

SMART CITIES WORKING GROUP

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Main 2024 workstream: EU Mission on 100 climate-neutral and smart cities by 2030

Key EU processes to follow:

- The implementation of the Cities Mission
 - Project development around the Cities Mission calls for 2024
 - The smart aspect of the Cities Mission and the use of digital tools in smart cities linking to the NetZeroCities Pilot City projects
- The continuation of the EU Missions inputs to FP10
- Links between the Cities Mission and other EU Missions, the New European Bauhaus and the Urban Transitions Mission

On-going activities to be followed further in 2024:

- The implementation of the Cities Mission: Experience and lessons learned on Climate City Contracts (CCCs)
- European Urban Initiative: City to city exchanges within the initiative

First planned meetings:

- Low Carbon Cluster project facilitation session 23 January
- Cities Mission: Experiences and lessons learned in the Climate City Contract process 25 March
- Follow-up: Low Carbon Cluster project facilitation session 19 June

