

EnercitEE

European **n**etworks,
experience and
recommendations helping
cities and **c**itizens
to become
Energy **E**fficient

EnercitEE – Part III

2nd Call for Proposals

Introduction

- Under the [mini-programme EnercitEE](#) up to 12 sub-projects will be approved
- The 1st Call was launched 14 June 2010 and closed 24 September 2010. Result: 6 approved applications, i.e. 6 sub-projects will start their implementation in November 2010.
- The 2nd call will be open for proposals from 15 November 2010 until 4 March 2011.
- Sub-projects should improve and support
 - the energy performance of citizens, private households and local authorities
 - the preparation of relevant local policies for energy efficiency

Scope of EnercitEE sub-projects

- Exchange of experience at policy level is a fundamental requirement in all sub-projects and should be part of each sub-project's approach!
- Fundamental INTERREG IVC criteria should be respected: “interregionality”, “additionality” and “relevance”
- Proposed sub-project activities should foster exchange of experience between European regions, e.g. by:
 - Compiling policy instruments and good practices
 - Organising case studies, training sessions and component seminars
 - Light pilot implementation
- Please note: Investments and sub-projects exclusively focused on implementation can not be funded under INTERREG IVC

EnercitEE sub-project thematic priorities

SP 1 – SP 6: Energy efficient citizen

SP 1 Strategies of EE knowledge transfer (local energy advice and networks)

SP 2 Awareness raising policies (EE competition and games)

→ in the 2nd Call for Proposals

SP 3 Network strategies for EE citizens at local markets (EE actors at the local markets)

SP 4 Promotion and exchange of citizens' best practise (EE stakeholders within local markets)

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SP 5 Exchange of incentives and grant programmes for citizens

→ in the 2nd Call for Proposals

SP 6 Strategies and plans for EE mobility & transport

EnercitEE sub-project thematic priorities

SP 7 – SP 12: Energy local authorities

SP 7 EE training instruments for public authorities' staff & knowledge exchange

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SP 8 Financing instruments as policies for local authorities

→ in the 2nd Call for Proposals

SP 9 Strategies to improve energy consumption in public buildings

SP 10 Regional climate policies for mitigation & adaptation - exchange local authorities staff

SP 11 Improving local energy policies - "job shadowing" in local authorities

SP 12 New instruments for local energy planning and implementation

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Foreseen Budget per partner region in the 2nd Call

