

# Get Ready: Al4Cities Bootcamp Info Webinar 3.9.

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### 09:00 Webinar starts

- → Agenda and practicalities
- → AI4Cities project introduction
  - ♦ Kaisa Sibelius, Forum Virium
- → Get Ready: AI4Cities Bootcamp Introduction
  - Hannu Latva-Rasku & Satu Huotari, Industryhack
- → Q&A
- **11:00** Webinar ends (at the latest)

# **Bootcamp timetable**

24.811.9.	Accepting requests to participate
3.9.	Bootcamp Info Webinar
8.9.	Bootcamp Matchmaking
Week 38	Announcing participants
23.9.	Co-creation day: Mobility
24.9.	Co-creation day: Energy
December	PCP Matchmaking (after the PCP application period opens)
January	Coaching Webinar (during the PCP application period)

All Bootcamp events will be organized online

# Matchmaking

09:00 CET

Start of session, introduction

- Pitching starts
- 10:30 CET Pitching ends at latest
  - next steps

Reserve time for talks with potential partners and filling common request to participate.

**For who:** If you are interested in participating in the Bootcamp, but don't have a team, you can participate in the Matchmaking event. Only for those looking for a team.

**What:** In the event anyone interested can pitch who they are, what relevant skills and knowledge they have and what are they lacking. Also the preliminary approach to the challenges can be relevant in forming teams. Everyone will have 2-3 minutes for their pitch depending on the number of participants

# **Co-creation days**

- 08:00 CET Welcome session
- 08:15 CET Mentoring starts
- 12:00 CET Lunch break
- 15:30 CET Mentoring ends
- 15:50 CET Ending session

Mobility 23.9., Energy 24.9. Exact times TBC **For who:** Selected participant teams, who have send their request to participate from before deadline. Those interested to get feedback on their solution proposal.

**What:** Teams will have 1-on-1 sessions with selected city mentors and AI experts, with whom they can discuss and develop their proposed solution.

Day will include short welcome and ending sessions, lunch break and short breaks between mentoring sessions. Exact timetable will be sent to selected participating teams.

#### **Co-creation day timetable** 0-16:10 13:00-13:0 13:50 5:20 15 09:20-10:00 10:10-10:50 11:00-11:40 Lunch 4:3 Team 1 AI Team 2 Team 3 City Team 4 Team 5 City Team 6 City Team 7 Team 8 AI City City City Team 9 AI City City City Team 10 City AI City City Team 11 City AI City City Team 12 City City AI City

## Feedback

After the mentoring sessions, all teams are expected to fill out a feedback form about their experiences so far.

If teams choose to submit their solution draft at the same time, they will receive written feedback of it.

Feedback and co-creation coaching is strictly confidential and results of the work belong to you.

# **PCP Matchmaking**

Similar event as the Bootcamp Matchmaking, but during the PCP application period. You can look for partners with whom to apply for the PCP process.

Complementary to the matchmaking on <u>ai4cities.eu</u> website.

PCP Matchmaking will be held in December (TBC).

# **Coaching Webinar**

Coaching webinar will be held during the actual PCP application period. This webinar will be targeted more on tips and tricks in writing a good application for the PCP process.

Coaching webinar will be held in mid January (TBC).

# **Bootcamp request to participate**

Main selection criteria:

- Key capabilities
- Initial idea/solution
- Motivation to participate, commitment

We look to involve those teams whose solutions look promising and who would most benefit from coaching. This can mean that teams, who are seen as ready for the actual PCP, can be left out.

## Q&A





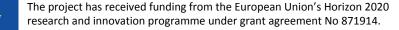
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# Al4Cities - Al accelerating Cities transition to carbon neutrality

## I. Al4Cities project

# **II. PCP - Pre-commercial Procurement**

This webinar is part of the Open Market Consultation phase.

