

Project Partnership Agreement T4R

Agreement between the lead partner and partners of the Interreg North-West Europe project NWE0200291 Twin4Resilience (T4R) between the following parties:

- 1) **Municipality of Utrecht** (Lead Partner) represented by Mr. Bart van der Vossen; Associated Organisation: Democratic Society represented by Mr Anthony Zacharzewski
- 2) Municipality of Amsterdam, represented by Mr. Jan Duffhues
- 3) **Dublin City Council**, represented by Ms. Yvonne C. Kelly
- 4) Rennes Metropole, represented by Mrs. Nathalie Appéré
- 5) City of Brussels, represented by Mr. Fabian Maingain and Mr. Dirk Leonard
- 6) **Intermunicipal association Leiedal** represented by Mr. Filip Vanhaverbeke and Mr. Wout Maddens
- 7) **Municipality of Schuttrange** represented by Mr. Mr. Claude Marson, Mr. Serge Eicher and Mr. Andy Kiser
- 8) Flanders Environment Agency represented by Mr. Bernard de Potter
- 9) Luxembourg Institute of Science and Technology represented by Mr. Dirk Fransaer
- 10) **K8 Institut für strategische Ästhetik** represented by Dr. Soenke Zehle
- 11) **Digital Flanders** represented by Mr. Jan Smedts
- 12) **HKU University of the Arts Utrecht** represented by Ms. Heleen Jumelet
- 13) **Daten-Kompetenzzentrum Städte und Regionen DKSR GmbH** represented by Mr. Alanus von Radecki
- 14) All Digital represented by Mr. Peter Palvolgyi

The project partnership remains fully responsible for the content of the project Partnership Agreement which cannot contain any provision contrary to the Subsidy Contract.



Preamble

Having regard to:

Article 26 (1) a of Regulation (EU) 2021/1059 on specific provisions for the European territorial cooperation goal (Interreg) supported by the European Regional Development Fund and external financing instruments;

the following agreement is hereby made between the lead partner (LP) of the project and the project partners (PPs) as listed in the latest approved application form for the implementation of the Interreg North-West Europe project NWE0200291, Twin4Resilience, T4R, approved by the Monitoring Committee of the Interreg North-West Europe Programme in on 21-22 November 2023

Abbreviations

AA – Audit Authority
Programme – Interreg North-West Europe Programme
EU – European Union
JS - Joint Secretariat
LP - Lead Partner
MA - Managing Authority
PP - Project Partner (PPs – Project Partners)
CSG – Consortium Steering Group

Article 1: Legal framework

- 1. The following legal provisions and document constitute the contractual basis of this Partnership Agreement and the legal framework for the implementation of the project T4R, Twin4Resilience
 - The European Structural and Investment Funds Regulations, Delegated and Implementing Acts for the 2021-2027 period, as further specified below;
 - The Interreg North-West Europe Programme approved by the European Commission setting the programme (hereinafter referred to as Interreg North-West Europe Programme);
 - The laws of the PP's countries applicable to this contractual relationship.
- 2. The following laws and documents constitute the legal framework applicable to the rights and obligations of the parties to this agreement:
 - Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council
 of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union and
 repealing Council Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 966/2012, together with related
 Delegated or Implementing Acts;
 - The European Structural and Investment Funds Regulations, Delegated and Implementing Acts for the 2021-2027 period, especially:
 - Regulation (EU) No 2021/1060 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 June 2021, laying down common provisions on the European Regional Development Fund, the European Social Fund Plus, the Cohesion Fund, the Just



Transition Fund, and the European Maritime, Fisheries and Aquaculture Fund and financial rules for those and for the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund, the Internal Security Fund and the Instrument for Financial Support for Border Management and Visa Policy, and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 1303/2013, and any amendment;