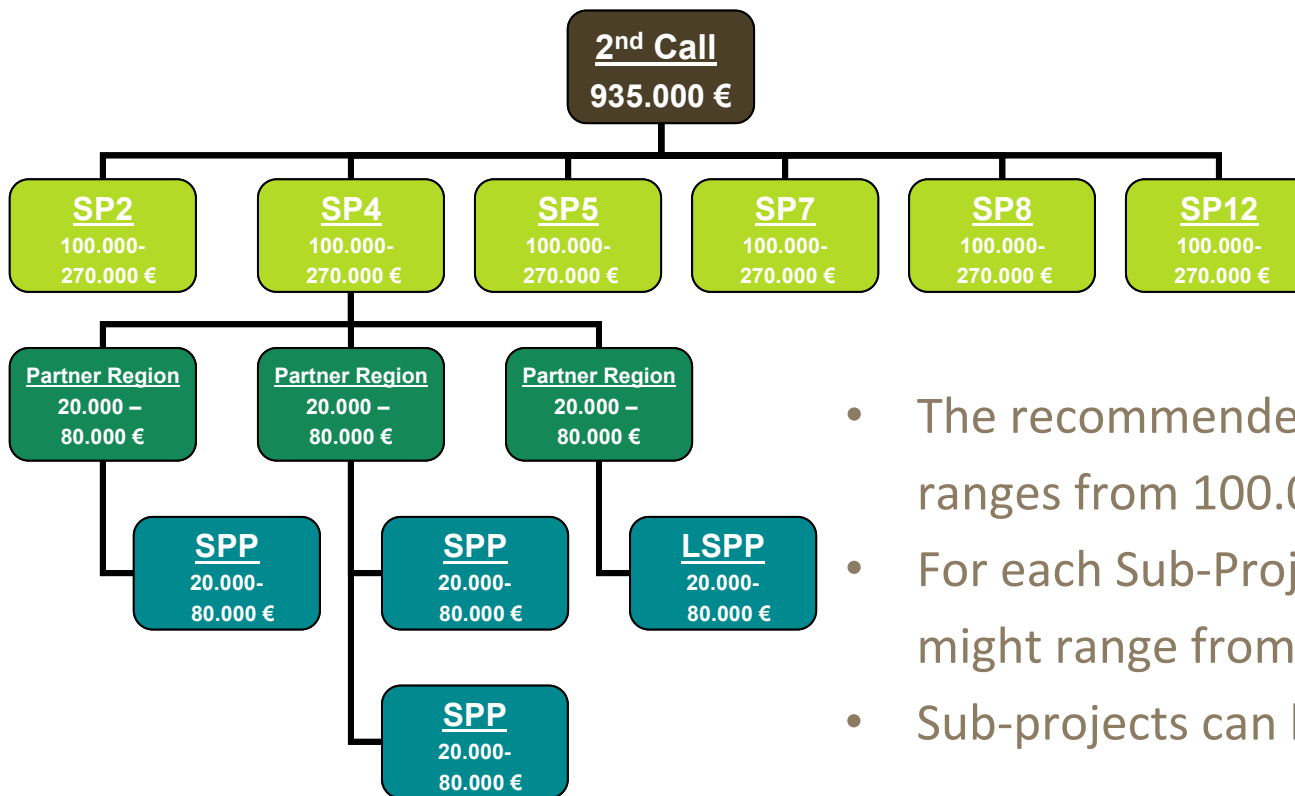


- The overall budget for the 2nd Call is around 935.000 EUR.
- The foreseen budget per region for the 6 thematic priorities:
 - Saxony € 229.000
 - Småland (Kalmar and Kronoberg)/ Blekinge € 87.500
 - Emilia-Romagna € 130.000
 - Haute-Savoie € 167.000
 - Region of Crete € 153.500
 - Lower Silesia € 168.000

Attention:

There is no advance payment of funds under the INTERREG IVC programme!
All activities have to be pre-financed by the Sub-Project-Participant!

Recommended sub-project budgets



- The recommended sub-project size ranges from 100.000 to 270.000 EUR
- For each Sub-Project Participant it might range from 20.000 – 80.000 EUR.
- Sub-projects can be funded to 100 %

Eligibility of Sub-Project Participants

Sub-Project Participants must have the legal status of a public body or a body governed by public law.

Bodies governed by public law according to Directive 2004/18/EC, Art. 1 means any body:

