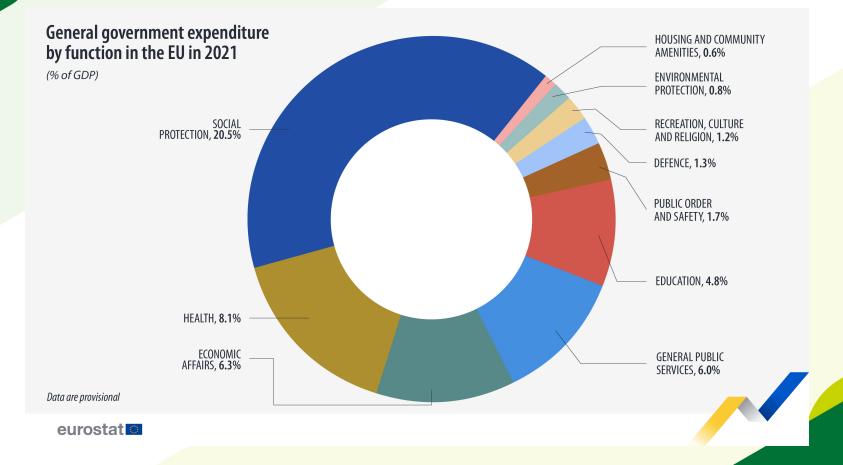


### Leading the way to waste prevention through Green Public Procurement

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#### **THE POWER OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT**



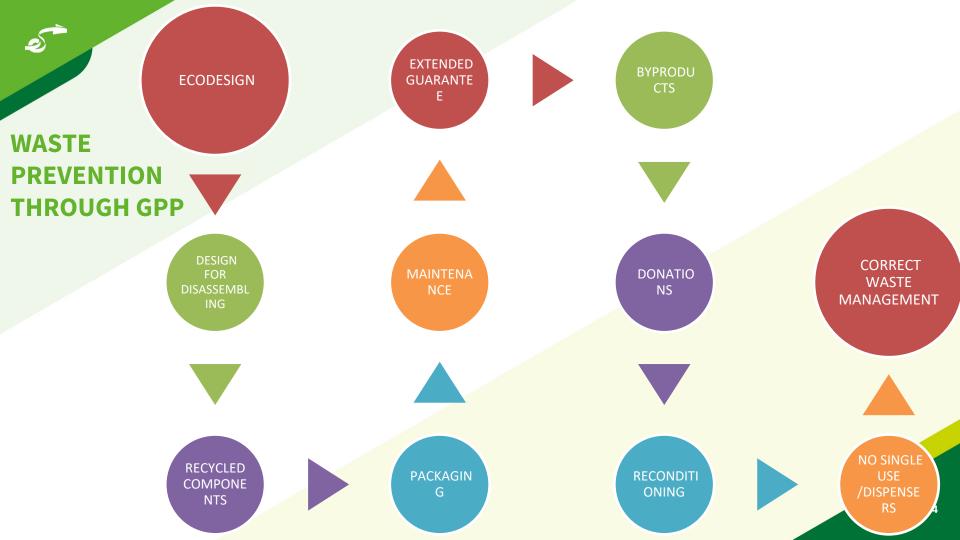
# **BENEFITS VS. CHALLENGES OF A WIDER UPTAKE OF GPP / SPP**

#### BENEFITS

- Key instrument for ecological and fair transition / resilience
- Matching with other public goals without further expenditure (plans for climate, circular economy, biodiversity
- Boasts R&D
- Fairer competition
- Improved relationship with stakeholders (including enterprises)

#### CHALLENGES

- Competences of public procurers
- Readiness of offer (also local, micro & PMI)
- Voluntary vs. Mandatory
- Rising of other costs (energy, primary sources, etc.)
- Monitoring
- Verification and labels



## **GPP-STREAM: INTEGRATION OF GPP IN POLICY INSTRUMENTS**

PARTNERS	POLICY INSTRUMENTS
Ministry of Environment (Romania)	National plan for green public procurement (Planul național de achiziții publice verzi)
Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes Energy Environment (France)	Plan National d'Actions pour les Achats Publics Durables (French national plan for GPP)
Autonomous Region Friuli Venezia Giulia (Italy)	Programma per la Cooperazione e l'Occupazione – POR FESR 2014-2020 della Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia
North-East Regional Development Agency (Rom)	Regional Operational Programme (ROP) Romania 2014-2020
Centre for Sustainability and Economic Growth (Bulgaria)	Regional Plan for Development of South Central Region 2014-2020 (NUTS 2 region), policy implemented
Association of Municipalities of Ribera Alta Region (Spain)	Regional Operational Programme of the ERDF of the Valencian Region 2014-2020
Lazio region (Italy)	Rural development Plan 2014-2020
Municipality of Gabrovo (Bulgaria)	Municipal development plan of Gabrovo Municipality 2014 – 2020