- Regulation (EU) No 2021/1058 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 June 2021 on the European Regional Development Fund and on the Cohesion Fund, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1301/2013, and any amendment;
- Regulation (EU) No 2021/1059 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 June 2021 on specific provisions for the European territorial goal (Interreg) supported by the European Regional Development Fund and external financing instruments, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1299/2013, and any amendment;
- Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing directive 95/46/EC (General Data Protection Regulation, GDPR);
- Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, Commission Regulation (EU) No 1407/2013 on the application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union to de minimis aid, Regulation (EU) 2021/1237 of 23 July 2021 amending Regulation (EU) No 651/2014 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the internal market in application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty; Delegated and Implementing acts, as well as all applicable decisions and rulings in the field of state aid;
- All other EU legislation and the underlying principles applicable to the LP and the PPs, including the legislation laying down provisions on competition and entry into the markets, the protection of the environment, and equal opportunities between men and women;
- National rules applicable to the LP and its PPs and their activities;
- Project management data, comprising but not limited to latest project documentation such as application form and all project information available in the electronic system;
- the Subsidy Contract, concluded between the LP of the project and the MA;
- All manuals, guidelines and any other documents relevant for project implementation in their latest version, as published on the programme website.

Should the above-mentioned legal norms and documents, and any other documents or data of relevance for the contractual relationship be amended, the latest version shall apply.

Article 2: Definitions

For the purposes of this Partnership Agreement, the following definitions apply:



- Project partner (PP): any institution financially participating in the project and contributing
 to its implementation, as identified in the latest approved application form. It corresponds
 to the term "beneficiary" used in the European Structural and Investment Funds
 Regulations.
- Lead partner (LP): the project partner designated by all partners and who assumes responsibility for ensuring implementation of the entire project according to Articles 23 (5) and 26 (1) b of Regulation (EU) No 2021/1059.
- Project management data: data comprising but not limited to all latest project documentation such as latest approved application form and all project information available in the electronic system (Jems).

Article 3: Subject of the Partnership Agreement

This Partnership Agreement lays down the arrangements regulating the relations between the LP and all the PPs, in order to ensure sound implementation of the project as in the latest version of the project data, as well as in compliance with the conditions for support set out in the European Structural and Investment Funds Regulations, delegated and implementing acts, the Interreg North-West Europe Programme and programme manual, and the Subsidy Contract signed between the MA and the LP.

Article 4: Duration of the Partnership Agreement

The present Partnership Agreement comes into force once the LP and each PP have signed it individually, and under the condition that the project is approved for co-financing by the programme. It remains in force until the LP and PPs have completed in full their obligations as further defined in article 6 of this agreement towards the MA and any relevant European body. Notwithstanding the entry into force of the Partnership Agreement as indicated above, the obligations of the partners based on the legal framework included in article 1 are applicable from the start of the project.

Article 5: Roles and duties in the partnership

The LP of the project:

- represents the PPs in the project in relation to the MA and JS as first point of contact. Representation does not include the power to make any financially legally binding agreements that bind the PPs externally without a mandate.
- is responsible for the overall coordination, management and implementation of the project towards the MA.
- ensures timely start and implementation of the activities within the lifetime of the project, in compliance with all obligations to the MA. The LP must notify the JS of any factors that may adversely affect implementation of the project activities and/or financial plan.



- monitors the delivery of the agreed work plan setting out tasks to be undertaken as part of the project, the role of the PPs in their implementation, and the project budget.
- prepares and submits the project progress reports, including supporting documents, according to the programme manual, and additional requested documents and/or information from JS and MA.
- addresses requests for project modifications, according to the programme manual.
- is, in general, the contact point representing the partnership for any communication with the JS/MA or any other programme body.
- provides the partners with copies of all relevant project documents and reports on the implementation of the project. The LP must regularly inform the PPs of all relevant communication between the LP and the JS/MA.
- carries out any other tasks agreed with the PPs.

PPs are the bodies responsible for carrying out specific project activities in the manner and scope indicated in the project management data (in particular in the latest approved application form). PPs commit themselves to undertake all steps necessary to support the LP in fulfilling its obligations as specified in the Subsidy Contract signed between the MA and the LP, as well as in this agreement.

