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EUROPE



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Stepping up action for a fairer,
climate-neutral Europe



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GLOBAL COVENANT
of MAYORS for
CLIMATE & ENERGY

THE WORLD'S LARGEST MOVEMENT

ON LOCAL CLIMATE AND ENERGY ACTIONS



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As part of the European Covenant of Mayors movement, **cities and towns** are taking **climate and energy action** to secure a better future for their **citizens**.



Some key figures



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11 000+ Signatories



mitigation



adaptation



energy
poverty

7 500+ action plans submitted, including 2 000+ joint action plans



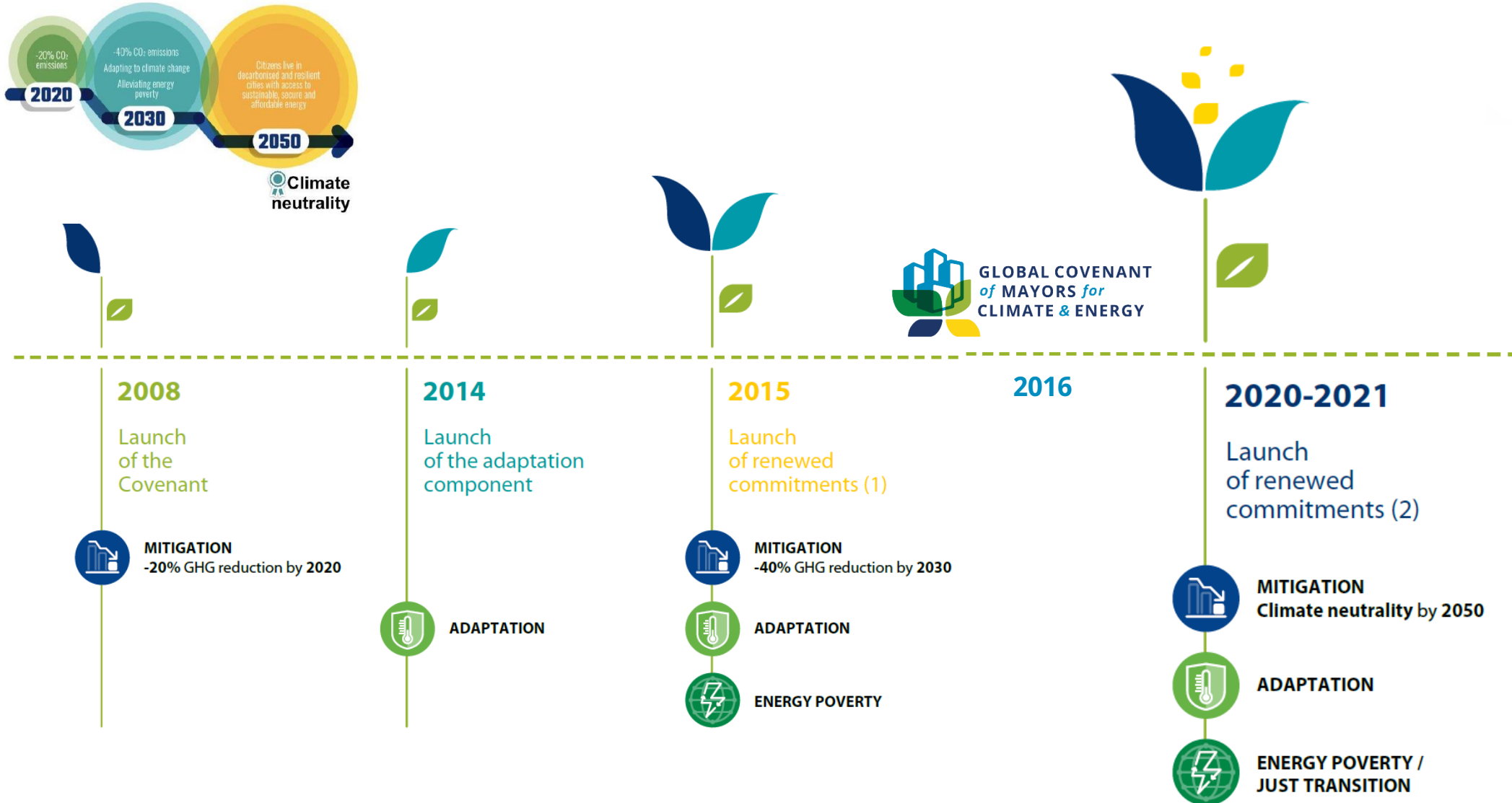
200+ Covenant coordinators 280+ Covenant supporters

