

## 4. Programming Cohesion Policy

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Challenges	Opportunities
<p>Procedure-wise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Official public information not available evenly throughout the process</li><li>● Timeline and/or milestones and/or deadlines of consultation unclear/unavailable</li><li>● No real drafts available but excerpts / summaries only</li></ul> <p>Content-wise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Not progressive, business-as-usual</li><li>● No hard conditions</li><li>● What will be supported from national sources -- how will harmful subsidies be avoided, internalisation of external costs etc.</li><li>● Renovation and resources for construction "misused" (stadiums etc.) and/or lack of skilled labour</li><li>● To what extent will the climate provisions (taxonomy etc.) be applied</li><li>● Local level: capacity, possibility to prepare projects but what for?</li></ul>	<p>Procedure-wise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Legal requirements on participation (ECCP etc.)</li><li>● Capacity-building for participation on EU /national /municipal level</li></ul> <p>Content-wise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Renovation Wave, renovation of buildings</li><li>● Trialogue -- obligations / criteria on climate proofing (guidance, taxonomy etc.)</li><li>● 30% earmarking</li></ul>

Useful resources p.eg.:

- Bankwatch EU campaign and useful materials: <https://bankwatch.org/eu>

- CAN Europe EU budget program: <http://www.caneurope.org/finance/eu-budget>

- Survey of civil society experts on the current MFF and proposals for the next one: <https://eeb.org/publications/183/eu-governance/100291/supplement-to-the-climate-change-and-the-eu-budget-report-by-clean-air-action-hungary.pdf> (read at least the first 32 pages!)

<https://www.levego.hu/en/campaigns/eu-funding-for-the-climate/>

- NSC-FoE Hungary (MTVSZ) EU program: <https://mtvsz.hu/bankfigyelo> (in Hungarian)