## WASTE REDUCTION THROUGH GPP IN POLICY INSTRUMENTS OF GPP-STREAM

Resource/ sector	Waste targets
Energy	<ul> <li>Ensure energy recovery of non-recyclable waste;</li> <li>Reduce energy intensity of waste treatment;</li> <li>Increase use of biodegradable waste for bioenergy and bioproducts</li> </ul>
Food	<ul> <li>Reduce food waste;</li> <li>Use recyclable/ biodegradable packaging;</li> <li>Develop composting of biowaste</li> </ul>
Buildings	- Recycle construction and demolition waste (70% till 2020).
Mobility	<ul> <li>Ensure efficient reuse and recycling of end-of life vehicles (85-95% by 2015) and ships.</li> </ul>

## WASTE REDUCTION THROUGH MANDATORY ENVIRONMENTAL MINIMUM CRITERIA IN ITALY

PRODUCT/SERVICE	WASTE PREVENTION CRITERIA
Furniture	Ecodesign (disassemblable, recyclable, upcyclable); recycled components; reduced packaging and recovery; extended guarantee; supply of spare parts and manutention;
	Ecodesign; recycled components (wood, plastic, rubber); reduced packaging
Incontinence aids	Reduced packaging
Shoes and leather	Product durability, recycled components (textile) recovery of byproducts /material balance; recovery and reuse of shoes to be substituted with the tender
Paper	recycled
Toner and inkjet cartridges	reconditioned cartridges
Building	Separate waste collection areas; disassembly and end of life; selective demolition, recovery and recycling; recycled components

## WASTE REDUCTION THROUGH MANDATORY ENVIRONMENTAL MINIMUM CRITERIA IN ITALY

**PRODUCT/SERVICE** 

#### WASTE PREVENTION CRITERIA

**Events** 

COMMUNICATION Digital & recycled tickets and communication materials; FITTINGS ecodesign, recovery and reuse of fittings; reusable, recyclable and reduced packaging, GADGETS are allowed only if functional to the event (ex. reusable bottles) and they are made of recycled materials, they are recyclable and reusable, bibs for sports competitions are made of fabric or biodegradable and compostable material, capes are made of 100% recyclable material and delivered only upon request of participants, VENUE drinking funtains, separate waste collection PERSONAL HYGENE liquids in dispensers CATERING tap water is promoted, tablecloths are not disposable, reusable cutlery and plates (only if not possible they are biodegradable and compostable), drinks on tap, no monoportions, half portions and family bags, single components can be ordered out of a menu, donation of edile unserved food and composting of the rest

Lighting	Material balance, correct WEEE managemen
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Waste management

Waste prevention

### WASTE REDUCTION THROUGH MANDATORY ENVIRONMENTAL MINIMUM CRITERIA IN ITALY

PRODUCT/SERVICE	WASTE PREVENTION CRITERIA
Catering and food provision	tap water is promoted, tablecloths are not disposable, reusable cutlery and plates (only if not possible they are biodegradable and compostable), drinks on tap, donation of edile unserved food and composting of the rest, waste prevention plan
Printing services	recovery and riconditioning of cartdiges, recycled paper, further elements of ecodesign
Cleaning services	Waste management plan and report on consumed products
Textiles	Durability, design for reuse, reduced packaging, service of maintenance, recycled components, restyling
Vehicles	Recycled components, batery guarantee extension, recovery and recycle of batteries,
Gardening services	Reuse of organic residual materials

**POLICY RECOMMENDATION: INTEGRATE GPP IN PLANNING** 

CIRCULAR ECONOMY NATIONAL/REGIO NAL PLAN CLIMATE NATIONAL/REGIO NAL PLAN BIODIVERSITY NATIONAL/REGIO NAL PLAN NAL PLAN

GPP IN EACH SECTOR



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