

**REPORT OF THE  
Green Economy Advisory Board  
on the 2016-2019 mandate**

1. Overview of 2016-2019 mandate or relevant decision of the Alpine Conference

Brief summary of the main activities according to the 2016-2019 mandate or relevant decision of the Alpine Conference

Elaboration of a comprehensive and ambitious Action Programme for a Green Economy in the Alpine Region for consideration at the next Alpine Conference, with the purpose of further elaborating the recommendations listed in the RSA6 and of identifying concrete fields of actions and the relevant actors to foster an Alpine green economy. Involvement of all relevant stakeholders in the Alpine region during the development of this Action Programme, particularly business, municipalities and towns, NGOs and the civil society.

2. Meetings

Summary of the meetings

- 30-31 March 2017, Innsbruck (AT)
- 06-07 June 2018, Munich (DE)
- 12-13 December 2018, Berlin (DE)

3. Activities carried out

Report on activities carried out (including meetings, conferences)

- Workshop 1: Business models for the sustainable use of natural resources in the Alpine region (27 September 2017, Immenstadt, D).
- Workshop 2: Circular economy (25 October 2017, Edolo, IT).
- Workshop 3: Alpine towns as pioneers for a Green Economy (9/10 November 2017, Villach, AT).
- Workshop 4: Eco-innovations (13 November 2017, Basel, CH).
- Workshop 5: Climate change, energy and construction (14 November 2017, Grenoble, FRA).
- Workshop 6: Financing innovation for a Green Economy (29 November 2017,

Gorizia, IT).

- GEAP Online Consultation: November-December 2017.
- Elaboration and coordination of GEAP drafts.
- Communication activities: Presentation of GEAP process to different stakeholders (e.g.: EUSALP Annual Forum 2017, GreenConnect Workshop, AC and EUSALP Exchange Workshops 2017/ 18, Workshop with Alpine Towns of the Year, IPROMO Summer School); Preparation of flyer (planned for 2019); Presentation at the AlpWeek Intermezzo (planned for 2019).

#### 4. Results and outputs

##### Description of main results and outputs achieved

- Elaboration of the final draft Green Economy Action Programme, which includes a list of 33 possible concrete actions.

#### 5. Cooperation

##### Description of cooperation initiatives and activities with other Alpine Convention Thematic Working Bodies and other relevant bodies and processes (e.g. EUSALP)

- Presentation at EUSALP Annual Forum 2017.
- Coordination and exchanges with AC thematic working bodies and Observers, as well as with EUSALP's Action Groups for the definition of the content of the Action programme, along with the identification, adaptation and selection of the Green Economy actions.

#### 6. Attachments

##### List of the documents attached to the report

- Final Draft Green Economy Action Programme.
- Workshop Documentations.
- GEAP survey results.