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„GREEN TRANSITION” PROGRAMME

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CLIMATE

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CLIMATE

Call 1 – Green Transition in cities and towns (1/4)

Allocation amount:

122,186,880 PLN

(28.8 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

4,242,600 PLN (1 mln EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

12,727,800 PLN (3 mln EUR)

Support: grant of up to **85%** of eligible expenditure

** NGOs – volunteering up to 100% of the in-kind contribution*

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CLIMATE

Call 1 – Green Transition in cities and towns (2/4)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

- local government units
- public institutions from the healthcare and culture sectors
- non-governmental organisations (in partnership with the entities indicated above)

Partnership projects with institutions from the Donor States:

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CLIMATE

Call 1 – Green Transition in cities and towns (3/4)

Scope of support:

- investments in nature-based solutions (NbS), with a particular focus on sustainable rainwater management: retention, infiltration, runoff attenuation, and water reuse in urban areas
- mitigation of the urban heat island effect
- investments based on an integrated catchment approach

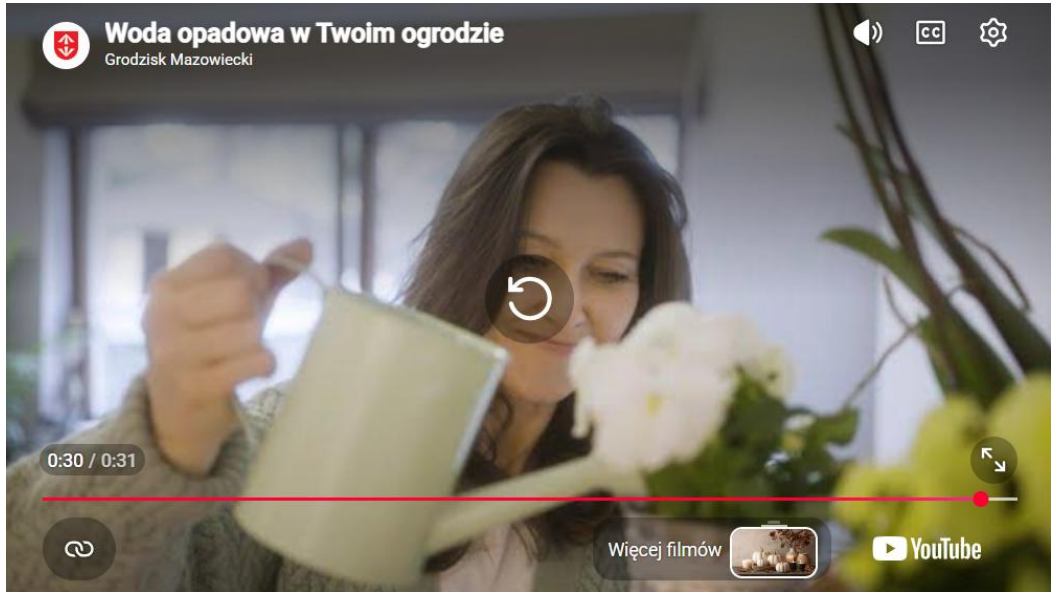
including complementary measures:

- ✓ implementing solutions in line with circular economy principles
- ✓ green roofs and walls or facades, passive cooling systems in public buildings

CLIMATE

Call 1 – Green Transition in cities and towns (4/4)

*** All projects should include an educational component related to the project's theme that contributes to engaging local communities and shaping public attitudes**



CLIMATE

Call 2 – Raising awareness on climate change mitigation and adaptation (1/4)

Allocation amount:

33,940,800 PLN

(8 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

1,272,780 PLN (300,000 EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

6,363,900 PLN (1.5 mln EUR)

Support: grant of up to **85%** of eligible expenditure

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CLIMATE

Call 2 – Raising awareness on climate change mitigation and adaptation (2/4)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

- local government units
- educational institutions, particularly libraries and museums
- non-governmental organisations (in partnership with the entities indicated above)

Partnership projects with institutions from the Donor States:

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CLIMATE

Call 2 – Raising awareness on climate change mitigation and adaptation (3/4)

Scope of support:

- small-scale investments serving a demonstrative function based on nature-based solutions (NbS), combined with educational and awareness-raising activities

- ‘learning by doing’ as concrete examples of climate change adaptation and mitigation in practice, combined with countering climate disinformation – a bottom-up approach where educational activities are developed around the implemented investments

