



A Story about ENERGAP: 20 years of Energy and Climate Agency of Podravje

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ENERGAP's Story

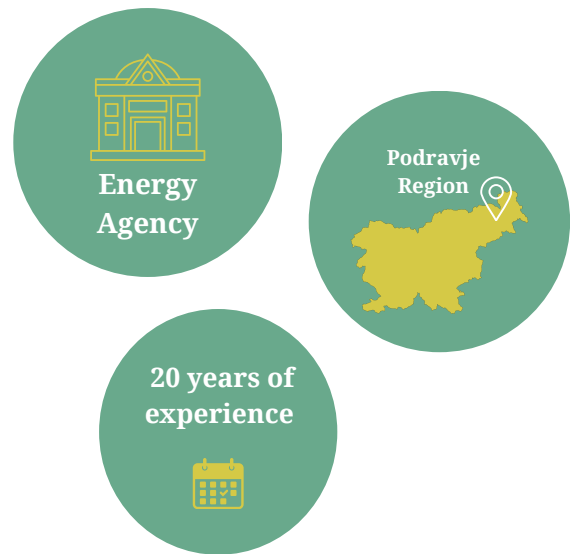
ENERGAP was founded with a clear mission: to transform energy challenges — sustainability, energy efficiency, decarbonisation, and the deployment of renewable energy sources — into **concrete development opportunities**.

Our journey began as the Energy Agency of Podravje, working closely with municipalities, public institutions, and regional partners to improve energy efficiency, promote renewable energy, and translate strategic goals into tangible actions.

From the very beginning, our **focus has been on development and implementation**. We understand how ideas evolve into well-structured projects, how projects become investments, and how investments generate long-term value. This **practical, hands-on approach** has shaped ENERGAP into a **reliable partner for public authorities and organisations across Europe**.

From Energy to Energy & Climate

Over time, it became clear that energy cannot be addressed in isolation. In response, ENERGAP **expanded its mission from energy to climate**, becoming the Energy and Climate Agency of Podravje. This evolution reflects our commitment to tackling today's key challenges—decarbonisation, climate resilience, adaptation, and energy security—**through integrated and future-oriented solutions**.



“For us, the energy transition and climate action are inseparable and must be designed and implemented together.”



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What We Do

ENER GAP **supports public and private partners throughout the entire project lifecycle**, from strategic planning to implementation and results.

Our **core activities** include:

- **Energy and Climate Project Development:** Transforming ideas and strategies into concrete, investment-ready projects.
- **Strategic Planning and Policy Support:** Supporting municipalities and regions in aligning local actions with national and EU energy and climate objectives.
- **Project Coordination and Implementation:** Managing projects, coordinating stakeholders, and ensuring real impact on the ground.
- **Integrated Climate Mitigation and Adaptation:** Combining energy efficiency, renewable energy, emission reduction, and climate resilience measures.

Key Strengths

Financing: we are highly experienced in **navigating complex European funding mechanisms** and translating ambitious ideas into financially viable projects.

We support our partners in:

- **accessing EU, national, and regional funding** programmes,
- **structuring investments** and combining multiple financial sources,
- **reducing risks and increasing project bankability.**

This financial expertise enables faster implementation, higher success rates, and long-term sustainability of energy and climate investments.

Multi-level perspective: we understand the needs of local communities and municipalities, as well as the priorities and expectations of regional, national, and European institutions.

This enables us to act as a trusted development partner across sectors and borders, effectively connecting local action with national strategies and European policy objectives.

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