

**INVITATION**  
**TO THE**  
**4<sup>th</sup>**  
**STEERING GROUP MEETING**  
**OF**  
**PA4 – TO RESTORE AND MAINTAIN THE QUALITY OF WATERS – OF THE EUSDR**

We are pleased to invite you to the 4<sup>th</sup> Steering Group (SG) meeting of Priority Area 4 (PA4) of the European Union Strategy for the Danube Region that is going to take place in Budapest, Hungary on the

**5 of November, 2012**  
**at the Danubius Hotel Hévia,**  
**62-64, Kárpát utca, Budapest, Hungary,**  
**URANUS room at 1st floor**

The objective of the meeting is to

- decide about new labelling mode of project ideas/completed projects (Letter of Acceptance, LoA),
- issue Letter of Recommendation/Acceptance for nominated, debated and agreed projects, if any,
- review of progress of tasks drawn up in roadmaps, amend/modify roadmaps in case of any need,
- get prepared for Pillar 2 Stakeholder Seminarium (StS),
- get prepared for EUSDR Annual Stakeholder Forum, to be held in Regensburg.

The proposed agenda, information regarding the meeting venue and practical details about accommodation are enclosed, as well.

Please note that the working language of the meeting will be English and that costs related to accommodation and travel are to be covered by the participants. Please make your hotel booking individually.

We would like also to draw your attention to Pillar 2 Stakeholder Seminarium (StS), which will be held the next day after the SG meeting (on 6 November 2012), in the same hotel, in the same conference facility.

Be so kind to confirm your participation until 19th of October 2012 by filling in and sending the attached Registration Form to the following e-mail addresses:

david.szilvia@vki.hu and in cc perger.laszlo@vki.hu and  
majerovam@vuvh.sk and in cc Bujnovsky@vuvh.sk

We are looking forward to meeting you in Budapest.

Budapest, 11 October 2012

Yours sincerely,

László Perger  
Co-coordinator – Hungary

Martina Majerova  
Co-coordinator - Slovakia

## DRAFT AGENDA

### PA4 STEERING GROUP – 4<sup>th</sup> MEETING

DATE: 5<sup>th</sup> of November 2012

VENUE: Danubius Hotel Helia,  
62-64, Kárpát utca, Budapest, Hungary,  
1<sup>st</sup> floor, URANUS room

*Co-Chairs: László Perger and Martina Majerova PACs4*

9.30 – 10.00	Registration
10.00 – 10.10	Welcome, introduction of delegates and new members of SG
10.10 – 10.20	Presentation of the proposed agenda, approval of the agenda
10.20 – 10.50	Discussion and decision on new labelling mode of project ideas and completed projects (LoA)
10.50 – 12.00	Discussion and decision on new projects, project ideas, donation of LoRs and LoAs
12.00 – 13.15	<b>Lunch break – sandwich lunch</b>
13.15 – 16.10	Review of progress of tasks drawn up in roadmaps, amendments modifications to the roadmaps
16.10 – 16.40	<b>Coffee break</b>
16.40 – 17.00	Information about Pillar 2 StS
17.00 – 17.30	Information about the preparedness for the EUSDR Annual Stakeholder Forum, feedbacks, discussion
17.30 – 18.00	Any other business
18.30 – 20.00	<b>Diner</b>

## PRACTICAL DETAILS

### PA4 STEERING GROUP – 4<sup>TH</sup> MEETING

#### 1. Transport

##### If you arrive at Liszt Ferenc International Airport

##### **By public transport**

Passengers are taken by a direct bus service, called Bus No. 200E, from the Liszt Ferenc International Airport, to Kőbánya-Kispest metro terminal (blue line). By the blue metro line (3) you can reach “Dózsa György út” stop in about 30 minutes. From here the venue of the meeting can be reached by foot, walking along Dráva utca, see detailed map. The tickets in Budapest are only valid for one ride, so if you change from bus to Metro you need to punch another ticket. A one-way ticket costs HUF 320 (400 HUF when buying on the bus from the driver).

