

COST C23
Strategies for a Low Carbon Urban Built Environment

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Minutes of the WG2 Meetings (Urban Infrastructure)

WG2 members present

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1. Initial introductions of the new WG2 members.
2. Presentation of the first case studies collected, in draft form, one per country represented in the WG2.
3. Given the small number of case studies collected so far, it was decided to ask WG1 colleagues for case studies, particularly coming from countries not represented, at present, in the WG2.
4. Round table on the collection of Planning guidelines. The information available, directly related to the Low carbon built environment theme, is, so far, very limited and scarce. A general discussion was carried out on possible ways ahead to overcome this limitation. There was agreement that further efforts should be made to collect all possible planning guidelines, on a country base, at least until the next meeting in Trondheim.

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