The PPs must:

- actively cooperate in the implementation of the project;
- cooperate in the staffing and/or financing of the project in accordance with the Partnership Agreement;
- keep to other obligations based on this Partnership Agreement;
- provide the LP with all the information and documents required for coordinating and regularly monitoring the technical and financial progress of the project, and necessary in preparing the progress and final reports concerning the part of the project that the partner is responsible for;
- provide any additional information related to reporting to the LP or JS/MA if requested, in within a reasonable periode;
- inform the LP of any change related to the name of their organisation, contact details, legal status or any other change concerning the partner organisation which may have an impact on the project or on their eligibility to the programme

The PPs are responsible for:

- carrying out the specific activities set out in the project management data in line with the latest version of the application form;
- complying with any deadlines set by the programme, the LP or agreed within the partnership;
- notifying the LP of any factors that may adversely affect implementation of the project in accordance with the project management data and lead to a deviation.

In particular, for the part of the project for which it is responsible, each PP must ensure:



- that it complies with relevant rules concerning, inter alia, equal opportunities, protection of the environment, financial management, project branding and visibility rules, procurement rules and State Aid;
- that its project activities are implemented in accordance with the rules and procedures set in the programme manual;

By signing the Partnership Agreement, each PP confirms that:

- they are not bankrupt or being wound up,
- they are not having its affairs administered by the courts,
- they have not entered into an arrangement with creditors,
- they have not suspended business activities,
- they are not the subject of proceedings concerning those matters,
- they are not in any analogous situation arising from a similar procedure provided for in national legislation or regulation, and
- they are not an undertaking in difficulty, as defined under Article 2(18) of Regulation (EU) No 651/2014.

Article 6: Financial management of the project

Each PP must:

- set up separate accounting records or use an appropriate accounting code for all transactions relating to the operation, ensuring that expenditure as well as the received national and programme co-financing related to the project, are clearly identified.
- strictly follow the EU eligibility rules as well as further eligibility rules set up by the programme in the programme manual and, if applicable, national rules.
- be responsible for guaranteeing the sound financial management of programme funds received and, in cases of recovery, for reimbursing the LP or relevant programme body directly unduly paid programme co-financing, in accordance with the rules and procedures set in the programme manual. In the case of national contribution, the specific regulation of the country granting it applies.
- regularly and timely submit expenditures for verification to the designated controllers, according to the rules set at programme and national level. Verified expenditures must be submitted through the programme's electronic monitoring system (Jems) to the LP immediately after verification.
- ensure that the expenses incurred are strictly related to the project activities, in line with the project management data.
- ensure that programme requirements on eligibility of expenditure as stated in the programme manual are strictly respected.
- set up a physical and/or electronic archive where data, records and documents composing the audit trail are stored, in compliance with the requirements described in the programme manual.



Furthermore, the LP must:

- ensure that the expenditure presented by the PPs participating in the project has been incurred for the purpose of implementing the project and corresponds to the activities agreed between those partners as specified in the project management data.
- verify that the expenditure presented by the PPs participating in the project has been validated by controllers, according to the rules set at programme and national level.
- receive programme co-financing for the entire project and transfer it to the other PPs participating in the project within 30 days of its receipt.
- constantly monitor the spending of the project budget foreseen for each PP, and ensure
 that budget shifts are carried out within the limits and according to the rules as set out by
 the programme in the programme manual,
- transfer any advance payment to partners that are entitled to receiving it. The advance payments will be offset against the payment claim at the end of the project. If a partner leaves the project before its end, the advance payment will be offset at the end of that partner's participation in the project.
- monitor any risk of underconsumption of the partners that received an advance payment. The advance payment will be offset in accordance with the rules as set out in the programme manual.

If a PP fails to inform the LP of any deviation from the project management data, the LP is then entitled to refuse to include in the project progress report the costs of this partner that are connected to unjustified deviations and/or that result in an overspending of the approved budget of this partner. Similarly, if a PP fails to provide the necessary input for the preparation of the project reports within the deadline agreed with the LP, the LP may be obliged to submit to the programme the joint progress report without the costs of this PP, in coordination with the JS.

Programme co-financing payments not requested by each PP in time and in full line with the project planned expenditure included in the project management data may be lost for the project partner concerned.