**Duration:** 36 months (1.1.2020 - 31.12.2022)

### **Funding instrument:**

Pre-commercial procurement (PCP)

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**PCP Budget:** 4.670.000€ **Total Budget:** 6.600.000€

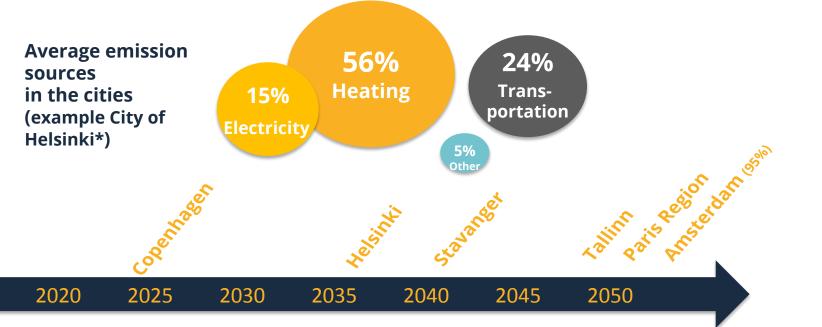


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## The City Partners are all committed to becoming Carbon neutral



\*) Source: Helsinki Region Environmental Services Authority HSY, 2019



### Accelerating CO2 reduction of the cities



### What do we look for?

# Unique and innovative digital solutions utilizing AI to able **to help Cities to reduce their CO2 emissions**

in two domains: energy and mobility via a challenge-based PCP competition.

Al4Cities challenges build on **highly innovative and not market-ready technologies** to bring **added value** for cities' management and decision making.



### **Key Requirements for the technology**

Mobility (Lot 1)





- Improved effectiveness of the city management through better information
- Benefits from open data provided by the cities
- Economical feasibility and benefiality through optimisation and decreased energy consumption
- Possibility for the integrations to existing city systems if needed (such as public transport, energy network etc).



# Who are we addressing?

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Companies, developers and consortiums with innovative ideas for innovative or disruptive new digital-based solutions, based on AI & other Emerging Technologies.



Cities and other public procurement organisations, interested in potential take up of the solutions developed within the PCP process.



Others with an interest in promoting entrepreneurship, climate change, reduction of greenhouse gas emissions, etc.





# The Pre-Commercial Procurement process



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# **Pre-commercial procurement**

Pre-Commercial Procurement (PCP) **challenges industry from the demand side to develop innovative solutions for public sector needs** and it provides a first customer reference that enables companies to create competitive advantage on the market.

PCP enables public procurers **to compare alternative potential solution approaches** and filter out the best possible solutions that the market can deliver to address the public need.

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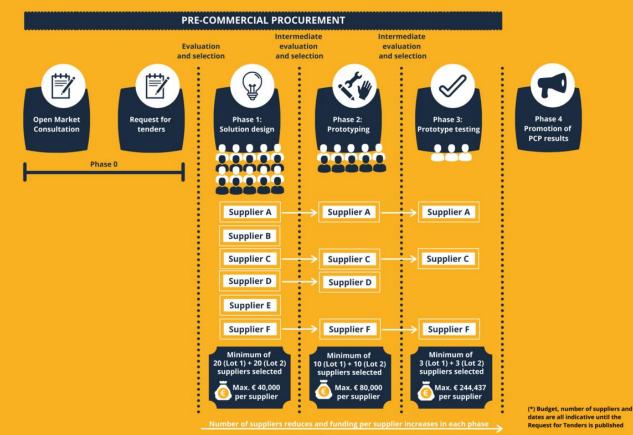
# **PCP vs. Traditional Public Procurement**

