

Members News Flash

Sign up for free sustainable mobility workshops as part of EU BUMP project



The BUMP project is running a series of ten one-day workshops for local authorities in England and Wales aiming to boost urban mobility plans. Starting at the end of February in Cardiff and continuing until July, the workshops are aimed at transport planning officers and any local authority staff whose work involves or affects travel modes in their locality. Councillors are particularly welcome to attend.

Drawing on European case studies, the workshops will enable participants to learn about best practice, develop their own ideas and learn from one other. Topics include active travel, applying for European funding and communicating with key stakeholders. Local Authorities will also be able to raise their area's profile by taking part in exchanges and visits by international delegations, which will also be funded by this project. There's also the chance to receive free coaching and specialist support to develop their sustainable mobility ideas into concrete, practical projects.

For more information, please visit the project website www.bump-mobility.eu or contact Audrey Healy on audreyh@severnwye.org.uk.

First call for CAPITAL Activity Fund!

The first call for proposals for the CIVITAS CAPITAL will open on 28 February 2014. A quick reminder on what types of proposals are being sought:

- **'Being inspired'** - study tours, workshops or similar activities at the initial take-up phase
- **'Structural dialogue'** - concrete staff exchange between take-up and donor cities
- **'Studies'** - evaluation (long-term; impact and process) & feasibility studies
- **'Systematic transfer'** - feasibility studies leading towards pilot demonstration and implementation

More details can be found at <http://www.civitas.eu>. We will also be providing more information for UK & Ireland CIVINET members soon.