The PPs must provide access to the premises, documents and information, irrespective of the medium in which they are stored, for verifications by the MA, the JS, the AA, relevant national authorities, authorised representatives of the EC, the European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF), the European Court of Auditors, the Group of Auditors and any external auditor authorised by these institutions or bodies. These verifications may take place up to 5 years from 31 December of the year of the last payment from the programme to the LP or PP. The PPs must ensure that all original documents, or their certified copies, in line with the national legislation related to the implementation of the project, are made available until the above final date of possible verifications, and until any on-going audit, verification, appeal, litigation or pursuit of claim has been completed.

The shared costs are governed by the contracting-partner-only principle. The contracting partner is the only one that budgets, contracts, actually pays, ensures verification and reports 100% of the cost item of joint benefit and receives the related programme co-financing. The arrangements for sharing costs between partners concern the management activities of the LP for the Project Partnership as a whole.



The PPs' contribution taking part in this scheme will be deducted by the LP from the repayment of their ERDF eligible expenses, and that at each of their reports. The contribution of each PP taking part in this shared cost scheme is proportional to their share of the total project's budget, as set in the following table.

Project managen coordination cos		221.508,00 €		
Costs per reportir (6 months)	ng period	36.918,00 €		
Partner	Partner Non- shared budget (€)	Share in the total budget (%)	Total contribution to shared costs (€)	Contribution to shared costs per project period (€)
LP1 CITYUTR	596.230,16 €	7,65 %	16.954,80 €	2.825,80 €
PP2 AMS	566.300,00€	7,27 %	16.103,69€	2.683,95€
PP3 DCC	601.754,58 €	7,73 %	17.111,90 €	2.851,98 €
PP4 RM	354.450,00 €	4,55 %	10.079,38 €	1.679,90 €
PP5 BXLCity	661.500,00 €	8,49 %	18.810,86 €	3.135,14€
PP6 ICL	397.908,49 €	5,11 %	11.315,19€	1.885,87 €
PP7 SCHUTT	401.475,00 €	5,15 %	11.416,61 €	1.902,77 €
PP8 VMM	882.000,00 €	11,32 %	25.081,14€	4.180,19€
PP9 LIST	458 870,01 €	5,89 %	13.048,73 €	2.174,79 €
PP10 K8	882.000,00 €	11,32 %	25.081,14€	4.180,19 €
PP11 DF	704.435,82 €	9,04 %	20.031,81 €	3.338,64 €
PP12 HKU	398.737,50 €	5,12 %	11.338,77 €	1.889,80 €
PP13 DKSR	582.750,00 €	7,48 %	16.571,47 €	2.761,91 €
PP14 AD	301 108,50 €	3,87 %	8.562,52 €	1.427,09€
Total	7.789.520,06 €	100,00 %	221.508,00€	36.918,00 €

Article 7: Recoveries

Should the MA, in accordance with the provisions of the respective articles of the Subsidy Contract, demand repayment of programme co-financing already transferred, each PP must transfer to the



LP or relevant programme body any amounts paid to them in excess, according to the rules and timeframe as set out by the programme in the programme manual and recovery documents.

In such cases, the LP must immediately forward to the PPs the recovery documents received from the MA/JS and notify every PP of the amount repayable.

If the recovery concerns the LP alone, then the LP must not stop payments to the other PPs.

Article 8: Modifications, withdrawal from obligations

The LP and each PP agree not to withdraw from the project unless there are unavoidable reasons for doing so. Should this nonetheless happen, the LP and the remaining PPs must find a solution in agreement with the rules and procedures as described in the programme manual.

Should a PP fail to comply with its obligations under this Partnership Agreement, the Consortium Steering Group may decide as a last resort to remove this PP from the project, in accordance with the provisions of Article 11 of the present agreement, and request modifications in accordance with the procedures outlined in the programme manual.

The LP can, if necessary, request modifications of the project management data to the JS/ MA or other relevant programme body. Any modifications requested, including budget, partnership and operational changes, must be agreed and authorised by the PPs of the project beforehand, according to pre-agreed rules of procedure or other decision-making mechanism established in the partnership.

