

Local Green Deal – Castelldefels Urban Agenda

Castelldefels - Spain

Short description

Castelldefels is utilising Local Green Deals as a strategic governance approach to accelerate local sustainability action, aligning with the European Green Deal. This LGD specifically supports the development of the Castelldefels Urban Agenda, which integrates Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The initiative fosters collaboration between the city, a business association representing micro, small, and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs), and other stakeholders. It aims to address urban challenges such as climate change, social inequality, and resource efficiency.



Industry/Sector

- Construction and built environment
- Energy and renewables (as a focus for pilot projects)
- Mobility and transport

Parties of LGD/Participating parties

- The Municipality of Castelldefels and PIMEC Baix Llobregat. Other stakeholders expected to be involved are local businesses (SMEs), citizens, and academic institutions

Scope of LGD

The scope is focused on sustainable urban development and supporting the creation and implementation of the Castelldefels Urban Agenda, which aligns with the SDGs. It aims to address key urban challenges like climate change, social inequality, and resource efficiency by integrating SDGs into action plans. The process involves collaborative engagement across sectors, including local government, businesses, citizens, and academic institutions.

Concrete measures/commitments

- City of Castelldefels commits to developing the Castelldefels Urban Agenda.
- City of Castelldefels commits to completing the creation of Castelldefels Urban Agenda by 2025.
- City of Castelldefels commits to promoting sustainable urban development and aligning with SDGs.
- City of Castelldefels commits to forming an LGD Steering Group with multi-stakeholder representation by conducting the first meeting.
- City of Castelldefels commits to organising the first public consultation and business forum to gather feedback on the proposed Urban Agenda.
- City of Castelldefels commits to beginning implementation of small-scale pilot projects focusing on energy efficiency and sustainable urban mobility.
- PIMEC commits to facilitating local SMEs' participation in sustainable urban projects in the Castelldefels Urban Agenda.
- PIMEC commits to engaging 10+ SMEs in urban sustainability projects by 2027.
- PIMEC commits to increasing the participation of SMEs in green initiatives, boosting the local economy and innovation.