



**ENHANCE**  
Interreg Europe

 European Union  
European Regional  
Development Fund

# Workshop Circular Economy

Barcelona, October 10th/2017

Czech Republic



Which are the main or better positioned **sectors** for the implementation of the circular economy in your country/Region?

## **Ministry of the Environment (7,8 mil. EUR)**

- Subsidies to minimize the **water consumption**
- Subsidies to the impl. the **WWTP to the small villages**
- **WWTP** – developed technologies to use of sewage sludge, use of certain nutrients (nitrogen, phosphorus) and waste heat and energy (biogas stations)

Which are the main or better positioned **sectors** for the implementation of the circular economy in your country/Region?

- Amendment to the **Food Act** (2016)
- **Clothing** – separation of clothes (usage – charity or reusing as the raw material for insulation etc.) – slow fashion
- New companies which **reuse old material**
  - Great IMAGE – story behind, responsible, awareness, sustainability (f.e. Respiro, Patagonia)
- Awareness of people is rising - 72 % sort waste to recycle.

I can lend you some *money*

38

I can help you with your *chores*

37

You can borrow my *car*

36

I can lend you money for your *business*

33

You can stay in my *spare room*

32

You can *buy stuff* I no longer need

30

I can teach you some *skills*

26

I can show you around *town*

24

I can deliver your *parcel*

22

We can *drive* somewhere together

22

You can *borrow stuff* you don't want to buy

20

You can *park* in my driveway

17

You can borrow my *boat*

13

Come have *dinner* at my house

13

I can cook you *dinner*

11

We can *swap stuff* we no longer need

11

I can help you *move house*

10

I can help you with your *college subject*

10

I can help you with some *business advice*

You can buy my *clothes*

I can look after your *dog*

You can stay at my *house* and I'll stay at yours

I can give you a *lift*

I can fund your *project*

Which are the main **legal requirements and reporting procedures** related to **waste** that apply to an organization in your country/region?

- Waste producers are obliged to **report production and waste management** when they produce or handle waste in excess of 100 t of waste or 100 kg of hazardous waste in aggregate for the entire company per calendar year.
- obligation to **keep records**
- Obligation to report every **transport** of the hazardous waste

Which are the main **legal requirements and reporting procedures** related to **waste** that apply to an organization in your country/region?

- Where the producer's waste **exceeds the above limits**, the originator shall be obliged to send a true and complete report on the species, the quantity of waste and the manner of disposal (for each establishment separately) to the municipal authority of the municipality with extended competence competent for the location of the establishment.

Which are the main **legal requirements and reporting procedures** related to **waste** that apply to an organization in your country/region?

- **waste treatment facilities**
  - Need a licence
  - Obligation to keep records with detail information (to report annually)
- **manufacturers of batteries, tires, electrical appliances, fluorescent lamps**
  - the obligation of the last retailers to take back

Which are the main **potential actions** to implement **circular economy** (waste, energy, water and other resources) that could include special conditions for EMAS registered organizations?

- EMAS Benefits for
  - recycling companies
  - Sharing economy companies

# Thank you!

**Jana Sajdoková**

CENIA, Czech Environmental Information Agency

Vršovická 1442/65, 100 10 Prague

Czech Republic