

# NALAS General Assembly Meeting

Prishtina | 14 – 15 April 2016

## AGENDA

### DAY 1 - Thursday, 14 April - THEMATIC Session: Increasing Municipal Investment Capacities in SEE

11:00 – 12:00	Registration of participants
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
13:30 – 13:30	Welcome address by NALAS President, AKM President and the World Bank representative
13:30 – 14:30	<b>Challenges in Capital Investment Projects at Local Level in SEE</b> Findings of NALAS Task Forces: Emil Savov, NAMRB and Miodrag Gluscevic, SCTM Panel Discussion: Jasmina Vidmar, SOS, Sazan Ibrahim, AKM, Ivan Vukadin, SOGFBiH
14:30 – 15:30	<b>Creating Investors' Confidence through Good Governance of Municipal Finances</b> Application of LG self-assessment Tools: Catherine Farvacque – Vitkovic, World Bank Case Studies: Mico Micic, Mayor of the City of Bijeljina, Marina Trajcovska, Kisela Voda Municipality and Vladimir Bozinovski, Gazi Baba Municipality
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 – 17:00	<b>Practices in Attracting Funding and Creating Infrastructure Value</b> Case Studies: Naim Ismajli, Mayor of Shtime, Mehmet Onur Partal, Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality, Miroslav Matesic, Deputy Mayor of Rijeka and Branislav Dzuranovic, Mayor of Danilovgrad
17:00 – 17:45	<b>Current and Emerging Opportunities for Funding Municipal Investments in SEE</b> James Macbeth, GIZ, Voltana Ademi, Mayor of Shkodra, Emanuil Manolov, Mayor of Pavlikeni, Maja Pinjo Talevska, Regional Cooperation Council - RCC
17:45 – 18:00	<b>Launching of the book "Municipal Finances-A Handbook for Local Governments"</b> Conclusions / Closing Remarks
18:00 – 19:00	CLO Meeting
20:00	Official Dinner

### DAY 2 - Friday, 15 April - STATUTORY Session

09:00 – 09:30	<b>Opening Speeches</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emil Draghici, NALAS President</li> <li>Isa Mustafa, Prime Minister of Kosovo</li> <li>Breda Pecan, Vice-President of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities</li> <li>Shpend Ahmeti, Mayor of Prishtina</li> </ul>
09:30 – 09:45	<b>NALAS Statement on Migrant Crisis in SEE</b> Presented by Emil Draghici, NALAS President
09:45 – 10:00	Coffee Break / Press Statements
10:00 – 10:15	<b>GA Meeting Procedures and Overview of the Agenda</b>
10:15 – 10:20	<b>2015 General Assembly Meeting Report</b>
10:20 – 10:30	<b>Approval of NALAS 2015 Reports: Activity Report 2015 and Financial Report 2015</b>
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Inauguration of the new NALAS President and Vice Presidents</b>
11:00 – 11:30	<b>Approval of NALAS 2016 Work Plan and 2016 Budget</b>
11:30 – 11:45	<b>Elaboration and Approval of NALAS Policy Positions to Promote Gender Equality at Local Level</b> Presented by NALAS President
11:45 – 12:00	<b>Policy Recommendations related to Solid Waste Management in Rural and Coastal Areas</b>
12:00 – 12:15	<b>NALAS Partnership with IAWD. Guest speaker Walter Kling</b>
12:15 – 12:30	End of meeting
12:30	Family Photo
13:00	Lunch

Friday, 15 April afternoon - Departure