CLIMATE

Call 2 – Raising awareness on climate change mitigation and adaptation (4/4)

Examples:

- educational gardens
- rainwater retention systems
- green schoolyards
- biodiversity-friendly spaces
- green roofs and walls
- passive cooling (natural temperature reduction without the use of air conditioning units)



ENERGY

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ENERGY

Call 3 – Investment support for renewable energy communities (1/4)

Allocation amount:

139,157,280 PLN

(32.8 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

8,485,200 PLN (2 mln EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

16,970,400 PLN (4 mln EUR)

Support: grant of up to **85%** of eligible expenditure

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ENERGY

Call 3 – Investment support for renewable energy communities (2/4)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

- citizen energy communities, energy clusters, and energy cooperatives
- local government units and their associations acting on behalf of or for the benefit of citizen energy communities

Partnership projects with institutions f the Donor States:

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ENERGY

Call 3 – Investment support for renewable energy communities (3/4)

Scope of support:

- construction or development of renewable energy source installations
- development of energy storage systems
- deployment of intelligent Energy management systems and smart grid solutions
- development of local energy grids serving energy communities
- preparation of technical documentation and feasibility studies, and the provision of technical assistance necessary for project implementation

ENERGY

Call 3 – Investment support for renewable energy communities (4/4)

including complementary measures:

- ✓ educational and training activities, implemented as a complement to investments, aimed at building knowledge and skills in community energy and renewable energy sources

ENERGY

Call 4 – Funding of CCUS projects development in Poland (1/3)

Allocation amount:

84,852,000 PLN

(20 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

2,121,300 PLN (500,000 EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

16,970,400 PLN (4 mln EUR)

Support: grant of up to **85%** of eligible expenditure

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ENERGY

Call 4 – Funding of CCUS project development in Poland (2/3)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

- enterprises and research institutes

Partnership projects with institutions from the Donor States:

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ENERGY

Call 4 – Funding of CCUS projects development in Poland (3/3)

Scope of support:

- feasibility studies, project concepts, and FEED documentation for CCUS projects covering the value chain (CO_2 capture, transport, storage and utilisation)
- technical, economic and regulatory analyses necessary for investment preparation
- conducting environmental and social impact assessments

ENERGY

Call 5 – Energy Storage for Renewable Energy Development (1/3)

Allocation amount:

83,555,851.76 PLN

(19.7 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

848,520 PLN (200,000 EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

10,606,500 PLN (2.5 mln EUR)

Support: grant of up to **65%** of eligible expenditure

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ENERGY

Call 5 – Energy Storage for Renewable Energy Development (2/3)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

- entreprises that are electricity generators in renewable energy source installations, operating existing RES installations (excluding transmission and distribution system operators)

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ENERGY

Call 5 – Energy Storage for Renewable Energy Development (3/3)

Scope of support:

- design and permitting (as part of the preparatory phase support)
- construction and installation of electricity storage systems (medium-scale energy storage with a capacity of 1 to 10 MW)
- integration with existing RES infrastructure and grid connection
- deployment of advanced energy management tools (BMS, EMS)

Preferred activities:

- ✓ energy storage directly at the source of generation
- ✓ solutions enabling participation in the energy market, as well as the provision of flexibility and system balancing services

ENERGY

Call 6 – Geothermal Energy (1/3)

Allocation amount:

42,426,000 PLN

(10 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

1,272,780 PLN (300,000 EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

under consultation

Support: grant of up to **65%** of eligible expenditure

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ENERGY

Call 6 – Geothermal Energy (2/3)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

- local government units and their associations
- small, medium-sized, and large enterprises, including municipal companies

Partnership projects with institutions from the Donor States:

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ENERGY

Call 6 – Geothermal Energy (3/3)

Scope of support:

Implementation of a geothermal-energy-based heating system, including:

- ✓ construction of a new heat source or expansion of an existing one utilising geothermal resources
- ✓ adaptation of an existing geothermal (exploration) well for production purposes

Project preparatory costs:

- design
- technical documentation
- permitting

including complementary measures:

- ✓ educational and training activities, implemented as a complement to investments, aimed at building knowledge and skills in geothermal technologies



ENVIRONMENT

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ENVIRONMENT

Call 7 – Biodiversity and ecosystems conservation (1/4)

Allocation amount:

