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PA4 PAC PROPOSAL TO DTP 2017-2019

1 DECEMBER 2016 BUDAPEST
EUSDR PA4 12TH SG MEETING

PA4 PAC proposal 2016-2019

Partners:

HU

SK

ASP: ICPDR

- **WP1: Management, Publicity, Communication**
 - Reporting, Meetings, Dissemination
- **WP2: Policy development**
 - Closer links with macro- reg strategies,
 - WS organization: water and agriculture, Guidance document on sustainable agriculture to reduce nutrient pollution from diffuse sources in the DRB.
- **WP3: Cooperation, coordination**
 - Strategic and funding cooperation: EUSDR PAs, EU/int. organizations, funding instruments
- **WP4: Strategic projects**
 - Strategic development of projects (5)

Focus on the following topics:

A1, A2

A4, A5

A8, A9

A9

- strengthening sub-basin activities,
- facilitate the efficiency of waste water treatment in the basin (specific focus on non-EU countries),
- challenges in relation to hazardous substances, and substances that are problematic for Danube Regions,
- better integration of agriculture sector in water management (strengthening cooperation with agri sector),
- updated solutions in the assessment of new sustainable human development activities towards the Danube Region development (in accordance with the Article 4.7 of the WFD – 2000/60/EC),
- river continuity interruption (reintroduction of sturgeon species in the Danube and its tributaries and sediment issues).

Project focus

A12

A4, A5

- The PA4 team -in line with the PA4 Roadmap- will assist in project generation, partner search and identifying funding opportunities for PA4 stakeholders, including organizing and attending at funding workshops, conferences and project preparatory meetings for water projects.
- The PA4 team will continue focusing on WFD and UWWTD items, urban waste water issues also in Non-EU countries, further aiming to set up successful project consortiums for the upcoming calls and beyond.

Planned Meetings

Trilateral

SG

Stakeholder

Thematic

Funding

- Biannually
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 - ▣ NOTE: financing NON EU Members to be contracted!
- Annually

Thank you for your kind attention

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