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STRONGER CSOs FOR
A PARTICIPATORY TRANSPOSITION
AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
EU 2020
CLIMATE AND ENERGY PACKAGE

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OVERALL OBJECTIVE

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Improve the environmental governance in Macedonia by creating conditions for CSOs to participate effectively in the decision-making processes related to EIA/SEA procedures in EU 2020 climate and energy package

Final beneficiaries:

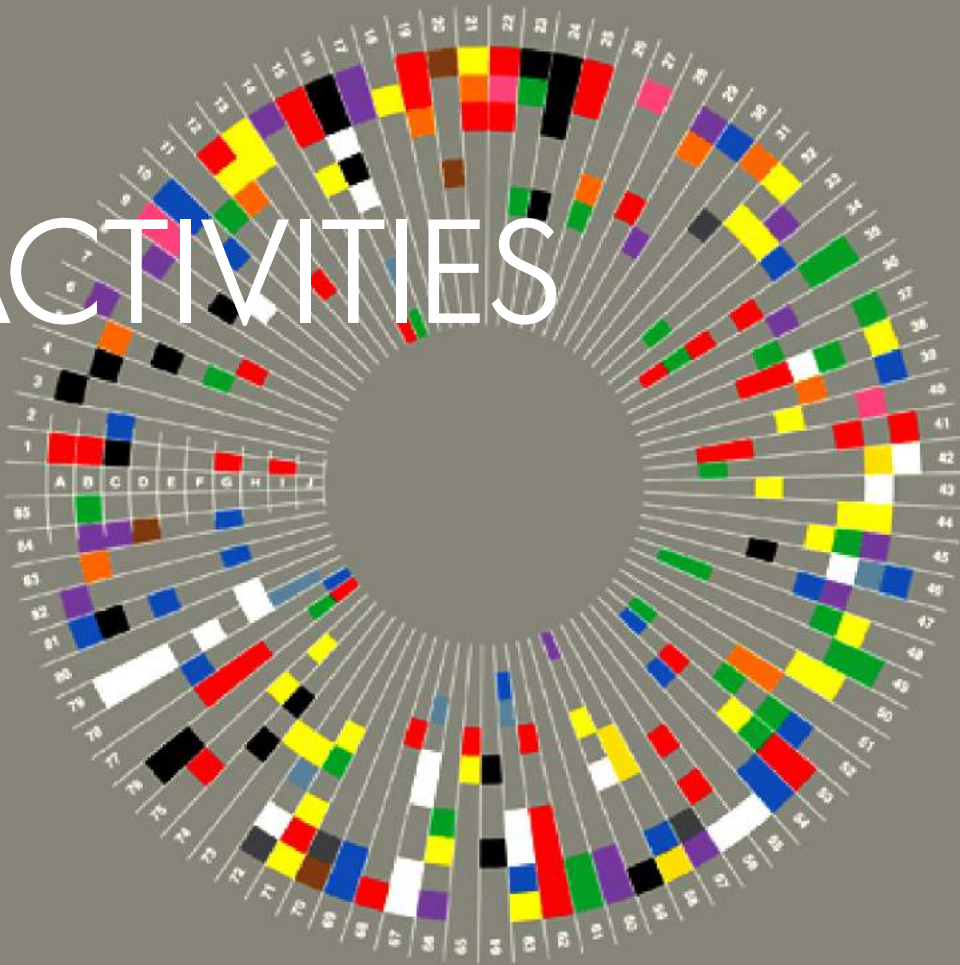
- Macedonian environmental CSOs
- National and local authorities responsible for transposition and implementation of EU 2020 climate and energy package