42,426,000 PLN

(10 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

1,272,780 PLN (300,000 EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

6,363,900 PLN (1.5 mln EUR)

Support: grant of up to **85%** of eligible expenditure

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ENVIRONMENT

Call 7 – Biodiversity and ecosystems conservation (2/4)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

- local government units
- public entities responsible for nature conservation
- non-governmental organisations
- local and regional authorities
- higher education institutions and research institutes

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ENVIRONMENT

Call 7 – Biodiversity and ecosystems conservation (3/4)

Scope of support:

- protection and restoration of ecosystems, including wetlands, peatlands, forests and meadows
- protection of endangered species and habitats
- elimination and control of invasive alien species and preventing their further spread
- strengthening ecological connectivity through the creation and maintenance of ecological corridors

ENVIRONMENT

Call 7 – Biodiversity and ecosystems conservation (4/4)

Scope of support:

- water management measures, including retention and the improvement of water conditions in environmentally valuable areas

*** All projects should include an environmental education component related to the project's theme that contributes to engaging local communities and shaping responsible public attitudes towards the environment.**



CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN THE WATER SECTOR

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CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN THE WATER SECTOR

Call 8 – Water management through circular economy actions (1/4)

Allocation amount:

33,940,800 PLN

(8 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

424,260 PLN (100,000 EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

4,242,600 PLN (1,000,000 EUR)

Support: grant of up to **85%** of eligible expenditure (subject to state aid rules)

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CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN THE WATER SECTOR

Call 8 – Water management through circular economy actions (2/4)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

- local government units
- municipal companies
- enterprises

Partnership projects with institutions from the Donor States:

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CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN THE WATER SECTOR

Call 8 – Water management through circular economy actions (3/4)

Scope of support:

- reduction of water loss in water supply systems through the deployment of leakage monitoring systems, telemetry solutions, digital water infrastructure management systems, and smart metering
- implementation of solutions for the optimisation and pressure management of water supply networks
- development of systems for the reuse of treated wastewater, as well as water recovery and recirculation in industrial processes
- utilisation of backwash water, greywater, and other alternative water sources in line with circular economy principles

CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN THE WATER SECTOR

Call 8 – Water management through circular economy actions (4/4)

Scope of support:

- utilisation of rainwater for municipal or production purposes leading to the reduction of raw water abstraction
- demonstration and pilot projects showcasing the practical application of circular economy solutions in water management
- cooperation and exchange of experience with Partners from the Donor States with expertise in efficient water resource management

*** All projects should include an environmental education component focusing on rational water management and circular economy principles.**



CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN THE CONSTRUCTION SECTOR

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CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN THE CONSTRUCTION SECTOR

Call 9 – Circular Economy in the Construction Sector (1/5)

Allocation amount:

8,485,200 PLN

(2 mln EUR)

Minimum co-financing amount:

848,520 PLN (200,000 EUR)

Maximum co-financing amount:

2,121,300 PLN (500,000 EUR)

Support: grant of up to **85%** of eligible expenditure

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Call 9 – Circular Economy in the Construction Sector (2/5)

Anticipated date of call announcement:

Q4 2026

Anticipated deadline for submission of applications:

3 months

Applicants:

In accordance with Article 7.2(1) of the Regulation, any entity, private or public, commercial or non-commercial, as well as non-governmental organisations established as a legal entity, shall be considered an eligible applicant.

Call 9 – Circular Economy in the Construction Sector (3/5)

By way of example, eligible applicants include, among others:

- local government units
- municipal companies
- SMEs and large enterprises
- non-governmental organisations
- academia (e.g. universities, research institutes, etc.)

Call 9 – Circular Economy in the Construction Sector (4/5)

Scope of support:

- development of legal, technical and economic analyses regarding the reuse of construction materials and elements
- preparation of guidelines, standards, procedures, tools and methodologies supporting the design, execution and certification of investments in line with circular economy principles
- educational, training and information activities targeted at architects, engineers, contractors, building material manufacturers, investors and public administration
- research and development projects aimed at developing or testing new methods, organisational solutions and tools supporting circular construction

Call 9 – Circular Economy in the Construction Sector (5/5)

Scope of support:

- pilot and demonstration projects, including the preparation of documentation necessary for the execution of investments in line with circular economy principles or for obtaining relevant certifications
- cooperation and exchange of experience with Partners from the Donor States with expertise in circular construction

QUESTIONS

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