as of October 2023

Evolution of the Covenant of Mayors – Europe



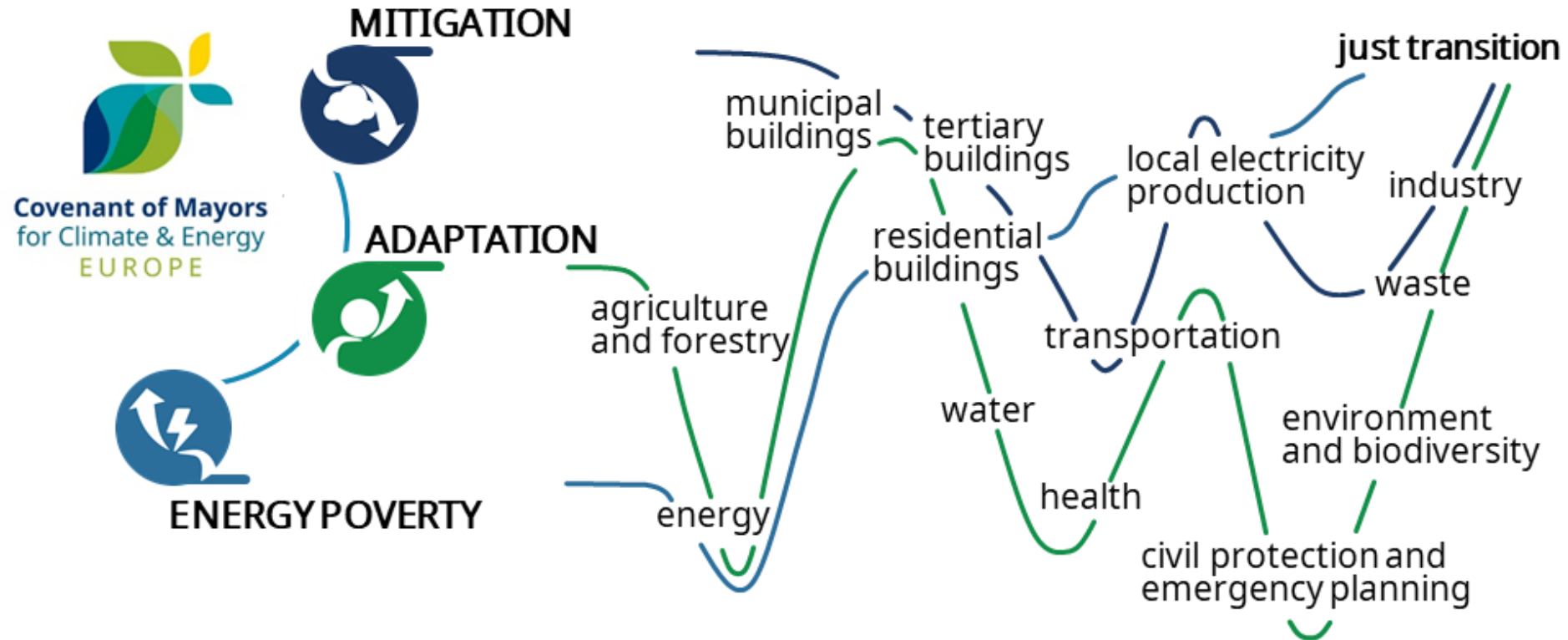
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Three pillars



that translate to action in reducing GHG emissions, strengthening resilience, tackling energy poverty and ensuring a just transition.



Covenant Political Board



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2023 COVENANT EUROPE CONFERENCE

CITIES ON THE FRONTLINE OF THE ENERGY CRISIS

30 MARCH 2023



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The Cities Energy Saving Sprint | Video Testimonials



