

Environment, Climate Change and Low Carbon Economy Programme

Oeste Adapta

Press Release

OesteCIM promotes a workshop to assess climate risks and impacts in the West, within the scope of the Oeste Adapta Project

On July 15, 2021, the second Technical Training Workshop took place within the scope of the Oeste Adapta Project -Planning for Municipal Climate Adaptation in the West Region, financed through the Environment Programme of the EEA Grants, operated in Portugal by the General Secretariat for the Environment , from the Ministry of Environment and Climate Action.

Municipal technicians from the departments of urbanism, environment and civil protection of the West and technicians from OesteCIM were present at the session, which took place in online format and had the intervention of representatives of CEDRU and IGOT.

The Technical Capacity Building Workshop #2 is part of the second phase of the Project, corresponding to the Assessment of scenarios, risks and climate impacts.

João Vasconcelos, from IGOT, started by talking about the climate in the West, followed by João Vasconcelos, from CEDRU, who presented the climate contextualization of the county, observed trends, climate scenario and framing the county in regional climate scenarios.

Sérgio Barroso explained what climate risks are and their consequences in the PMAAC in the West, as well as an assessment of current impacts and vulnerabilities.

João Telha took the floor to talk about the methodology for assessing climate vulnerabilities and methodological tasks.

Finally, it was up to Heitor Gomes to address the next steps of the Project, namely the analysis of climate risks through the collection of cartographic bases to support the analysis for the production of cartography and an analysis sheet template that will later be filled in by the respective Municipalities, reviewed and validated.

The next initiative will be the first Webinar of Oeste Adapta Project, scheduled for October 4, 2021.



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