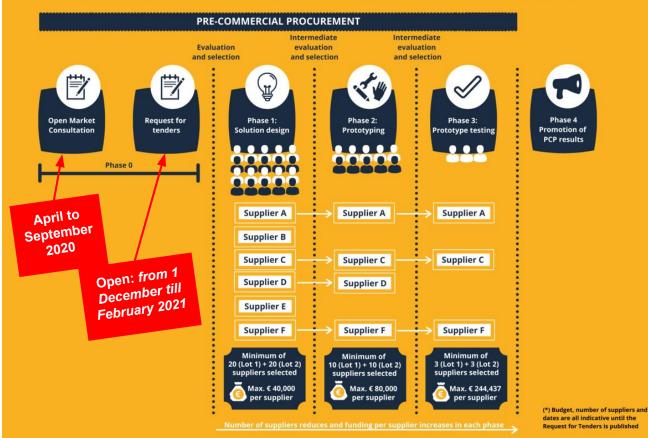
РСР	Traditional procurement		
<b>Joint procurement tool</b> : a Buyers group launches the RfT	<b>Individual procurement tool</b> - RfT is launched normally by a single department or unit inside the a City		
High risk: high degree of innovation and R&D effort required	<b>Low risk:</b> Low degree of innovation focused on solutions on (or close to) the market		
Functional specifications for prototypes development - focus on medium-/long-term	<b>Technical specifications for mature product/ service -</b> addresses immediate/ short-term needs		
<b>Competitive development</b> with several contracts to several suppliers	Single contract: 1 contract to 1 supplier awarded		
IPR – Risk/Benefit-sharing	IPR generated		
<b>Exemption</b> for R&D services under EU Directives and WTO rules: special legal framework (H2020)	Tendering procedures and legal framework: <b>national public procurement</b> rules apply		
Development in <b>multiple phases</b>	Development in <b>1 phase</b>		

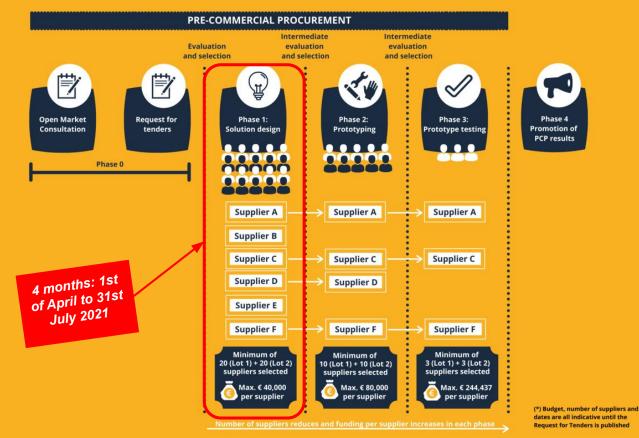


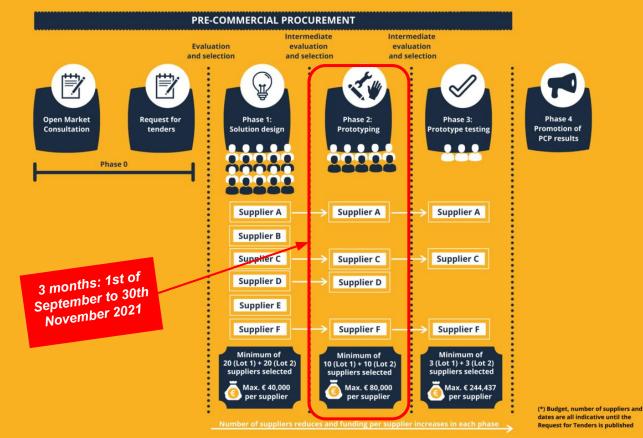
# **Key requirements and guidelines**

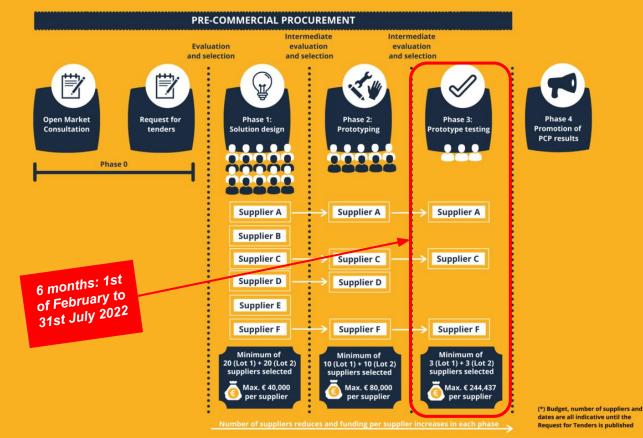
- Joint Procurement Agreement between group of Procurers/Buyers
- Risks and Benefits of the R&D are shared between the procurers and the Suppliers
  - **IPR** retained by suppliers must be exploited after PCP completion
  - Procurers can use the solutions royalties free and exploit learnings
- Focus on Innovation: R&D is at least 50% of the total contract value
- **Tool to foster EU competitiveness**: at least 50% in EU Member States and/or Associated Countries to Horizon 2020.
- **Increase Cities capacity** in leading the market to create impact based and innovative solutions