The LP and PPs must strictly follow the provisions of the programme manual when requesting and/or implementing modifications in the project.

Article 9: Information and communication, publicity and branding

The LP and the PPs must comply with the EU publicity rules as well as the communication requirements outlined in the programme manual and provide any material developed during the lifetime of the project that may be useful for publications at the programme level.

In the spirit of cooperation and exchange, the LP and PPs ensure that any output and result produced during project implementation can be used by all interested parties and organisations and are in the public interest and publicly available. The MA/JS and any other relevant programme, EU and national body can use them for information and communication purposes in the framework of the programme.

Moreover, the PPs will support the LP and play an active role in any actions organised by the programme to disseminate and capitalise on project results.



Article 10: Intellectual property rights, confidentiality and conflict of interest

The LP and PPs must undertake to enforce all applicable national and EU law, including but not limited to laws on intellectual property rights, especially copyright, regarding any output produced as a result of project implementation.

The LP or PP shall ensure that it has all rights to use any pre-existing intellectual property rights, if necessary for the implementation of the project.

The information and intellectual property rights which are held by the PPs prior to the commencement of the Project, will remain theirs.

Results generated under the Project shall be owned by the LP/PPs that generated them. In the case two or more LP/PPs have jointly generated results and it is not possible to separate them for the purpose of applying for, obtaining or maintaining their protection, such LP/PPs shall own the joint results in proportion to their contribution.

The LP and PPs are obliged to take all necessary measures to avoid conflicts of interest, and to keep each other informed without delay on any circumstances that have generated or may generate such conflict.

The LP and PPs are obliged to inform the relevant programme bodies if there is any sensitive or confidential information related to the project that may not be published or made publicly available. This clause does not affect the LP and PPs obligation to make all results and outputs of the project available to the public.

Article 11: Decision-making and conflict resolution under this agreement

The Consortium Steering Group (CSG) is the main **decision-making body** of the project, and is chaired by the Project Coordinator. Each Project Partner has one vote. The Consortium Steering Group decides on general project activities and on general project budget issues.

- Decisions on general project activities will be taken by the Consortium Steering Group
- Decisions on individual activities of PPs will be taken by the PP unless these decisions conflict with the Project that has been approved. In that case the Consortium Steering Group is leading and the LP responsible to request any changes through an amendment to the JS/MA, if applicable
- Decisions on general project budget will be taken by the Consortium Steering Group
- Decisions on project budget will be taken by the Consortium Steering Group
- Decisions on individual budget of PPs will be taken by said PPs with the agreement of the LP.
- Decisions on request for the exclusion and addition of PPs will be taken by the Consortium Steering Group

Decisions will be accomplished at in-person or online meetings. The topics on which the Consortium Steering Group has to decide have to be published at least 1 week before the meeting.



The decision will be taken by **2/3 majority vote**, with a veto right of the Lead Partner to safeguard the partnership as whole.

If less than half + 1 of the Project Partners submit a vote, the decision can be postponed once by two weeks. If after the two-week extension of the voting period less than half + 1 of Project Partners submitted a vote, the resolution will automatically be transferred to the Project Coordinator, in order to avoid deadlocks in project operational progress.

If a decision being taken is unacceptable to minority Project Partners, the following steps are taken in their respective order to resolve the conflict:

- i) involvement of the Project Coordinator,
- ii) notification to the Consortium Steering Group,
- iii) if resolution is not achieved after all above steps are taken, the issue will be brought to the attention of the JS.

Further details are laid out in the Project Management Plan which will be agreed on by all PPs during the first Period of the Project (M1-M6).

Article 12: Third party contracts, liability and outsourcing

In the case of cooperation with third parties including but not limited to sub-contractors, with regard to the project, the relevant PP remains solely responsible towards the other PPs concerning compliance with its obligations as set out in the programme manual. Whenever it is relevant for other PPs, PPs must inform the LP and the other PPs about the scope of such contracts and the names of the contracted parties.

Should a PP not comply with its obligations, this PP shall be the sole entity responsible for damages and costs resulting from this non-compliance. Should the non-compliance be caused by force majeure, the PP involved must announce this immediately in writing to LP and the other PPs of the project.

