

ISTANBUL METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY

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Company's activities

Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality (IMM) holds a very important place in the local administration organization of Istanbul. Its area of responsibility encompasses the entire provincial territory, which spans a total area of 5,343 km². IMM has 30 municipal enterprises, 2 subsidiary public utility corporations (Transport Authority (IETT) and Water & Sanitation Authority (ISKI)) and around 87.000 employees in total.

The city has 39 district municipalities. The area of responsibility of Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality (IMM) encompasses the entire provincial territory. IMM is responsible for a wide variety of areas including environment, natural-gas supply, energy, infrastructure, planning and development, IT, transportation, community services and vocational education, health-wellness, food & catering, culture, tourism, etc. There are 26 departments under 7 Deputy Secretaries-General. Since Istanbul is one of the most crowded cities with a 16 million population, the IMM wants to create a sustainable, self-sufficient, and green city that enables citizens to live in better environmental conditions.

Description of our products / services

In Smart City Department, there are 8 different themes which are **Mobility, Environment, Energy, Economy/Finance, Governance/ICT, Living, Human, and Security**. Each theme has a coordinator in our department and they coordinate smart city projects under the relevant theme in the municipality. Therefore, there are different projects in the concept of smart city specific to these 8 themes as well.

Procurement strategy

Mission: To provide accessible services for an Istanbul that produces by protecting all the values of the city with a new generation municipality understanding, and lives 24 hours with its cultural and social life.

Vision: Just, green and creative city, happy Istanbulites

Values: We have 10 main values we care which are justice, transparency and accountability, ethic, inclusion, innovation, environmental awareness, merit, participation, people oriented and agility.

We carry out the procurement processes through 2 methods such as direct procurement method and open tender method. We are also working with companies by conducting pilot studies according to the identified needs in Istanbul, and being part of consortiums of EU and funding projects.

Products / services we are looking for

Products and technologies related to the following topics of interest:

- Climate Change and sustainability
- Metaverse
- EIT Urban Mobility call for proposal (searching for EU partners)