LOCAL DEVELOPMENT IN SICILY

RELEVANCE

SECTOR

INFRASTRUCTURE AND EDUCATION

PROCUREMENT

- Purchase of IT equipment for schools
- Energy efficiency

EXPECTED # OF BENEFICIARIES

- 61,489 DIRECT
- 580,000 INDIRECT

KEY STATS

- 21 MUNICIPALITIES
- 85% below 5,000 inhabitants
- 25% decrease in population from 1971 to 2011
- 189 students per school out of 329 in Sicily
- 52% of the energy needs by renewable sources

MAIN RECOMMENDATIONS

- Improve the modalities of publication of documents online to strengthen the transparency of the Contracting Authority (CA). Amapola provided inputs on how to make the institutional website more intuitive and finding documents easier. The recommendation was taken on board by the CA.
- Organize information and awareness-raising events to involve affected communities. The recommendation was taken on board by the CA.
- Communicate in a timely manner unforeseen delays due to bureaucratic steps or other reasons. The recommendation was taken on board by the CA.

PROJECT

LOCATION

SICILY
Madonie

TIMELINE

- 01/01/2016 Start of project
- 22/06/2017 Signature of IP with Union of Municipalities Madonie
- 10/09/2017 Pre-bidding monitoring report
- 05/2018 End of first social accountability activity with a school
- 15/11/2018 Early report on planned spending
- 30/09/2019 Signature of IP with ReSMa (Madonie school network)
- 08/04/2019 Signature of monitoring agreement extension with Union of Municipalities Madonie
- 08/05/2020 End of second social accountability activity with a school
- 31/05/2022 End of project

COSTS

- €12.37 MILLION
  - EU: €11.01 million
  - National funds: €1.36 million

MONITORING REPORTS

DOWNLOAD the periodic monitoring reports at: http://www.monitorappalti.it/progetto/madonie-resilienti-laboratorio-di-futuro

WHAT'S NEXT?

- Project and design of new school activities for the school year 2020-2021
- New monitoring report on energy efficiency
- Publication of a video on “how to carry out citizens’ engagement activities from home”