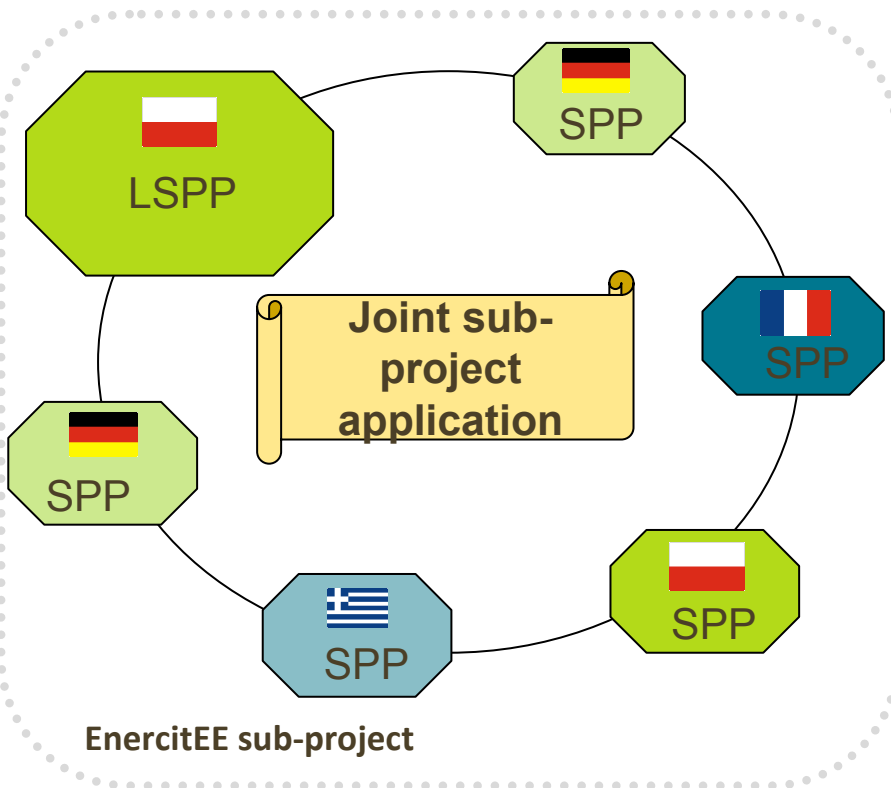
- (a) established for the specific purpose of meeting needs in the general interest, not having an industrial or commercial character;
- (b) having legal personality; and
- (c) - financed, for the most part, by the State, regional or local authorities, or other bodies governed by public law;
 - or subject to management supervision by those bodies;
 - or having an administrative, managerial or supervisory board, more than half of whose members are appointed by the State, regional or local authorities, or by other bodies governed by public law.)

Sub-project requirements I



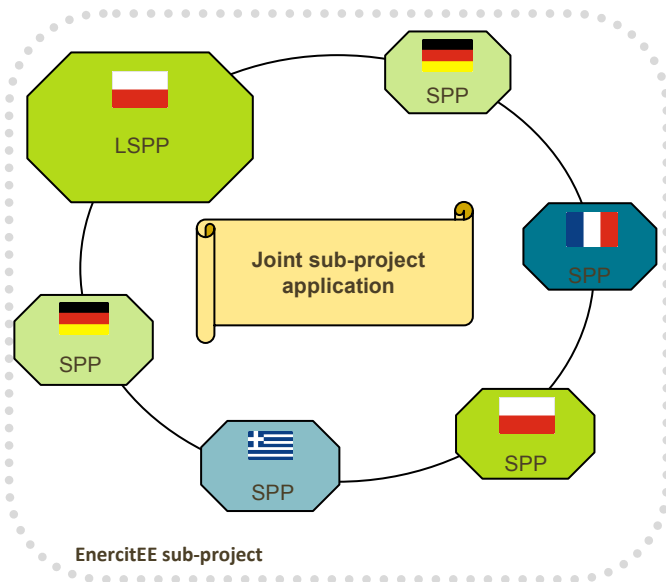
- Each sub-project must involve Sub-Project-Participants from at least 3 EnercitEE partner regions
 - Saxony
 - Småland (Kalmar and Kronoberg)/Blekinge
 - Emilia-Romagna
 - Haute-Savoie
 - Region of Crete
 - Lower Silesia
- Sub-Project Participants must be located in the area represented by the Regional Partners of the mini-programme

