

Project Fact Sheet

Galvanizing Local Energy Efficiency in Alto Minho MLEI GLEE AM – Alto Minho (PT)

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Main information

Key Action:	Mobilizing Local Energy Investments, on street lighting and on public buildings, through Energy Performance Contracts (EPCs)
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Project's website:	-
Benefits:	The MLEI GLEE AM project will provide project development assistance by a second-tier authority in order to launch EPCs on street lighting and on public building, benefiting 10 small rural municipalities located in Alto Minho. Besides lowering the municipality's energy bill, these investments will improve energy efficiency, will raise the share of energy consumption produced from renewable resources and will help reduce greenhouse gas emissions thus contributing to achieving the Alto Minho's Municipalities' Covenant of Mayors' commitments.
Keywords:	EPCs, joint procurement, public infrastructures



Duration:	01.05.2014 - 01.05.2017
Budget:	Euro 400,046 (EU contribution 75%)
Contract number:	IEE/13/779/SI2.674878

Summary

The MLEI GLEE AM project aims to provide project development assistance to the municipalities of Alto Minho, in Portugal, in order to bundle investments and to sign energy performance contracts (EPC) on public buildings and on street lighting.

The consortium responsible for its implementation is led by CIM Alto Minho and integrates, as sole partner, AREA Alto Minho. All 10 Alto Minho's municipalities are this project's final beneficiaries.

The project will carry out all the necessary activities to prepare and mobilise finance for public investment programmes, such as: fill-in the existing gaps of information; provide capacity building to relevant stakeholders; prepare for and carry out tendering procedures. Aiming to inspire others to implement similar projects, participation in events, both National and European, is foreseen.

By the end of this 36 months' project, it is expected to have been awarded 2 bundled EPCs and signed 18 municipal EPCs (10 on street lighting and 8 on public buildings).

The project expects to mobilize 6.9M € of investment; to save 780,64toe/yr; to increase RES supply by 198,82toe/yr thus reduce 11.239,60t/yr of CO_2 emissions.

Project's results

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Result 1	Data collection and baseline establishment for street lighting systems and for public buildings
Result 2	Capacity building on street lighting systems, on energy performance of buildings and on EPC
Result 3	Bundle investments and joint procurement of EPCs on street lighting and on public buildings, in order to make them of bankable scale
Result 4	Mobilize 6,9M € of investment; to save 780,64toe/yr; to increase RES supply by 198,82toe/yr thus reduce 11.239,60t/yr of CO2 emissions.
Result 5	Inspire others, namely local authorities, to implement similar projects/strategies

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