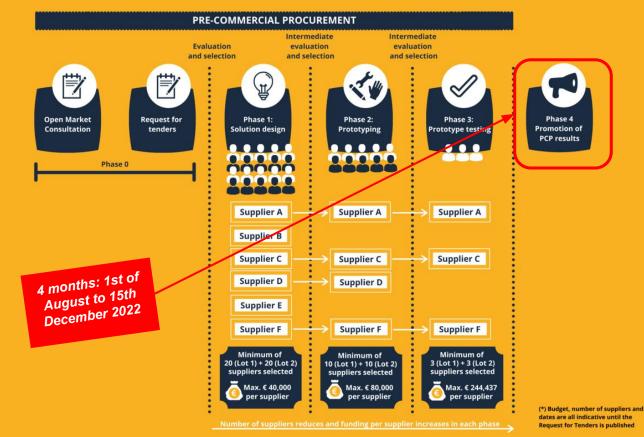














# **PCP Budget**\*

Expected number of suppliers (Lot 1 & Lot 2)	Max budget per supplier (inc. VAT)	Total available budget per phase (inc. VAT)	Duration of each phase
Phase 1: 40 (20+20)	40.000€	1.600.000€	4 months
Phase 2: 20 (10+10)	€0.000€	1.600.000€	3 months
Phase 3: 6 (3+3)	244.437€	1.466.622€	6 months
Totals	364.437€	4.666.622€	

<sup>\*</sup>the budget breakdown and number of suppliers are indicative until the Request for Tenders is published.



# **Contract procedure**

- **One Joint Request for Tenders** published on *1.12.2020 (tentative date)* 
  - **Note** each lot (Mobility and Energy) must be **applied separately!**
- Lead procurer (Forum Virium Helsinki) awarding all contracts acting on behalf of all procurers in the Buyers Group
  - Single Framework Agreement per winning tenderer covering all PCP phases, plus a
  - **Specific Phase contract** per PCP phase (depending on subsequent evaluations and offers).
  - Payments done per phase upon satisfactory phase completion



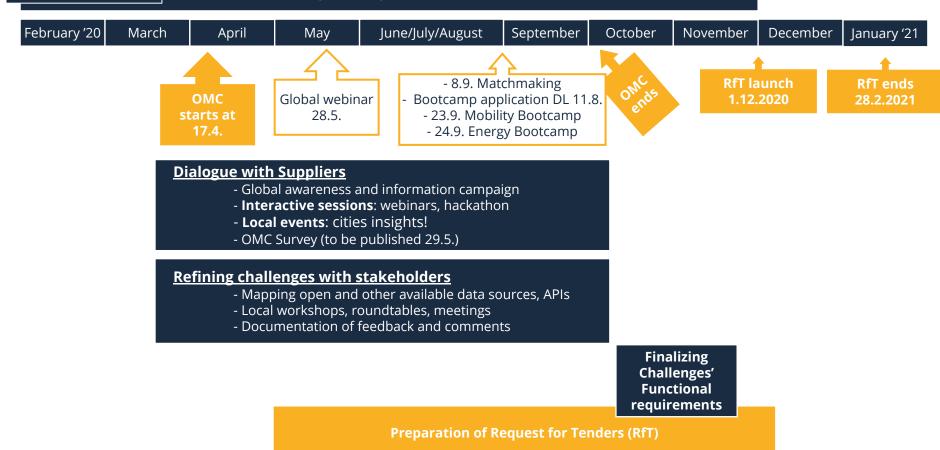
# Reference websites for information on PCP

- European Commission framework on Innovation Procurement
- EU policy initiatives on Innovation Procurement
- <u>EU funded projects implementing PCPs or PPIs</u> <u>Innovation Procurement Platform</u>
- <u>Procurement forum</u>

See 'What is a PCP' tutorial from our "*older sister*" <u>SELECT4CITIES.EU</u> project: <u>https://www.select4cities.eu/what-is-pcp</u>



#### Preparation phase (Phase 0)







# **KEEP IN TOUCH!**

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