



EcoMobility sessions 2017@COP23

Bonn, Germany

10 and 15th November 2017

Cities & Regions Pavilion 2017, Bonn Zone, COP23, Bonn, Germany

Draft as of 2017/10/30

Maintaining the momentum of the 2015 Paris Agreement, cities make continuous efforts to reduce carbon emissions from the transport sector. Priority areas for action to address the transforming transportation landscape at a local level include new service models, technologies, integration mechanisms, policy frameworks, safety, and financing. The EcoMobility Alliance will be hosting two sessions at the focusing on cities and sustainable transport in November 2017 at the Cities & Region Pavilion. The Pavilion is the home base for local and regional governments at COP23, with a diverse program throughout 6-17 November 2017; the Pavilion offers a space for events, exchanges, meetings and partnership building.

The two sessions will highlight innovation in sustainable urban mobility and encourage the support of local, regional, and national governments under the SDGs. The goal is to share data, knowledge and successful examples of new mobility initiatives in cities. Each session will demonstrate and inspire how to advance implementation of innovative sustainable urban transport systems to reduce personal motorisation, improve the quality of life, environment, and economy. In addition, the session will discuss the review of "mobility" in SDGs and NDCs and will provide a convening opportunity in COP23 for urban mobility.

The EcoMobility Alliance is a group of cities with a common goal: to create and implement urban mobility strategies that prioritize people and the environment.

www.ecomobility.org

Strengthening EcoMobility through cooperation (objectives)

The main purpose of the EcoMobility and Climate is to bring ambitious cities together to collectively deliberate on ecomobility and find ways forward to implement ecomobility in cities. The event will also create interactions with representatives of national governments and discussions about cooperation among national, regional and local governments, as well as with progressive private sector and civil society players, with the goal of sustainable urban development planning and implementation.

Registration

Please note that the access to the Bonn Zone is only possible with UNFCCC COP23 accreditation. More than 250+ political leaders at all levels from 60 countries and approximately 1000 participants are expected to join the Summit. You do not need additional registration if you are accredited to this zone.

Knowledge partners: Paris Process on Mobility and Climate (PPMC), Transformative Urban Mobility Initiative (TUMI), Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ), Smart Freight Centre (SFC), World Resources Institute (WRI) and Wuppertal Institute



Overview of EcoMobility events during COP23 at the Cities & Regions Pavilion:

	Friday 10 Nov	Saturday 11 Nov	Sunday 12 Nov	Monday 13 Nov	Tuesday 14 Nov	Wednesday 15 Nov
10:30 - 12:00		ICLEI COP23 Announcements <i>ICLEI</i>	Climate Summit of Local and Regional Leaders			
13:30 - 15:00						The Kaohsiung Strategies for the Future of Urban Mobility <i>City of Kaohsiung and ICLEI EcoMobility</i>
15:00 - 16:30	Low carbon transport: moving people and goods, not vehicles <i>ICLEI EcoMobility</i>		Climate Summit of Local and Regional Leaders			
16:30 - 18:00						
19:00 - 22:00	Clean Mobility Reception <i>PPMC, DHL Towers (upon invitation)</i>					





EcoMobility sessions 2017@COP23

Low carbon transport: moving people and goods, not vehicles

Friday November 10th, 2017

Time: 15:00 to 16:30

Venue: Cities & Regions Pavilion 2017, Bonn Zone, COP23, Bonn, Germany

Language: English

The transportation of both people and goods in urban environments is an essential aspect of cities but also a large and growing contributor to GHG emissions. The transport sector contributes 23% of global energy-related greenhouse gas emissions and 18% of all man-made emissions. The session will highlight EcoMobility and EcoLogistics as priority areas for local and national governments by raising awareness, collecting and developing policies, action plans, recommendations and guide pioneering cities to exemplary action.

Road transport (incl. freight) is responsible for around 74% of all transport emissions. The mitigation potential that low carbon urban freight policies and practices for freight transport (EcoLogistics) can contribute to climate change is high. But often, local capacities to act are low. Options exist, from strengthening pedal driven vehicles for inner-city distribution to switching fuels, planning new distribution centres and limiting the enormous growth rate for freight. Promoting cleaner and efficient vehicles for freight delivery is one viable alternative to low-quality diesel-powered freight vehicles.