Sub-project requirements II



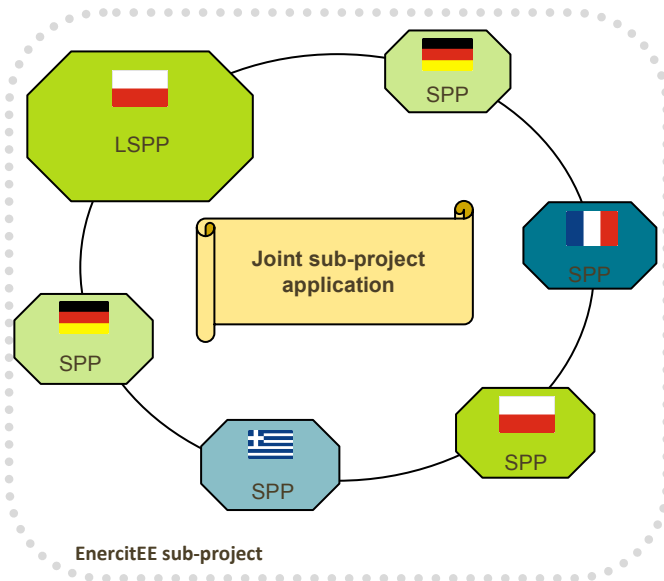
- Each sub-project consists of 1 Lead Sub-Project Participants (LSPP) and several Sub-Project Participants (SPP)
- The LSPP sets up and submits the joint sub-project application
- Sub-project duration is about 24 months
- Earliest recommended sub-project start: 01 May 2011 (2nd call)
(latest starting month is June 2011)

Roles and tasks of the Lead Sub-Project Participant



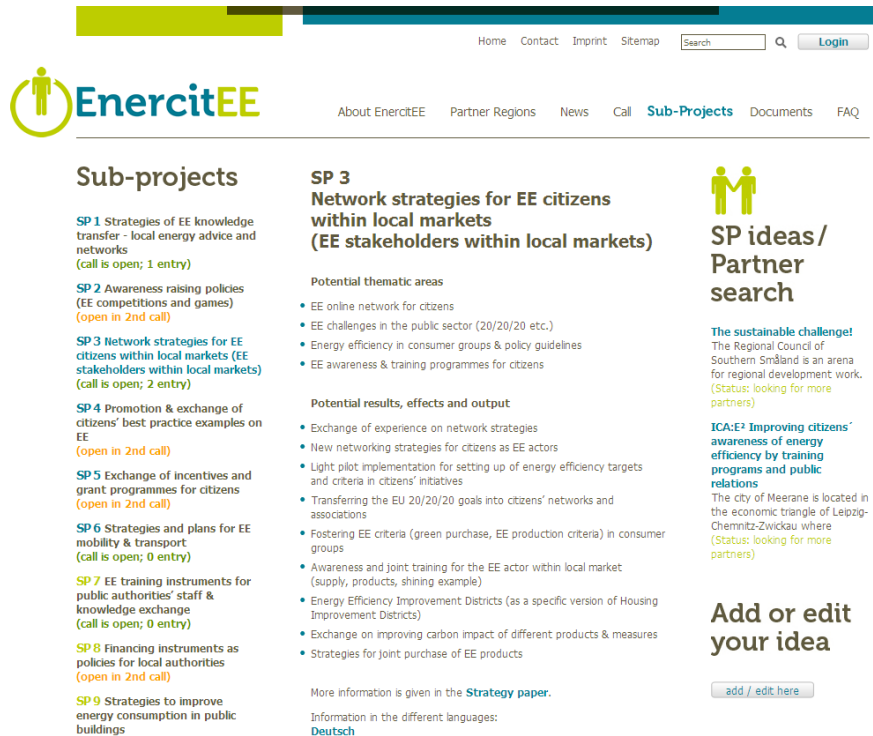
- Is responsible for the overall implementation of the sub-project
- Coordinates the setting up of the joint sub-project application
- Writes and submits the sub-project application in English
- Carries out the sub-project related activities and tasks as specified in the application form
- Is responsible for the half-year reporting of the own sub-project activities and the whole sub-project
- Due to his higher workload the LSP budget in the whole sub-project budget may be higher than from other SPPs.

