## Circular Ljubljana



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## Ljubljana

Green areas = ¾ of the city's surface

542 m<sup>2</sup> public green areas per inhabitant

4 landscape parks (13,8 % city's surface)

1.200 ha of special-purpose forest

20 % of the city's area has a nature protection status

Natura 2000 areas: 16,5 %



## Vision 2025 (2007)

#### **Ideal City**

In the future Ljubljana will preserve the character of an agreeable green city, its dimension and convenient living standards will make it a nice place to live in.



#### Metropolis

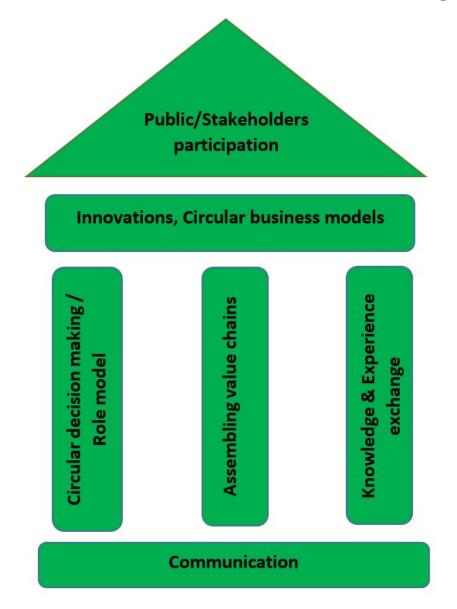
The city will grant high living standards, security and tolerance. The city, opened widely for foreign investors and experts, will gradually acquire the cosmopolitan character and image.

#### **Environmentally friendly city**

Sustainable development considers an option of a direct access to the open space as well as the integration of the city into the landscape system.

## PROVIDING BEST SERVICE IMPROVING QUALITY OF LIVING

### Transition to circular economy



2019: E-questionnaire for Youth in Ljubljana on what the City administration should focus more in the future

#### Priority areas:

- public transport
- educational system
- local & ecological food production
- sustainable shopping



2020: E-questionnaire for City administration employees on sustainability and circular economy

50% of employees opened the questionnaire, but only 25 % of all employees filled in the questionnaire



#### Out of 25%:

75% of employees think that sustainable development and circular economy are important development topic for Ljubljana

40% of employees have heard of circular economy, but do not know the details

#### Green decission code for City administration employees:

- 1. We are aware of our impact on the environment and society and we act transparently
- 2. We strengthen cooperation
- 3. Health is our greatest value
- 4. Digital instead of physical
- 5. Innovations and new circular business models
- 6. Natural resources are limited
- 7. Old = New
- 8. We support the local environment
- 9. We reduce the amount of waste
- 10. Biodiversity

#### Guidebook on sustainable and circular everyday decisions

- Definition of CE
- Explanation of 10 principles
- Interesting facts
- What can I do?
- Good practices
- Performance indicators

# Priročnik za sprejemanje trajnostnih in krožnih vsakodnevnih odločitev

(priloga Kodeksa o krožnem in trajnostnem poslovanju mestne uprave Mestne občine Ljubljana)



- 1. Županov uvodnik
- 2. Ljubljana na poti v krožno gospodarstvo zakaj in kako
- 3. Vodila za krožno delovanje v MOL od zaveze do izvedbe
- 4. Mesta nosilci krožnih sprememb

Circular challenges for City administration employees:

1. Cycling to/from work:

45 employees, more than 8,000 km



Circular challenges for City administration employees:

#### 2. Reuse of goods:

Exchange markets (for employees only)



Thank you for your attention.

