MTSIP FOCUS AREA 2
PARTICIPATORY PLANNING, MANAGEMENT & GOVERNANCE.

THE VISION

*Strengthening the capacity of national governments, local authorities and other Habitat Agenda Partners to develop and implement norms, standards and guidelines towards sustainable urbanization through an integrated focus on land, housing, planning, environment, governance and management for all.*
CONTEXT
Planning which conceptualizes the city as a WHOLE.

Planning
Good Governance
Partnership
Basic Services
Safety

Disasters & Crises
Decentralization
Mobility
Resilience
Management

3 PILLARS

IMPROVED URBAN POLICY

STRENGTHENED INSTITUTIONS

IMPROVED IMPLEMENTATION
ENTRY POINTS

### IMPROVED URBAN POLICY

- **Analysis**
- **Advocacy**
- **Best practice**
- **Policy for cities**

### STRENGTHENED INSTITUTIONS

- **City Structure**
- **Human Resources**
- **Tools**

### IMPROVED IMPLEMENTATION

- **Action planning**
- **Partnership**
- **Excellence**
- **Capacity in cities**

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**CHALLENGES**

- Focus geographical & thematic approaches
- Changing urban needs (financial downturn, food & energy crises, migration)
- Context specific planning. Appropriate to different needs & priorities
- Responding to disaster prone & post-conflict scenarios
- Planning for diversity (youth & gender).
SUCCESS STORIES

CITIES & CLIMATE CHANGE INITIATIVE
Sorsogon City, Philippines

• Adaptation & mitigation strategies established through participatory city-wide consultations

• Development of a vulnerability assessment tool

• The initiative contributed to the Climate Change Act of the Philippines, 2009

• Since implemented in Mongolia, Sri Lanka, Fiji, Samoa, Papua New Guinea & Vanuatu.

SUCCESS STORIES

TRAINING & CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME
Transforming Local Government in Liberia Through Training

• Conducted a rapid assessment of local government capacity

• Developed a network of 50+ Liberian trainers to build the skills of local government staff

• 50 training events across Liberia reaching over 2,000 professionals.
SUCCESS STORIES

THE SAFER CITIES PROGRAMME
Women’s safety in public space, Delhi, India

- Developed a safety audit tool to measure women’s fear of urban crime & violence
- A strategy and action plan developed through community participation
- Clean spaces for sport, recreation and the creative arts plus a community radio programme and film screenings developed for women & youth.

UPDATE. WHAT’S NEXT?

- To work with cities as a whole: broader and longer-term accomplishments
- Assemble competence around the theme of planning
- Results based management & project evaluation
- SUD-Net
- Strategic external partnerships
- Align FA2 to the UN as ONE