

1 April 2015

Dear Mr, Mrs,

On behalf of the European Platform on Sustainable Urban Mobility Plans we are pleased to invite you to a seminar on:

'Sustainable Urban Mobility Plans'

at: University of Cyprus, Nicosia, 11th of May 2015 from 14.00 till 17.30.

In order to assist cities in Europe with developing plans that effectively address urban mobility problems, the European Commission has set out a concept of a Sustainable Urban Mobility Plan¹ that has emerged from a broad exchange between stakeholders and planning experts across the European Union. The concept describes the main features of a modern and sustainable urban mobility and transport plan. Furthermore the Commission has supported the development of guidelines² on drafting and implementing such plans.

This event targets at national, regional and local stakeholders (cities) interested and /or involved in urban transport and mobility planning. The aims of the workshop are to:

- Update you about the state of play of the Cypriot policy on urban transport planning.
- Inform you about the European support your city can access when preparing, developing and implementing a Sustainable Urban Mobility Plan.
- Make you familiar with the plan concept, the main steps and the benefits.
- Discuss barriers to the application of the plan concept in your city and how to overcome them.

A tentative seminar agenda is added. The workshop is free of charge.

This event is organized with support of the Ministry of Public Works of Cyprus.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact Aristotelis Savva, mlambrinos@pwd.mcw.gov.cy or Rob Jeuring at enquiries@mobilityplans.eu

We look forward to welcoming you to Nicosia on Monday 11th of May 2015.



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¹ Urban Mobility Package 2013, http://ec.europa.eu/transport/themes/urban/ump_en.htm

² See also: http://www.eltis.org/bg/mobility_plans/koncepciya-za-pugm

Tentative Agenda

Time:	
14.00 – 14.15	Welcome and introduction Rob Jeuring (secretariat European Platform on Sustainable Urban Mobility Plans)
14.15 – 14.45	Integrated urban mobility planning in Cyprus Michalis Lambrinos (Ministry of Communications & Works, Public Works Department, Sustainable Mobility Section)
14.45 - 15.30	Sustainable Urban Mobility Plans – Concept, process, content & benefits Yannis Koliouisis (Endurance, University of Pireaus)
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee / Tea Break
16.00 - 16.30	Good practice example: The first Sustainable Mobility Masterplan in Cyprus - for the City of Lefkosia Athanasios Kolyvas (Municipality of Lefkosia)
16.30 -17.15	Applicability of the concept in the cities of Cyprus Moderated by Aristotelis Savva (Ministry of Communications & Works, Public Works Department, Sustainable Mobility Section)
17.15 -17.25	Sources for further information and assistance Rob Jeuring (secretariat European Platform on Sustainable Urban Mobility Plans)
17.25 - 17.30	Closing remarks