



# Smart Cities Marketplace



**Explore** the possibilities,  
**shape** your project idea and  
close a **deal** for launching  
your climate-neutral and  
Smart City solution!

The Smart Cities Marketplace is an initiative supported by the European Commission bringing together cities, industry, SMEs, investors, banks, research and other climate-neutral and Smart City actors.

The Smart Cities Marketplace matchmaking process supports the development, uptake, and upscaling of proven solutions in clean energy, ICT solutions and sustainable mobility to help communities, towns and cities accelerate the transition toward climate neutrality.

The members of the Smart Cities Marketplace Investor Network facilitate and/or provide financing to climate-neutral and Smart City projects supporting the transition towards a low carbon, resource-efficient and competitive economy.

### Our service for you:



### Develop your climate-neutral and Smart City project through:



The Smart Cities Marketplace has thousands of followers from all over Europe and beyond, many of which have signed up as a member.

Their common aims are to improve citizens' quality of life, increase the competitiveness of European cities and industry as well as to reach European energy and climate targets.

The Smart Cities Marketplace is a hub for all stakeholders, groups, networks, platforms and initiatives being involved in the climate-neutral and Smart City field.

Its single purpose is helping to realise climate-neutral and Smart City solutions across Europe by offering an integrated Matchmaking process.

This same community also represents a wealth of knowledge and capacity, which can be used in the frame of matchmaking for the benefit of the growing family of Smart Cities. Join us today!

## Explore our Focus groups

Focus groups are collaborations actively working on a commonly identified challenge related to the transition to Smart Cities. The participants of Focus groups meet and debate their ideas in an on-site and online discussion setting (e.g. webinar, workshop) and actively work on a shared outcome. Focus groups are managed by a chair and a member of the Smart Cities Marketplace team. Communication and cooperation are supported by a member of the Smart Cities Marketplace team, a secretarial support team and through the Smart Cities Marketplace's community space. Focus groups can thus serve as a springboard for the development of concrete projects.

## Take part in our Focus and Discussion groups



Watch out for our calls for topics for Focus and Discussion groups.



Propose a topic and you will be able to frame the agenda of the Discussion and Focus groups.



Gain visibility in the EU Smart Cities community and get a unique opportunity to exchange with their peers on the chosen topics.

## Explore our Discussion groups

Discussion groups are fora where the participants can exchange experience, cooperate, support, and discuss a specific theme. This exchange will be held as an online discussion forum (through the Smart Cities Marketplace's community space) and guided by a Discussion group chair and a Smart Cities Marketplace team member.

# Get Involved – Stay in Touch

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