Article 13: Assignment, legal succession

In case of legal succession, e.g., where the LP or any PP changes its legal form, the LP or PP is obliged to transfer all duties and obligations under this contract to its successor. Legal succession shall be formalised in a project management data modification.

Article 14: Amendment to the Partnership Agreement

Amendments to the Partnership Agreement must be properly documented. If applicable in accordance with the rules and procedures as set out in the programme manual, the LP presents the amended Partnership Agreement to the relevant programme body without undue delay.



Article 15: Termination

The Partnership Agreement must be terminated as a consequence of termination of the Subsidy Contract. Following termination of the Partnership Agreement, the LP and PPs are still obliged to comply with all the requirements after project closure, such as recoveries or document retention for audit and evaluation purposes.

Article 16: Dispute settlement

Disputes arising between PPs or between the LP and PP/PPs concerning their contractual relationship and, more specifically, the interpretation, performance and termination of this agreement should whenever possible be resolved amicably. Should this not be possible, the law of the country of the LP shall apply.

Article 17: Personal Data Processing

Definitions:

- Personal Data: Any information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person ("the Data Subject") processed within the scope of the underlying Addendum. An identifiable natural person is considered to be any natural person who can be identified, directly or indirectly, in particular by reference to an identifier such as a name, identification number, location details, an online identifier or to one or more elements specific to that natural person's physical, physiological, genetic, mental, psychological, economic, cultural or social identity.
- Personal Data Breach: A breach of the security leading to or where it cannot reasonably be ruled out that it will lead to - the accidental or unlawful destruction, loss, alteration, unauthorised disclosure of or access to personal data transmitted, stored or otherwise processed.
- Processing: A processing operation or set of processing operations with respect to personal data or sets of personal data, carried out by means of automated processes or otherwise, such as collection, recording, organisation, storage, updating or modification, retrieval, consultation, use, dissemination by means of transmission, distribution or making available in any other form, aligning or combining, blocking, erasure or destruction.
- Regulation: General Data Protection Regulation (EU 2016/679), including the implementation act of this regulation. The GDPR has replaced the Personal Data Protection Act with effect from 25 May 2018,

Applicability:

The nature and purpose of Processing concerns organisational data (contact data in order to send newsletters for the project, organize project meetings and invite employees of the PP) and financial data (such as travel movements).

LP shall guarantee the application of appropriate technical and organizational measures, in order to comply with the Regulation and the protection of Personal Data of Data Subjects is guaranteed.

This article shall remain in force for the duration of the Grant Agreement, including the period for the obligation to keep records and supporting documentation, as specified in the Subsidy Contract



or otherwise specified by Interreg NWE. In case a PP terminates the Partnership Agreement, this article shall remain in force.

Processing operations:

LP shall process the Personal Data exclusively for the purpose of fulfilling the obligations as specified in the Subsidy Contract and Partnership Agreement. LP shall retain the minimum amount of Personal Data as required for performing the obligations as specified in the Subsidy Contract and Partnership Agreement.

Technical and Organisational Measures:

LP keeps Personal Data as received from PP on a secured area on the LPs exclusive server, hosted in the Netherlands. A specific folder is created where only employees related to the project have access. Access to the project-specific folder can only be provided/granted by the LP.

LP's employees that process Personal Data have taken an oath of confidentiality. In case of outsourcing, the sub-contractor will be subject to the same contractual obligations as stipulated in this Partnership Agreement.

Data breaches:

On discovery of a data breach, the LP shall inform the PP of the data breach without undue delay.

Deletion of Personal Data:

After conclusion of the Partnership Agreement and the applicable period of keeping records and supporting documentation in accordance with the Subsidy Contract, State Aid, and national law, all PPs shall delete or anonymise in a data-protection compliant manner all the personal data collected and processed under the Partnership Agreement.

Final Provisions

The Partnership Agreement is written in English. If this document is translated into another language, the English version will be the binding one.

In case of conflicting clauses or interpretation thereof between this agreement and the Subsidy Contract, the Subsidy Contract takes precedence.

