HOW TO WORK OUT IF A PROPOSED SUMP IS A GOOD ONE?
Workshop on methods to assess the quality of SUMPs

Plans for quality assessments of SUMPs in Slovenia

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1. Current state

• 70+ municipalities (of 212) with SUMPs
• Financing contract secured good process evaluation
• Content not evaluated
2. Challenges

• Some SUMPs diverted from the original idea (e.g. focus on new road capacities)
• No existing content evaluation tool or standard, though need for it
• SI promised to develop an assessment tool in PROSPERITY
3. Analysis of current practice in EU

• Part of PROSPERITY analysis and WS in Leeds
• Decision – assessment is not to confirm/reject but to improve quality and raise awareness on key topics
4. Approach

• Expert group on national and later on regional level
• Thematic guidelines to support the basic SUMP guidelines
  • Already developed: walking, cycling infrastructure, P+R
  • In development: mobility plans, integration of spatial and transport planning
  • Planned: parking management, school mobility, alternative PT, etc.
• Each guideline supported by a training
5. Next steps

- Elaboration and testing of the assessment approach by autumn 2018 (NTF)
- Continuous elaboration of thematic guidelines
- Established expert group at the Ministry of Infrastructure & external experts to prepare first evaluations
- Establishment of regional network of coordinators to take over this task
Thank you!

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