Project duration: 18 January, 2016 18 July, 2017

EXPECTED RESULTS

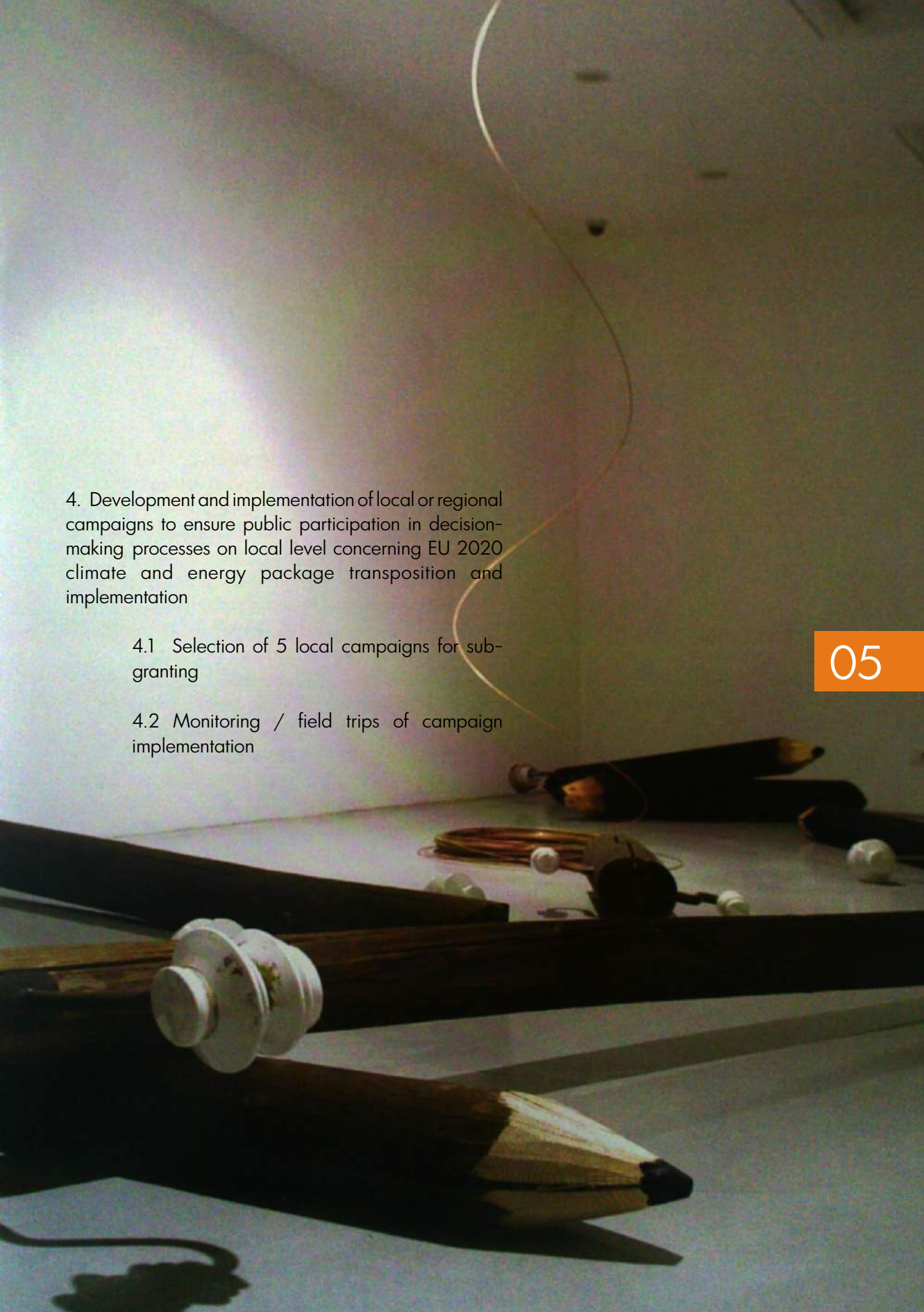
- The understanding of the Macedonian CSOs of the EU 2020 climate and energy packages improved and mechanisms for their participation in the transposition and implementation process are established and operational
- Macedonian CSOs are able to communicate and advocate for the environmental and socio-economic benefits inherent in the transposition and implementation of the EU 2020 climate and energy package and relevant EIA/SEAs
- Strong and sustainable partnership between CSOs working in the fields of environment, energy and climate change and related national and local authorities and institutions is established;
- Mechanisms to multiply the effects of the action are established

ACTIVITIES



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1. Assessment of the capacities of Macedonian environmental CSOs on EU 2020 climate and energy package
 - 1.1 Assessment of the CSO needs and capacities on climate and energy.
 - 1.2 Assessment of the CSO needs and capacities on SEA/EIA procedures and participation skills and tools
2. Creation of training curricula to improve the capacities of the CSOs
 - 2.1 Selection of 10 CSOs for capacity building
 - 2.2 Performance of tailored / mentoring program for the CSOs
 - 2.3 Organization of 4 Topical Joint Trainings on selected topics for the CSOs
3. Meetings to increase the cooperation with the public institutions relevant to the EU 2020 energy and climate package transposition and implementation
 - 3.1 Round table discussion with the public authorities
 - 3.2 Establishment of CSO Working Group
 - 3.3 Establishment of CSO Watchdog Network

A photograph of a desk with various items. In the foreground, a pencil is lying horizontally. Behind it, a pen and a small white container are visible. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

4. Development and implementation of local or regional campaigns to ensure public participation in decision-making processes on local level concerning EU 2020 climate and energy package transposition and implementation

4.1 Selection of 5 local campaigns for sub-granting

4.2 Monitoring / field trips of campaign implementation



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КОЦКА
training institute

ORGANIZING PROMOTIONAL CARAVAN TO SUPPORT THE FIVE SELECTED CAMPAIGNS, that involvestruck tailor-designed and equipped for environmental campaigning and environmental education



Implementing organizations:

Milieukontakt Macedonia

is a non-for-profit, civil society organization, supporting initiatives of civil society organizations (CSOs) on climate change, environment and sustainable development. It was established in 2012 following 12 years of successful implementation of Milieukontakt International programs in Macedonia. Its vision is to help create a strong, visible, professional, self-sustainable environmental CSO movement, based on the principles of democracy and openness.



KOCKA

is a network of independent trainers, providing training and consultancy services primarily for CSOs and local government, especially in the field of environment protection. It is composed of a group of trainers that have become widely recognized by the civil society and the public sector for combining their skills and training methods and using specific participatory facilitation techniques, built through various training courses.



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is a civil society organization involved in the field of climate change since 2006 and has so far established the first informal CSO network for action on climate (Together for the Climate) which resulted in close cooperation between UN and the civil sector during the preparation of the Third National Plan for Climate Change. The organization conducted several analysis on the topics of energy planning and climate change, with most recent project (also IPA funded) focused on the EU climate and energy package.



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