Program

- 15:00 – 15:15** Welcome by moderator - *Monika Zimmermann, Deputy Secretary General, ICLEI*
Introduction
Transport emissions outlook- *Jari Kauppila, ITF Head of Statistics and Modelling, ITF* (10 min)

- 15:15 – 16:25** Mitigating transport emissions through low carbon mobility and freight
Low carbon mobility in Rosario – *Monica Fein, Mayor of Rosario, Argentina* (10 min)(TBC)
EcoMobility strategies in Kaohsiung - *Ching-Fu Chen, Director-General, Transportation Bureau, Kaohsiung City Government* (10 min)
Low carbon mobility in La Paz – *Luis Antonio Revilla Herrero, Mayor, Municipal Government of La Paz City, Bolivia* (10 min) (TBC)
Low carbon mobility in Melbourne - *Amanda Stone, Mayor, City of Yarra, Australia* (10 min)(TBC)
Low carbon mobility in Dar es Salaam - *Charles Marwa Isaya Mwita Mayor Dar Es Salaam City Council, Tanzania* (10 min) (TBC)
EcoLogistics : Low carbon freight for sustainable cities (project launch)
Supporting low carbon transportation through the International Climate Initiative – *NN, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety (BMUB)* (5 min)
Low carbon urban freight – *Sophie Punte, Smart Freight Centre, Netherlands* (10 min)
EcoLogistics in Indian and Latin-American model cities - *Itzel Obregon, EcoMobility Officer, ICLEI* (5 min)

- 16:25 – 16:30** Session conclusion – *Monika Zimmermann, Deputy Secretary General, ICLEI*

- 19:00 – 22:00** Clean mobility reception (on invitation only)
DHL towers, Charles-de-Gaulle-Straße 20, 53113 Bonn, Germany





The Kaohsiung Strategies for the Future of Urban Mobility

Wednesday November 15th, 2017

Time: 13:30 to 15:00

Venue: Cities & Regions Pavilion 2017, Bonn Zone, COP23, Bonn, Germany

Room: Plenary

Language: English

Our cities are experiencing unprecedented changes in transportation that are driven by social, economic and technical trends. As city leaders, it is our responsibility to guide these changes to ensure that accessible, connected, affordable, safe, and environmentally friendly mobility options are being integrated into our existing and future communities. The [Kaohsiung Strategies on the future of urban mobility](#) adopted in October 2017 shall inspire local governments to transforming their transportation systems and mobility patterns towards reduced automobile dependency and towards becoming more sustainable, low-carbon and people-centered.

The Kaohsiung Strategies strengthen ecomobile solutions; walking, cycling, public transport, shared mobility and their interconnectivity as backbone of urban mobility in the future. The Kaohsiung Strategies equally call for a dedicated debate on emerging trends and new technologies, subsidies and bans including their opportunities, challenges and treats. They also present ICLEI's translation of the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals and the New Urban Agenda into local mobility policies and shall bring a strong message on urban mobility and climate to the UN Climate Conference COP 23.

Program

13:30 – 13:40 Welcome by moderator

Santhosh Kodukula, Project Coordinator, Wuppertal Institute of Climate, Environment and Energy, Germany

Introduction of the Kaohsiung Strategies for the Future of Urban Mobility

*Ching-Fu Chen, Director-General, Transportation Bureau, Kaohsiung City Government and
Monika Zimmermann, Deputy Secretary General, ICLEI*

13:40 – 14:50 Strategies to drive our future cities

Urban mobility of the future in British Columbia – *George Heyman, Minister of Environment & Climate Change, Government of British Columbia, Canada (10 min)*

EcoMobility World Festival: liveable shared and intelligent- *NN, Environmental Bureau, Kaohsiung City Government (10 min)*

Moving Quito ahead- *Veronica Arias, Secretary of Environment, Quito, Ecuador (10 min) (TBC)*

PPMC – *Holger Dalkmann, Co-Chair of SloCat, Germany (10 min) (TBC)*

Urban mobility of the future in Växjö – *NN, City of Växjö, Sweden (10 min) (TBC)*

Urban mobility of the future in Mozambique – *Manuel Antonio De Araujo, Mayor, Quelimane Municipality, Mozambique (10 min)*

Taxi of the Future - *Oleg Kamberski, Head of Passenger Transport, IRU (10 min) (TBC)*

Panel discussion (20 min)

14:50 – 15:00 Discussion and conclusion – *Santhosh Kodukula, Project Coordinator, Wuppertal Institute of Climate, Environment and Energy, Germany (10 min)*