Kozani, Greece



Castel Maggiore,
Italy



Ghent, Belgium



Lyon, France



Stockholm, Sweden



Pedreguer, Spain



Cesena, Italy



Lahti, Finland



Selnica ob Dravi,
Slovenia



Helsinki, Finland



Liepaja, Latvia



Lodz, Poland

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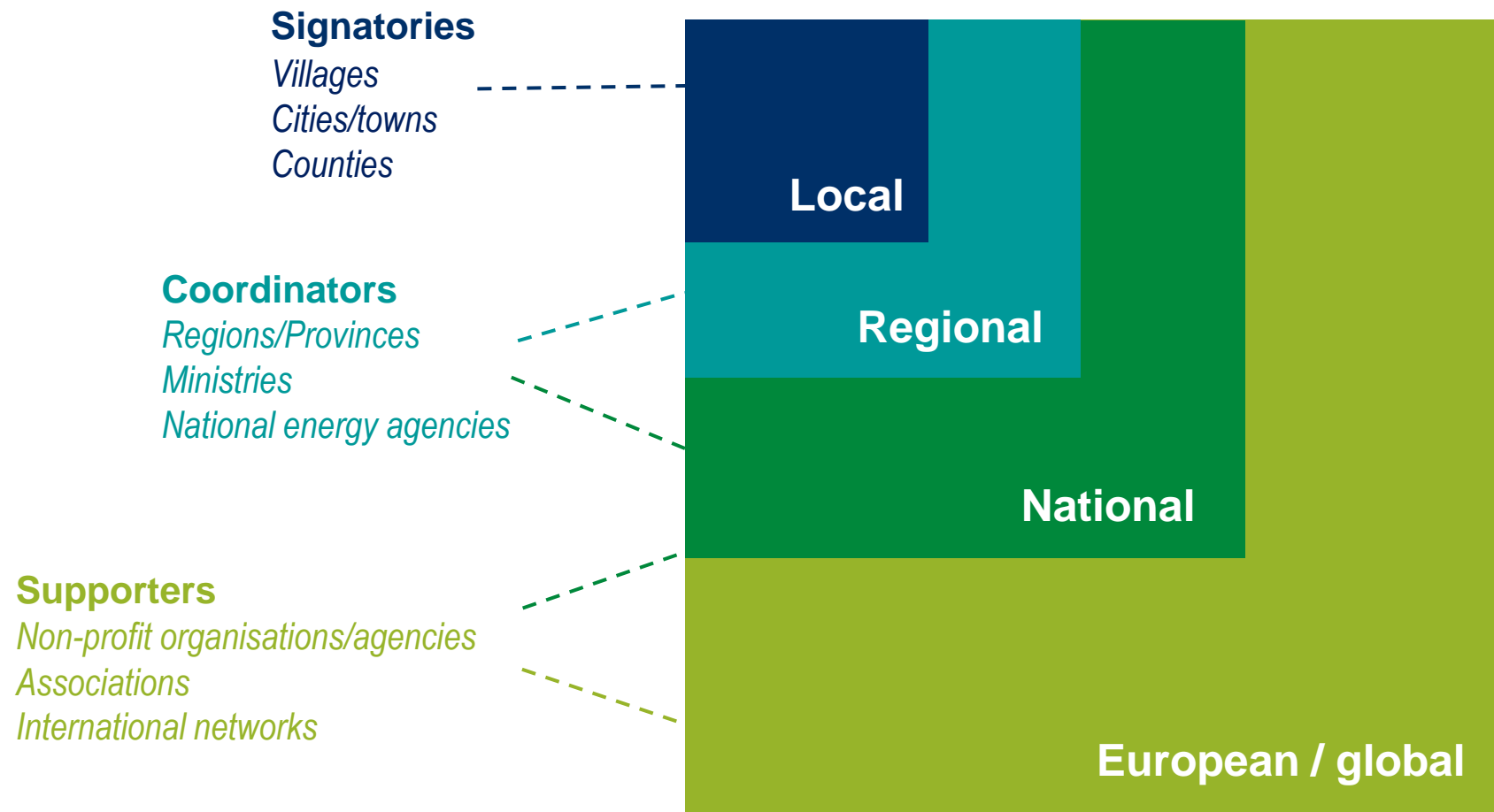
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Covenant Multilevel Governance approach