Roles and tasks of a Sub-Project Participant



- Provides support and information for the sub-project application to the Lead Sub-Project Participant
- Carries out the sub-project related activities and tasks as specified in the application form
- Prepares the 6-monthly Sub-Project Participant Report (activity and financial report)

The partner search forum for EnercitEE sub-projects



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Sub-projects

SP 1 Strategies of EE knowledge transfer - local energy advice and networks
(call is open; 1 entry)

SP 2 Awareness raising policies (EE competitions and games)
(open in 2nd call)

SP 3 Network strategies for EE citizens within local markets (EE stakeholders within local markets)
(call is open; 2 entry)

SP 4 Promotion & exchange of citizens' best practice examples on EE
(open in 2nd call)

SP 5 Exchange of incentives and grant programmes for citizens
(open in 2nd call)

SP 6 Strategies and plans for EE mobility & transport
(call is open; 0 entry)

SP 7 EE training instruments for public authorities' staff & knowledge exchange
(call is open; 0 entry)

SP 8 Financing instruments as policies for local authorities
(open in 2nd call)

SP 9 Strategies to improve energy consumption in public buildings

SP 3
Network strategies for EE citizens within local markets (EE stakeholders within local markets)

SP ideas/ Partner search

Potential thematic areas

- EE online network for citizens
- EE challenges in the public sector (20/20/20 etc.)
- Energy efficiency in consumer groups & policy guidelines
- EE awareness & training programmes for citizens

Potential results, effects and output

- Exchange of experience on network strategies
- New networking strategies for citizens as EE actors
- Light pilot implementation for setting up of energy efficiency targets and criteria in citizens' initiatives
- Transferring the EU 20/20/20 goals into citizens' networks and associations
- Fostering EE criteria (green purchase, EE production criteria) in consumer groups
- Awareness and joint training for the EE actor within local market (supply, products, shining example)
- Energy Efficiency Improvement Districts (as a specific version of Housing Improvement Districts)
- Exchange on improving carbon impact of different products & measures
- Strategies for joint purchase of EE products

More information is given in the [Strategy paper](#).

Information in the different languages:
[Deutsch](#)

The sustainable challenge!
The Regional Council of Southern Småland is an arena for regional development work.
(Status: looking for more partners)

ICA:E² Improving citizens' awareness of energy efficiency by training programs and public relations
The city of Meerane is located in the economic triangle of Leipzig-Chemnitz-Zwickau where
(Status: looking for more partners)

Add or edit your idea

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The partner search forum on the EnercitEE website allows you to:

- Publish your sub-project idea(s)
- Search for partners
- Look at the sub-project ideas of other institutions in the EnercitEE partner regions

You are very welcome to enter your sub-project idea into the database:

www.enercitee.eu

Sub-project application pack

The EnercitEE application pack for the 2nd Call for Proposals includes:

- Terms of Reference
- Strategy Paper
- EnercitEE manual
- Application form
- Co-financing template
- Letter of commitment template

If applying please use the application form provided on the EnercitEE website. Thank you!

Advices for a successful application I

- Please check the EnercitEE website regularly for updates and news.
- Consider the INTERREG IV C intentions (development of policies, experience exchange, test of measures) and EnercitEE priorities.
- Exchange of experience has to be assured by scheduling 2-3 meetings with all Sub-Project Participants.
- Check your eligibility.
- Assure a good communication with your interregional partners especially the Lead Sub-Project Participant.
- Check other ideas entered in the partner search forum on the EnercitEE website – could both ideas work together?

Advices for a successful application II

- Consider the budget limits:
 - 100.000 – 270.000 € per sub-project
 - means 20.000 – 80.000 € per partner region
- Consider the 5 budget lines as outlined in the EnercitEE manual
 - Staff
 - Administration
 - Travel & accommodation
 - External expertise – max 50% of the total project budget
 - Equipment – max 5 % of the total project budget
- Preparation costs (up to 10.000 EUR) are eligible for successfully approved sub-projects.
- Consult your Regional Manager or the coordination office (MPCO).

Any question?

Please contact your Regional
Manager or the EnercitEE
Coordination Office

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