# LAST MILE Interreg Europe



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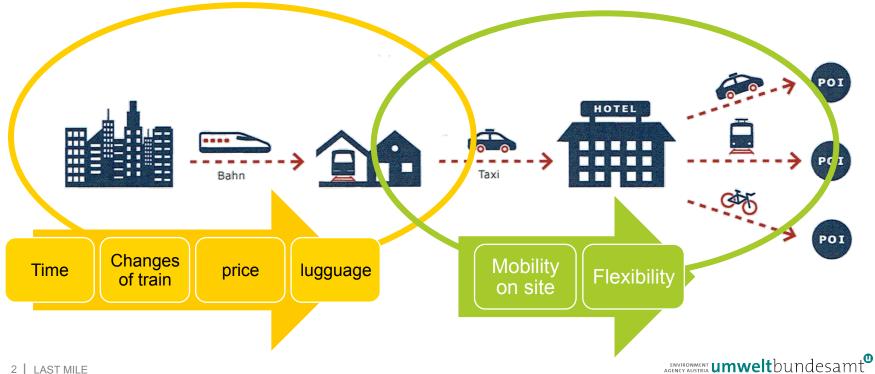
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## THE CHALLENGES TO TRAVEL SUSTAINABLY





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## FLEXIBLE SOLUTIONS FOR THE "LAST MILE"





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## LAST MILE

Sustainable mobility for the 'last mile ' in tourism regions Policy exchange about flexible mobility alternatives for tourists and locals



**KEY FACTS** 



## • INTERREG EUROPE, 1<sup>st</sup> call

- Duration: 04/2016 09/2020
- 7 partners from 6 European countries
- Overall budget: 1,6 Mio. €
  (ERDF 1,2 Mio. €)



- 1 Environment Agency Austria (Austria)
- 2 Regional Management East Tyrol (Austria)
- ${\bf 3}$  Agency for the Support of Regional Development Kosice (Slovakia)
- 4 Club " Sustainable Development of Civil Society " (Bulgaria)
- 5 Mobility and Transport Direction. Ministry of Territory and Sustainability.Government of Catalonia (Spain)
- 6 Upper Sûre Nature Park (Luxembourg)
- 7 Westpomeranian Voivideship Regional Office for Spatial Planning of Westpomeranian Voivodeship (Poland)

### Partners







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## WORKPLAN



Phase 1 – Interregional Exchange (04/2016 - 09/2018) Phase 2 – Implementation (10/2018 - 09/2020)



Stakeholder involvement

## FLEXIBLE TRANSPORT SYSTEMS





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Werfenweng-Shuttle" am Bahnhof Bischofshofen.



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Täglich Bischofshofen - Werfenweng

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#### **Project responsible**

• Tourism association of Werfenweng

#### Services for guests and locals:

- Shuttle: Connection from/to any startpoint to/from train-station Bischofshofen (every 2h), integrated in provincial transport association; Ordering by phone at least 1 hour in advance
- Elois: local taxi (door-to-door)

#### Usage:

2013: ~21.000 passengers, ~110.000 km

#### Costs:

 2013: costs € 107.000, revenues € 37.500, ~35% cost-recovery

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## GOOD PRACTICE LAST MILE Interreg Europe NATIONAL PARK TAXI (ES)

- Project responsible:
  - Association of Taxis de la Vall de Boí (cooperative of 19 drivers)
- Services for guests and locals:
  - Dial a taxi-service (call day before)
  - Taxi at the entrance of the national park (closed for cars)
- Usage:
  - Nn (150.000 visitors of the National Park)
- Financiation:
  - Auto-financed



#### GOOD PRACTICE LAST MILE Interreg Europe BALTIC BIKE.PL

- Project responsible:
  - M & M Solutions GbR in Swinemünde
- Services for guests and locals:
  - Bike rental system, cooperation cross-border GE PL (UsedomRad)

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- calling, fixed rental stations at hotels
- Delivery/technical service
- Usage:
  - Around 900 bikes, 40.000 tourists (2016)
- Financiation:
  - EU-funding







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Transport in regional context, in East Tyrol, Westpomeranian Voivodeship, Luxembourg

Technological advances and increasingly higher proportion of people using mobile devices makes easier to implement modern and easy-to-use systems and dispatch systems

Some promising concepts being implemented successfully (e.g. E-mobility and e-carsharing in East Tyrol)

Flexible transport services could raise image in tourism. Implementation of flexible transport services for tourists could increase the tourist potentialities of the regions

Spatially differentiated

System



## **FIELDS OF ACTION**







Strategic documents

**Regulations and Law** 



Management and organization



Cooperation and coordination



#### Initial funding



Financing of the operation



Awareness / information



Identification of needs, social participation and usefulness



## SOME RECOMMENDATIONS (DRAFT)





Provision in laws + regulations 🗊 📠 Integration in EU-regulations/guidelines?



Integrate in SUMP/SRMP guidelines EU Integrate in strategic plans nat reg loc



Integration in Sust. Mobility / net reg Transport Management Association



Strengthen intersectoral cooperation and integrated coordination net regreted coordination





Long-term funding schemes



Promotion, Campaigns, Trainings, Study Visits, ... EU nat reg loc



Participation 💿 🚾 IT-systems, digital inclusion

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