



	D.2.3.1 - Feasibility studies on planned spongecity investments	PTE, feedback from all partners
	D.2.3.2 - Evaluation reports on the demonstration investments	PTE, KC VODE, BSC Kranj, ADISM
	D.2.3.3 - Public events for citizens Indicator: 2 /country	All partners
	D.2.4.1 - Toolbox assessment report	RARIS, PLUS
	D.2.5.1 - Joint assessment report with recommendations for related policies	PTE
	D.2.5.2 - Participating at regional, national, transnational thematic events to present spongecity tools	All partners
17:30	Closure of the event	
19:00	Dinner at Aurora Restaurant (Libertății Square No. 11, Satu Mare)	

## SPONGECITY – 5<sup>TH</sup> PROJECT MEETING AND SCOM

### MEETING AGENDA

*Thursday, 14 May 2026*

#### Closing conference and Site visit

Organiser: ADISM

Venue: Casa Dăinuirii, 1st December 1918 Street, No. 1, Satu Mare

9:00	Registration and Press Conference
9:30	Welcome and introduction of the agenda Speakers: Nicoleta Lașan, ADISM; Balázs Borkovits, University of Pécs
9:40	Urban water retention focuses in the EU Strategy for the Danube Region Speaker: Dr. László Balatonyi, EUSDR PA5 coordinator
9:55	Results of the Danube Regional Programme in urban climate protection and water management projects Speaker: Mr Csomor Gusztáv, Joint Secretariat, DRP
10:10	Climate risks and challenges in urban water retention Speaker: Dr. Szabolcs Czigány, University of Pécs
10:25	The SpongeCity approach and its key outcomes Speaker: Balázs Borkovits, University of Pécs
10:40	Advice for cities: main findings of the local action plans Speaker: Ms Helena Zvenkel, BSC Kranj

11:00	Coffee break
11:15	Improved hydroclimatic monitoring and planning innovative, ecosystem-based water retention measures in urban areas Speaker: Lin Nyi Nyi Lian, PLUS
11:30	Raingardens - demonstration investments to showcase sponge city actions: experiences of the construction and operation Speakers: Dr Szabolcs Czigány, University of Pécs Damir Ruk, KC VODE Nicoleta Lasan, ADISM Helena Zvenkel, BSC Kranj
12:10	Maurice project - Management of urban water resources in Central Europe facing climate change Speaker: Dr Grzegorz Gzyl, Central Mining Institute
12:25	Be Ready project - Urban heat islands resilience, preparedness and mitigation strategy Speaker: Sevdalina Voynova, Sofia Development Association
12:40	ClimBeach - Improving the resilience of coastal areas to the impacts of climate change and setting guidelines for sustainable beach stabilization and management Speaker: Anton Vrdoljak, University of Mostar
12:50	Q&A - Interactive session with stakeholders Future cooperation ideas
13:15	Lunch at Casa Dăinurii
14:30	Study trip by bus to Livada raingarden and surroundings (please wear comfortable clothes and shoes)
18:30	Dinner at Camping Țara Oașului Restaurant Luna Șes
21:00	Departure from Luna Șes to Satu Mare