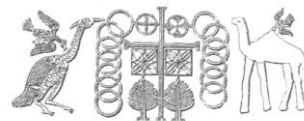


Municipal Enterprise of Prespes

Presentation of activities



Municipal Enterprise: the area



- ✓ **Municipality of Prespes** is located in the north-west (NW) of Greece, on the border with **Albania and North Macedonia**

- ✓ With 1560 permanent residents it is the smallest municipality of mainland Greece
- ✓ It is also the most sparsely populated municipality in Greece with 3 persons/sq.Km
- ✓ Almost 81% of its area (~520 sq. Kms) is included in the Natura 2000 network of protected areas.



- ✓ Created in **2011** (with the unification of the Municipality of Prespes and the Commune of Krystallopigi) comprises **16 Communities** (including **20 settlements**)

- ✓ Main occupations of the inhabitants:
 - ▶ - **Primary sector (61%)**: agriculture (mainly Prespa beans grown in 1200 ha of arable land), stock-breeding (sheep-goat breeding / 13,000 heads, cattle for meat production / 2,000 heads, swine / 100 heads), forestry, fishing
 - ▶ - **Secondary sector (5%)**: one bean packaging factory plus construction.
 - ▶ - **Tertiary sector (34%)**: Mainly tourism and public services including 29 hostels and hotels, 26 restaurants, more than 30 other small service businesses



- ▶ The Prespes Lakes area (within Greece) is considered an area of Community importance (encompasses 4 NATURA 2000 areas: GR 1340001, GR1340003, GR1340009, GR1340010 SCI/SPA, a Ramsar site, National Park 28651/9.2.2009 and UNESCO World Heritage site (tentative list)
- ▶ Of the total water surface area of Prespes Lakes, 190 km² lies within North Macedonia, 84,8 km² to Greece and 38,8 km² to Albania
- ▶ The Prespes Lakes area is marked by extraordinary high levels of biodiversity across taxa.
 - ▶ 272 bird species
 - ▶ 60 mammal species
 - ▶ 1800+ plant species
 - ▶ 23 fish species
 - ▶ 172+ butterfly species
 - ▶ 22 reptile and 11 amphibian species

Municipal Enterprise: Objectives



Solidarity and Social protection.



Enhancing resident's cultural education



Collaboration with local organizations and groups



maintenance and management of sports facilities



Developing local programs for protection and upgrading of the natural, architectural and cultural environment.



Design and implementation of research, technological development and innovation programs for the development of the Prespa region.



Promotion of local products (Prespa Beans, Prespa Bleak etc)



Implementing programs and actions for environmental protection and public health.

Facilities & Activities

- **The Centre for Creative Activities of children**



- **The Municipal Library at Laimos**

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Operation and maintenance of
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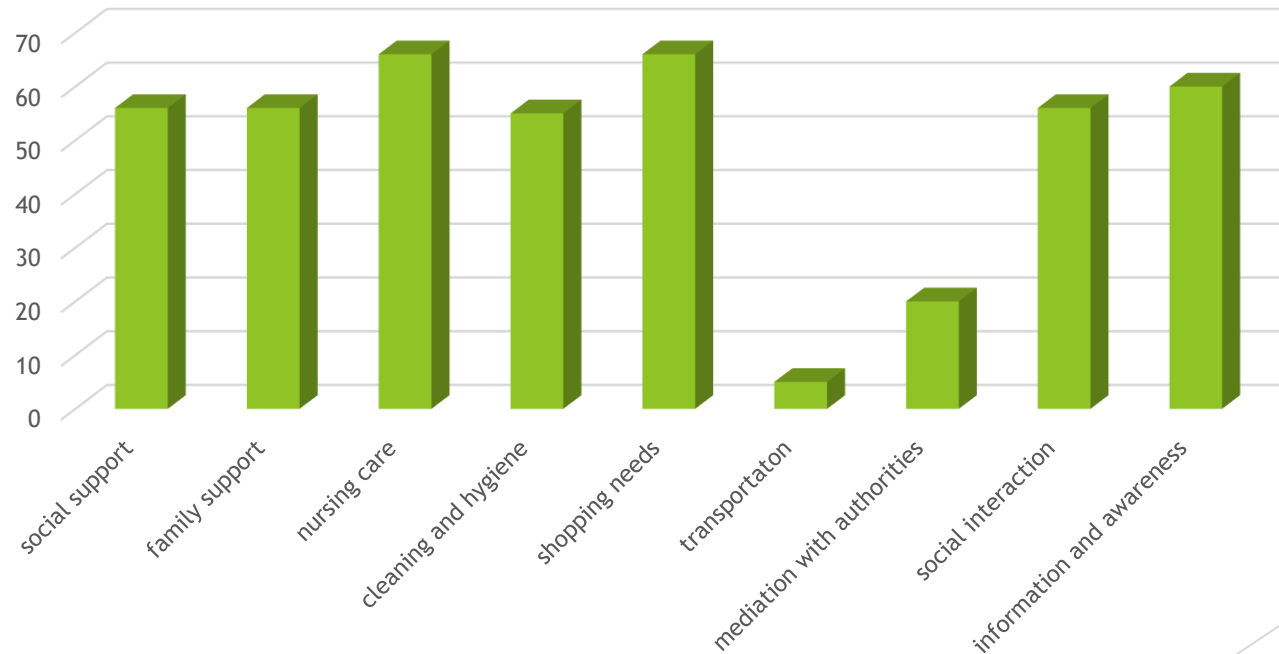


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Facilities & Activities: Assistance at home for the elderly



Persons 70+



Facilities & Activities Transportation

Vehicles

- Two 20 seat, diesel powered vehicles (pictured)
- One 30 seat, diesel powered vehicle

Students

• Students from pre-primary to high school are transported by the Regional authority to the three Schools in Municipality of Prespes

• Toddlers are transported to childcare station by their parents.

- Students are transported by Municipality's busses to extracurricular activities provided by the Municipality
 - in the Sport Centre (interrupted)
 - The Municipal Library (planned)
 - The Centre for Creative Activities of children (planned)



Tourism

- ▶ Two Solar Boats.
- ▶ Autonomous vessels with Photovoltaic panels and batteries for quiet cruises in the Prespa National Park.



The role of Municipal Enterprise of Prespes in Green Inter-E-Mobility project

- ▶ Project's duration: 24 months
- ▶ Budget (for Prespes Municipality): 210.120,00 €



	Budget Line	Cost
1.	Equipment	115000
2.	External Expertise and Services	33750
3.	Infrastructure and Works	55000
4.	Office and Administration	600
5.	Staff Costs	1500
6.	Travel and Accommodation	4270
	TOTAL	210120

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Thank you!

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