribution to environmental protection
- safe and comfortable environment for citizens
- new high quality of public utilities



Save environment by means of
effective inter-municipal cooperation

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