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NATIONAL INFORMATION EVENT

EUROPEAN MISSION ON CLIMATE-NEUTRAL AND SMART CITIES

DATE AND TIME:

WEDNESDAY, 15 DECEMBER, 11:00–12:30 EET

OBJECTIVE

On 25 November 2021 the European Commission launched a [Call for Expression of Interest](#) addressed to cities, inviting them to join the [Mission on Climate-Neutral and Smart Cities](#) (Cities Mission). This call remains open until 31 January 2021 and cities can express their interest via an online questionnaire.

The objective of the event is to inform the cities of Cyprus on the opportunities and benefits available to them under the Cities Mission, with special attention paid to the local urban context.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Mayors, members of city councils and municipality personnel as well as urban stakeholders from the public and private sectors (transport, energy, built environment, waste management, urban planning etc.), research and academia, civil society platforms and NGOs.

WORKING LANGUAGE

English

ONLINE PLATFORM:

The event will be streamed on ZOOM. For registrations, please click [here](#).



PROGRAMME

11:00	Welcome by the organisers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr Theodoros Loucaides, Director-General, Research and Innovation Foundation, Cyprus
EUROPEAN MISSION ON CLIMATE-NEUTRAL AND SMART CITIES	
11:10	Presentation of the Cities Mission <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr Matthew Baldwin, Mission Manager and Deputy Director-General in DG MOVE, European Commission
11:30	Q&A session with the audience
LOCAL PERSPECTIVES ON THE MISSION	
11:50	Perspective of the local European Commission Representation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ms Myrto Zambarta, Head of Representation, European Commission Representation in Cyprus (tbc)
12:05	Perspective of the local urban stakeholders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr Chrysses Nicolaidis, Member of the Mission Board for Climate-Neutral and Smart Cities
12:20	Q&A session with the audience
12:30	End of the session

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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