##### **By taxi**

The official taxi company is Főtaxi. It can transfer the passengers to any part of Budapest. All cars are equipped with POS terminal, therefore passengers can pay with credit card as well. Reservations can be made in person at Főtaxi booths located at the airport. At the taxi rank in front of the stands taxis are parking continuously waiting for passengers, in case of a special request there is only a few minutes to wait for the taxi arriving from the nearby parking.

Districts	Prices HUF	Prices EUR
Pest	~5500 HUF	~22 EUR
Buda	~6500 HUF	~24 EUR

##### **By minibus**

The **AirportShuttle-Minibus** provides a door-to-door transfer between the Airport and any point of Budapest and its fleet operates 24 hours a day. The transfer operates as a shared-ride service, which means that passengers travelling to /from the same/ closely situated address are taken in the same vehicle.

The service provides the transfer with a boarding capacity of 8 to 10, and 30 to 50 passengers. The AirportShuttle-Minibus Desks are to be found in the terminal. All Minibuses arrive to and depart from the Terminals' Main Entrance.

Reservations can be made in person at the AirportShuttle-Minibus Desks or 24 hours before your flight departure via online reservation system [www.airportshuttle.hu](http://www.airportshuttle.hu), through travel agencies or by calling the Call Center by dialling the number (+36-1) 296-8555.

### **If you arrive by train**

There are three main train terminals at Budapest: Keleti pályaudvar (Eastern), Déli pályaudvar (Southern) and Nyugati pályaudvar (Western). All the three terminals have their Metro stops. The first two (Keleti and Déli) are located at the stops of the red line. You have to go to “Deák tér”, where you can change for the blue line. The third train terminal has a Metro stop on the blue line. By the blue line (3) you can reach “Dózsa György út” metro stop. From here the venue of the meeting can be reached by foot, walking along Dráva utca, see detailed map. The tickets in Budapest are only valid for one ride, so if you change from bus to Metro you need to punch another ticket. A one-way ticket costs HUF 320.

### **If you arrive by car**

The recommended hotel has its own parking facility for cars (approx. 1.2 EUR/hour; for hotel guests at a price of 10 EUR/day). The streets outside of the Hotel are pay parking zones. The traffic is rather hectic within Budapest, to reach the Hotel from the border of Budapest takes minimum 45 minutes.

## **2. Recommended accommodation**

### **Danubius Hotel Helia (venue of the Steering Meeting and Stakeholder Seminar)**

homepage:

[http://www.danubiushotels.com/en/our\\_hotels/hungary/budapest/danubius\\_health\\_spa\\_resort\\_helia](http://www.danubiushotels.com/en/our_hotels/hungary/budapest/danubius_health_spa_resort_helia)

Special services:

[http://www.danubiushotels.com/en/our\\_hotels/hungary/budapest/danubius\\_health\\_spa\\_resort\\_helia/spa\\_and\\_wellness](http://www.danubiushotels.com/en/our_hotels/hungary/budapest/danubius_health_spa_resort_helia/spa_and_wellness)

**Address:** 62-64. Kárpát utca, 1133 Budapest, Hungary **GPS coordinates:** N 47°31'47" E 19°3'19"

**Phone:** +36-1-889-5800 , **Fax:** +36-1-889-5801

Using the following link rooms can be booked at a special rate (EUR 70) for 4 to 7 November period:

<https://book.danubiushotels.com/OWSC/en/book/hotel.DSHU02/block.KUL061112/ms.1/>

**Normal reservation by phone:** +36-1-889-5823, **by fax:** +36-1-889-5801, **by E-mail:** [helia.reservation@danubiushotels.com](mailto:helia.reservation@danubiushotels.com),

### **3. About Hungary and Budapest**

#### **Currency**

Hungarian Forint (HUF)

#### **Time Zone**

Central European Time Zone

#### **Important phone numbers**

Country code for Hungary: +36

European Emergency number: 112

#### **Useful links**

You can find more information about Hungary on [www.hungary.com](http://www.hungary.com)

You can find more information about Budapest on [www.budapestinfo.hu](http://www.budapestinfo.hu)

