

Good Practice in Waste Deposit in Heritage City Centres		
Nº.	Section	Description
0.	Title of the practice	ECO POINTS, UNDERGROUND CONTAINERS AND AESTHETICAL CONTAINERS
1.	Photograph	
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5.	Start date	SINCE 2011
6.	Activities' state of the art	Constantly improving
7.	Location	Córdoba
8.	Inhabitants in the area	32,000 (year 2015)
9.	Description of the practice	<p><u>Origin:</u> Through these different solutions, the waste generated by the city is integrated in a way that reduces the visual impact of waste in the world heritage site area to a minimum.</p> <p><u>Timescale and Development:</u> Different solutions have been implemented in the last 20 years and the most important change</p>

	<p>has been the installation of eco-points in specific parts of the city since 2011.</p> <p><u>Actors involved:</u> Businesses, hotels, restaurants, locals, companies in the historic town centre</p> <p><u>Legal framework:</u> Cordoba City Council Ordinance of Urban Hygiene.</p> <p><u>Financial framework:</u> (activities' cost, activities' revenues (if any), model/s of financing used) Some of the solutions adopted, such as the container covers, have been financed through bodies such as the Cordoba Tourist Consortium, support from European programmes and our own resources. These solutions have gradually been installed across the city.</p> <p><u>Use degree: (%) or number of users (if possible):</u> 100% of the historic town centre 32,000 inhabitants</p>
10	Results
	<p><u>Proven results (through indicators):</u> The results which have been proven are the elimination of containers on public streets in the world heritage area. Reduce the impact of containers on public streets.</p> <p><u>Possible success factors:</u> Financial collaboration with different bodies and public administrations; the integration and support of neighbours and businesses in the World Heritage area (interest groups)</p> <p><u>Main difficulties encountered:</u> Physical difficulties to encounter spaces to place the underground containers or storage spaces for containers (eco-points), narrow streets, archaeological remains, etc... and reluctance on behalf of locals and businesses to install fixed waste collection points near their properties.</p>
11	<p>Main lessons learnt from the practice</p> <p>The need to stay in periodic contact with the main financial players of the area, in order to integrate them as interest groups for the common benefit of council initiatives.</p>
12	<p>Additional information</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IFtDP6T1tXM</p>