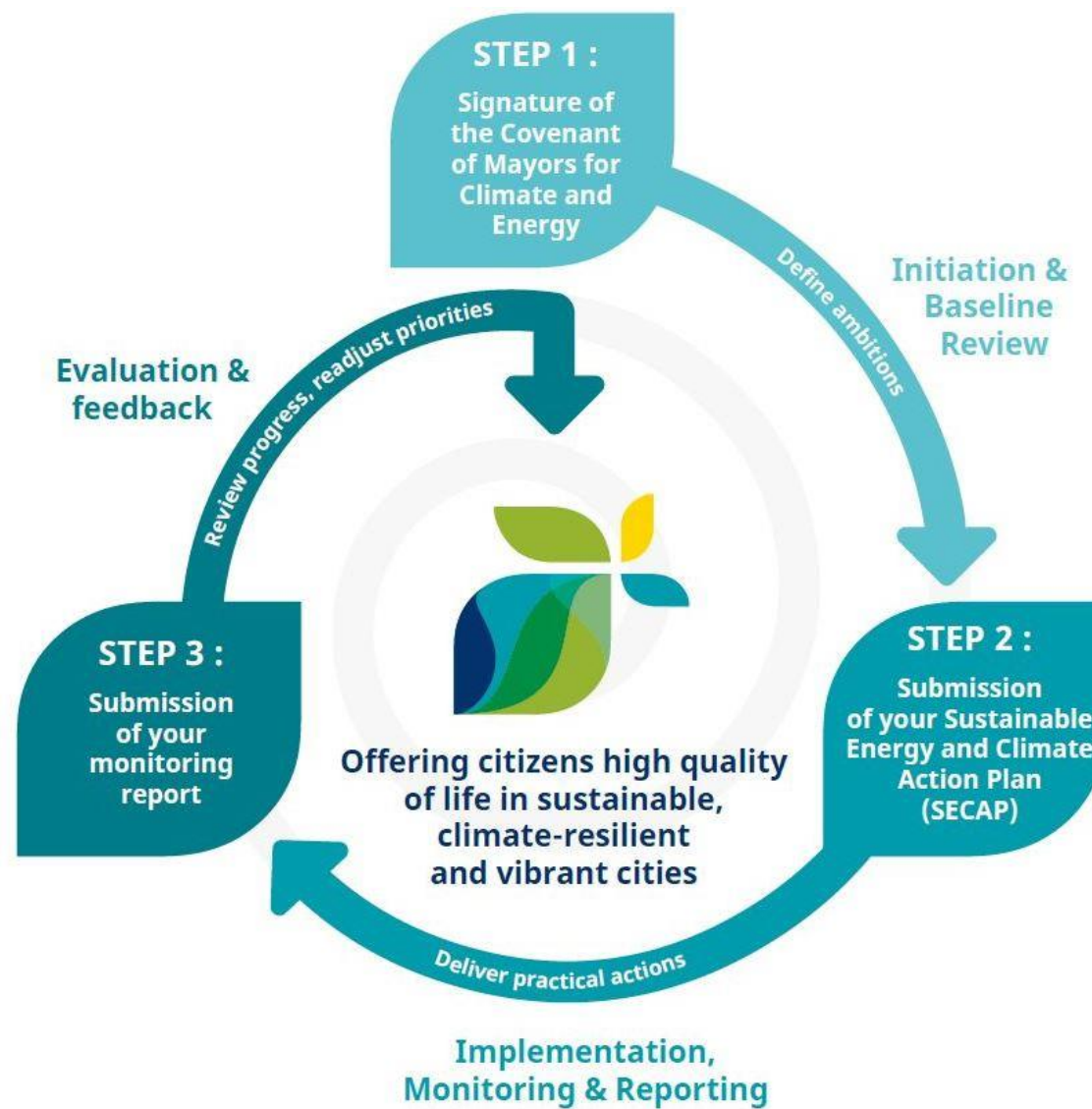


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Support for Covenant signatories



METHODOLOGICAL GUIDANCE



Covenant Reporting Guidelines and video tutorials on reporting to the Covenant

JRC Guidebook on methodological principles, procedures, and best practices to develop action plans

Compilation of all [methodological guidance](#)

CAPACITY BUILDING



Webinars dedicated to a variety of climate and energy topics, featuring practical experiences and lessons learned

Workshops including country-specific meetings tailored to the needs of signatories

Peer learning programmes tailored to signatories at various stages of the climate adaptation and mitigation journey

WEBINARS ON CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION

Click on the boxes to watch recording of webinars

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| <p>Implementing a pathway approach for adaptation at the local level Presentations >>></p> | <p>Co-creation of climate action and adaptation support tools by local governments and researchers Presentations >>></p> | <p>How to engage citizens in local climate action with online tools? Presentations >>></p> | <p>Business models for nature-based solutions Useful information >>></p> | <p>Integrating mitigation and adaptation for more effective climate action</p> |
| <p>#1: Assessing risks and vulnerabilities Useful information >>></p> | <p>#2: Designing an adaptation strategy and action plan Useful information >>></p> | <p>#3: Monitoring and evaluating adaptation actions Useful information >>></p> | <p>#4: Financing adaptation actions Useful information >>></p> | |



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KNOWLEDGE SHARING

Case studies

to share and learn from the experiences of Covenant signatory cities



Thematic publications on

Adaptation measures to prepare for floods, heatwaves and other climate change impacts



TOOLS



Urban Adaptation Support Tool ⇒ guidance on the entire adaptation cycle and references to resources

E-learning platform ⇒ thematic modules in MyCovenant on the Covenant commitments



Case studies

- Wrocław, Poland: **Citizens catching the rain for climate adaptation**
- Riba-Roja de Túria, Spain: **Building fire resilience using recycled water**
- Barcelona, Spain: **Using insurance data to improve resilience to climate change**
- Brno, Czech Republic: **Rainwater management in Pod Plachtami Park**
- Breda, the Netherlands: **The See2Do projects encourages citizens to improve energy efficiency**
- Métropole Nice Côte d'Azur, France: **Pavement irrigation to improve thermal comfort**
- Murcia, Spain: **Measuring social vulnerability and sectoral adaptive capacity**
- Kispest - Budapest District XIX, Hungary: **Tackling local needs: the development of an adaptation strategy using a citizen survey**





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