#### **For further details or any assistance, please contact:**

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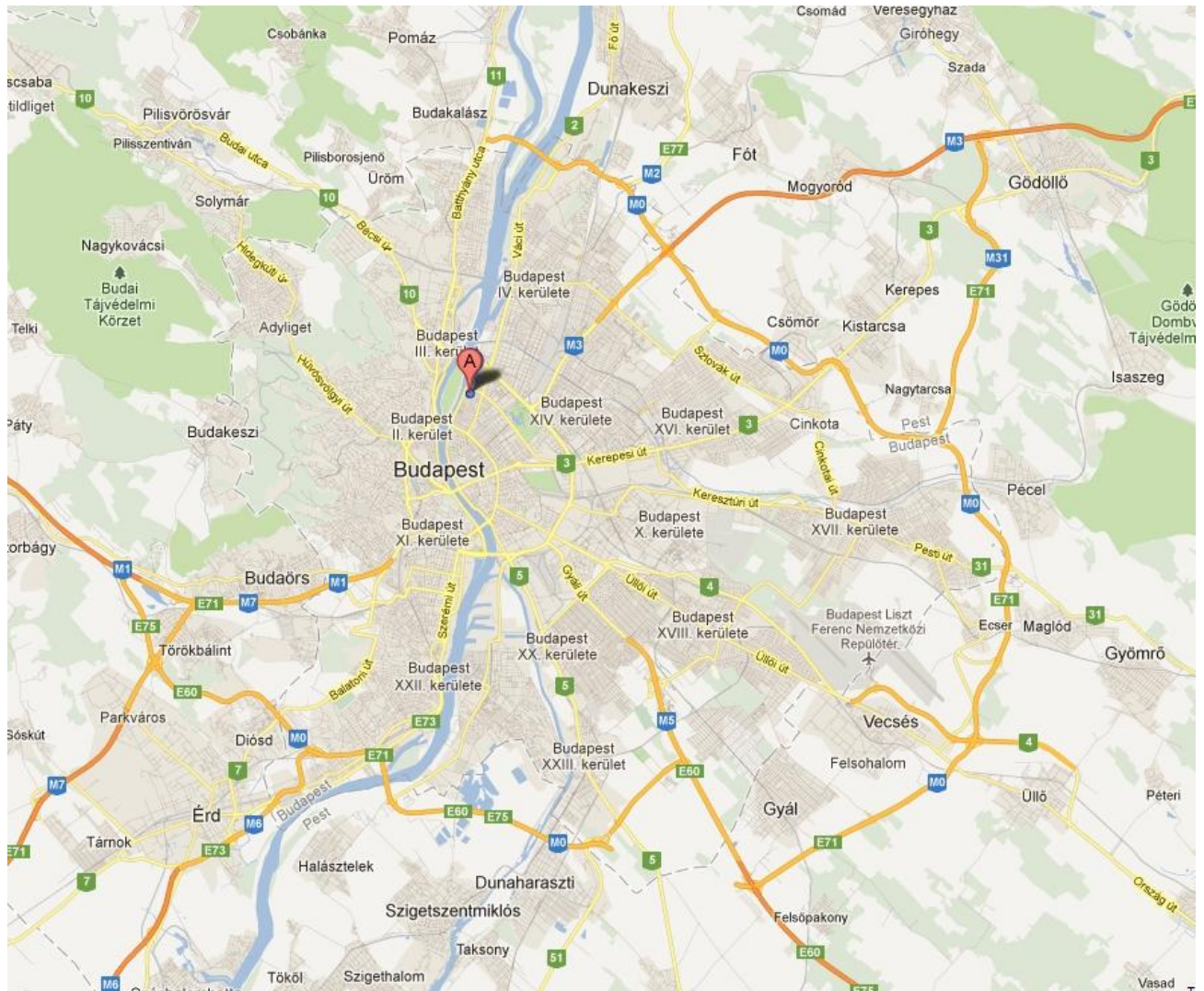
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## Maps to the SG, overview map



## Detailed map

