

EU Environmental Policies and Strategies in South Eastern Europe: Capacity Building for the Implementation of EU Environmental Policies and Strategies in Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia

Building capacity on EU Nature Policies

project implementation

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The project

Contracting Authority: European Commission

EuropeAid: Support to Partnership Actions "Environment, Energy Efficiency, and Health and Safety at Work" - to strengthen the capacity, the activities and the role of Balkan civil society organisations

Budget: Budget allocation, over-budgeting, VAT exemption

- 1. less co-financing for partners
- 2. IUCN has more administrative and reporting experience
- 3. Fewer responsibilities for partners a two-edged sward

Duration: 24 month (Jan 2010 – Dec 2011) – real start - second half of 2010









Applicant/lead partner:

IUCN Regional Office for Pan-Europe

Partners:



Birds Protection and Study Society of Serbia



Ecologists' Movement of Macedonia



Greens of Montenegro





The project purpose

was to strengthen capacities of CSOs in FYROM, Montenegro and Serbia to understand and support implementation of the EU policies relating to sustainable management of natural resources





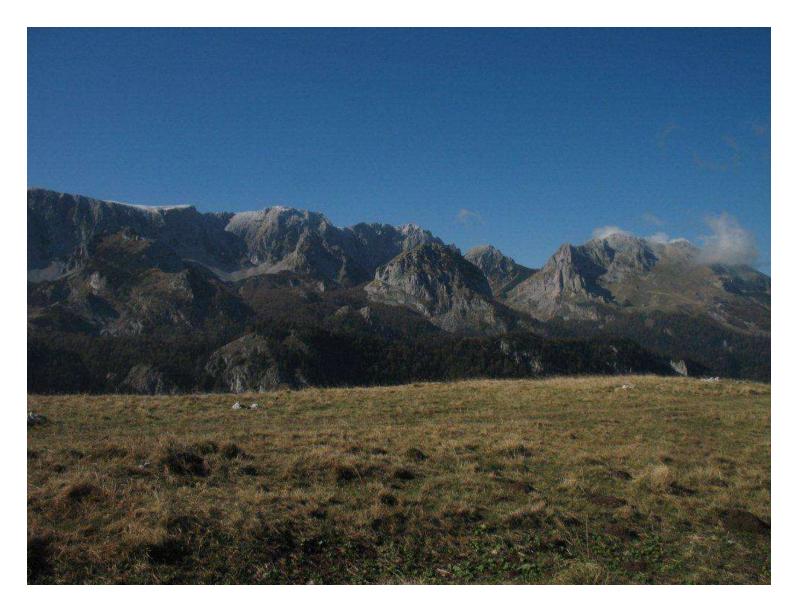
I. Three case studies – one in each country including situation and stakeholders' analysis, national context for implementation of the respective policy, perspectives for protection.



Ratkova skala – agricultural areas of HNV and support for farmers



Bioc, Maglic, Volujak or the future Piva regional park and its role in linking two national parks



Tamis river floodplain as a future SPA



II. Three workshops

focusing on implementation of the EU environmental policies, respectively

Rural Development

NATURA2000

Green
 Infrastructure















III. Elaboration of training materials

IV. Training for trainers





Ecological Networks and Green Infrastrucutre ECNC-European Centre for Nature Conservation, October 2011.















Ecological Networks and Green Infrastructure



V. Study tour in Bulgaria











Project ends 29th of December 2011

Financial and technical reporting