If any provision in this Partnership Agreement should be wholly or partly ineffective, the parties to the Partnership Agreement undertake to replace the ineffective provision by an effective provision which comes as close as possible to the purpose of the ineffective provision.

Amendments and supplements to the present agreement must be in written form. Consequently, any changes to the present Partnership Agreement will only be effective if they have been agreed on in writing.

Signatures

All PPs must sign and date the Partnership Agreement.



Signatures



For the Municipality of Utrecht:

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement
l also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.

Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Bart van der Vossen
Function of the signatory: Director Spatial Development Organisation
Name of the organisation: Municipality of Utrecht
Signature

Date		



For the Municipality of Amsterdam:

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.
I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Jan Duffhues
Function of the signatory:
Name of the organisation: Municipality of Amsterdam
Signature
Date



For the Dublin City Council:

For the Dubini City Council.
I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.
I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Ms. Yvonne C. Kelly
Function of the signatory: Law Agent
Name of the organisation: Dublin City Council
Signature
Date



For Rennes Metropole:
I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.
l also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
On behalf of Nathalie Appéré, president of Rennes Métropole
Name and surname of the signatory: M. Yann Huaumé
Function of the signatory: Vice-president of Rennes Métropole in charge of Digital affairs and Smart metropolis
Name of the organisation: Rennes Métropole
Signature
Date



For the City of Brussels:

The City of Brussels represented by its Board of Mayors and Aldermen hereby accepts the content and provisions of the partnership agreement.

Act on behalf of the City:
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Fabian Maingain
Function of the signatory: Alderman of the Smart City of the City of Brussels
Name of the organisation: City of Brussels
Signature
Date
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Dirk Leonard
Function of the signatory: City Secretary
Name of the organisation: City of Brussels
Signature
Date

This agreement is concluded under the resolutory condition of the suspension and/or cancellation by the supervisory authority on which the City depends of the deliberation of the Municipal Council approving this agreement.



For the Intermunicipal Association Leiedal:

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.
l also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Filip Vanhaverbeke
Function of the signatory: General Director
Name of the organisation: Intermunicipal Association Leiedal
Signature
5.6.1.4.4.1.6
Date
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Wout Maddens
Function of the signatory: Chairman of the Board of Directors
Name of the organisation: Intermunicipal Association Leiedal
Signature
Date



For the Intermunicipal Municipality of Schuttrange:

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.

I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.

Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Claude Marson,
Function of the signatory:
Name of the organisation
Signature
Date
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Serge Eicher
Function of the signatory:
Name of the organisation
Signature
Date
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Andy Kiser
Function of the signatory:
Name of the organisation
Signature
Date



For the Intermunicipal Flanders Environment Agency:

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.
I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Bernard de Potter
Function of the signatory: Administrateur-Generaal
Name of the organisation: Vlaamse Milieumaatschappij (VMM)
Signature
Date



For The Luxembourg Institute of Science and Technology:
I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.
I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Dirk Fransaer
Function of the signatory: CEO a.i.
Name of the organisation: The Luxembourg Institute of Science and Technology
Signature
Date



For K8 Institut für strategische Ästhetik:

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement. I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Dr. Soenke Zehle Function of the signatory: Name of the organisation: K8
Signature
Date



For Digital Flanders:

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.
l also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Jan Smedts
Function of the signatory:
Name of the organisation: Digital Flanders
Signature
Date



For HKU University of the Arts Utrecht:
I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement. I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Ms. Heleen Jumelet Function of the signatory: President Executive Board
Name of the organisation: HKU University of the Arts Utrecht
Signature
Date



For Daten-Kompetenzzentrum Städte und Regionen DKSR GmbH

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement. I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Alanus von Radecki Function of the signatory: CEO
Name of the organisation: Daten-Kompetenzzentrum Städte und Regionen DKSR GmbH
Signature
Date



For All Digital

I hereby accept the content and provisions of the Partnership Agreement.
I also confirm to be officially entitled to sign this contract.
Name and surname of the signatory: Mr. Peter Palvolgyi
Function of the signatory: CEO
Name of the organisation: All Digital
Signature
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Date