# **Beyond Energy Action Strategies**



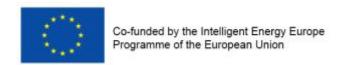
## D.3.2. – Workshop report on bankable projects and business models

**Title of the Workshop:** Development of business plans and technoeconomical analysis of energy performance contracting on municipal level

**Date realised:** 16 March 2015, 22 June 2015, 30 June 2015 **Location:** City hall municipality of Beersel, Meise, Londerzeel



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#### 1. General

Topic	Development of business plans and techno-economical analysis of
	Energy Performance Contracting on municipal level
Date	16 March, 22 June, 30 June
Location	City hall municipality of Beersel, Meise, Londerzeel
Number of participants	23 (Beersel (9) + Meise (6) + Londerzeel (8))

## 2. Objective

The scope of the workshop on business models focuses on the local authorities (municipal level) and the evaluation of a budget plan for the long term maintenance roadmap for the municipal building infrastructure. The project evaluates the opportunities of the cooperation with ESCOs and Energy Performance Contracting to finance and realize the investments that are needed to upgrade their building infrastructure.

## 3. Description and overall evaluation

The analysis starts with an evaluation of the present building maintenance strategy of the municipality.

As the municipal building stock is mainly maintained rather in an ad-hoc way than in a systematic way with a long term view, a new structure for maintenance activities is proposed to the municipality. Creating an overview of maintenance planning is important as the large building stocks of the municipalities need to be renovated. Without basic information, the municipality cannot decide on a maintenance policy or estimate the required budget for renovation and a long term maintenance roadmap.

Gathering a wide range of information will be necessary to develop a tailor made Building Masterplan in line with the future needs of the municipality.

- An assessment of building needs in the future (demographic trend and needs in the region)
  - Is a new building necessary in order to meet the space requirements or can the municipality make use of other existing assets?
- Evaluate the long term use of the existing buildings
  - o Evaluate the durability and life cycle of the buildings
  - Evaluate the possibility of multiple-use/conversion if existing use is no longer needed
  - o Evaluate the level of occupation
- Level of building maintenance during the last decades

This analysis aims to define the long-term strategy for the patrimony of the municipality and the current state of the buildings and technical installations of the patrimony.



By evaluating the possibility to cluster functions in existing buildings, looking at the mobility aspects of the public buildings (public transport and accessibility by bike ) and considering the future needs and tendencies, the analysis gives an extended framework for determining a real estate investment plan. This evaluation might also result in selling properties and an investment in some key properties.

After this analysis, the workshop focuses next on the project identification and the financial viability of an EPC-project to reach the ambition level to upgrade the municipal building heritage.

In the preliminary phase and technical analysis, technical information of the building stock is gathered.

During the project identification, based on the present condition of the building envelope and the technical installations, the buildings are assigned to a classification of EPC –models:

- EPC Maintenance: focuses on quick wins and re-commissioning of technical installations.
- EPC Building Technology: measures on technical equipment
- EPC Comprehensive Refurbishment: measures on the building envelope, deep retrofitting

In the preliminary financial analysis, an overview is created of the financial resources of the municipality for the building maintenance. The municipality can choose to create a combined credit with the ESCO for the implementation of EPC Comprehensive Refurbishment.

#### 4. Outcomes and conclusions

The techno-economical analysis and the scope and ambition of the EPC project are key elements to create a building pool for an economic feasible EPC project. A typical EPC project requires a baseline (yearly energy cost) of +/- €500.000.

Besides defining the scope of the EPC project during the workshop, the municipalities also created a very extensive database with highly valuable information about their patrimony. The database also defines the framework for future steps in the EPC project: both EPCFacilitator and ESCO can use this information, and this will speed up the process and make it more cost-efficient.

To consolidate the scope of the EPC project, a principle-agreement will be agreed by the executive board of the municipality. This agreement contains the buildings that will be part of the EPC project scope and the commitment of the municipality to continue the EPC project by appointing an EPC facilitator and an ESCO and implementing the first energy efficiency measures within the timeframe (2015-2016).

## 5. List of Participants

See *Appendix 1: List of participants* for the complete list of participants. A separate list for every municipal was made.



# 6. Agenda

The workshop of each municipality had a timeframe of 3 hours.



- 1. EPC- Coaching project
- 2. Why EPC?
- 3. Techno-Economical Analysis of the building heritage and defining of the scope and ambition of the project.
- 4. Next steps

## 7. Photos

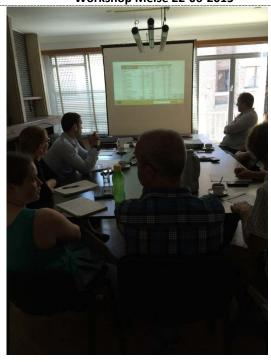






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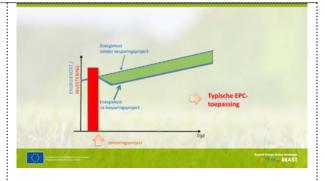


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#### 8. Dissemination material

Include here pictures, scanned copies, press clippings, presentations print screens and other dissemination material related to the workshop





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**Presentation: Typical EPC Contract** 



**Presentation: EPC Comprehensive refurbischment** 



**Presentation: Baseline Beersel** 



**Presentation Beersel : Gaz usage-benchmark** 



Presentation Beersel: Electricity usage-benchmark



