Annex

Pact of Amsterdam

List of Reference Documents

The Pact of Amsterdam builds on the following list of documents adopted at Informal Meetings of Ministers responsible for Territorial Cohesion and/or Urban Matters:

- The “Lille Action Programme” adopted at the Informal Council of Ministers responsible for urban affairs held in Lille on 3 November 2000.
- The “Urban Acquis” adopted at the Informal Council of Ministers responsible for territorial cohesion, held in Rotterdam on 29 November 2004.
- The “Bristol Accord” adopted at the Informal Council of Ministers on sustainable communities held in Bristol on 6-7 December 2005.
- The “Territorial Agenda of the EU - Towards a More Competitive and Sustainable Europe of Diverse Regions” adopted at the Informal Council of Ministers responsible for spatial planning and urban development held in Leipzig on 24-25 May 2007.
- The ”Marseille Declaration” adopted at the Informal Ministerial Meeting of Ministers responsible for urban development on 25 November 2008.
- Toledo Declaration, adopted at the Informal Council Meeting of Ministers on urban development of 22 June 2010 in Toledo.
- Territorial agenda of the EU 2020, agreed at the Informal Ministerial Meeting of Ministers responsible for Spatial Planning and Territorial Development of 19 May 2011 in Gödöllő.
- The "Road map" for the implementation of the new Territorial Agenda adopted during Polish presidency in November 2011.
- Declaration of Ministers towards the EU Urban Agenda, adopted at the informal meeting of EU ministers responsible for Territorial Cohesion and Urban Matters, Riga, 10 June 2015.

Other Intergovernmental documents

- Council Resolution of 12 February 2001 on architectural quality in urban and rural environments (2001/C 73/04)
- General Affairs Council conclusions of Nov 2014 (point 32)

The following list contains important reference documents for the Pact of Amsterdam and the development of the EU Urban Agenda. The presence of a document on the following list should not be taken as endorsement of its content:

Presidency Conclusions

- Presidency Conclusions adopted at the Informal Meeting of Ministers responsible for cohesion policy of 24-25 April 2014 in Athens.
- Presidency Conclusions of the Luxembourg Presidency of the Council of the European Union on the occasion of the Informal Ministerial Meetings on Territorial Cohesion and Urban Policy (26 and 27 November 2015);

**European Commission**
- Commission Staff Working Document / Results of the Public Consultation on the key features of an EU Urban Agenda (SWD(2015) 109 final/2);
- Better regulation for better results – an EU agenda (COM(2015) 215 final);

**European Parliament**
- European Parliament resolution of 9 September 2015 on the urban dimension of EU policies (2014/2213(INI)).

**EESC and CoR**
- Opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee (EESC) of 21 September 2011 on “Metropolitan Areas and City Regions in Europe 2020”.
- Opinion of the Committee of the Regions of 25 June 2014 on “Towards an Integrated Urban Agenda for the EU”.
- Opinion of the EESC “An EU urban agenda – strengthening the urban dimension of EU policymaking for a more effective delivery of Europe 2020”, 23 April 2015.
- Opinion of the EESC on “The future of the EU Urban Agenda seen from the perspective of civil society” (exploratory opinion requested by the Netherlands presidency of the EU), 17 February 2016;
- Opinion of the European Committee of the Regions "Concrete steps for implementing the EU Urban Agenda" (requested by the Dutch EU Presidency), 8 April 2016;

**Other**
- European Urban Charter, adopted by the Council of Europe's Standing Conference of Local and Regional Authorities of Europe (CLRAE) on 18 March 1992, a Session held during the annual Plenary Session of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities CLRAE (17-19 March 1992, Strasbourg).
- CEMR Contribution to an Urban Agenda, February 2014.
- Vienna Declaration by the Mayors of the EU Capital Cities "A strong voice in Europe", 21 April 2015.
- CEMR Position Paper, “Territorial development An EU Urban Agenda should facilitate local authorities’ action on the ground”, December 2015;
- Declaration by the Mayors of the EU Capital Cities on the EU Urban Agenda and the Refugee Crisis, 21 April 2016.
- European City Makers Agenda, May 2016.