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MASTER PLANS AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT STUDY FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF HERAKLIDON AT KOS ISLAND - GREECE



Master plans and Regional Development Study for the Municipality of Heraklidon and dependent settlements in the Dodecanese island of Kos, performed in three stages in accordance with relevant EU and Greek legislation, for an area of 16,500 hectares comprising five settlements.

The study targeted issues of environmental protection and efficient organization of resources, as well as the designation of zones for the production sectors of agriculture, tourism industry and urban expansion.

The study defined measures to enhance regional physical and cultural characteristics and proposed infrastructure updating to secure equal benefits and opportunities to all inhabitants.

Measure implementation will result in attracting economic and similar activities in appropriately

allocated geographic zones of the island

After a four month period of local surveys and data collection on demographic and labor trends, economic and physical tendencies and land use compatibility bottlenecks, the development study estimated the positive repercussions and minimized negative effects of the proposed activities installation, having examined in a first stage the area specific capacities and adequate natural preservation sectors.

Discussions organized by the Consultant and held between local authorities and beneficiaries focused on alternative proposals that have been analyzed prior to the final plan design, which was delivered following extensive workshop sessions with public participation, representatives of NGO's and Municipal authorities, on matters of common interests.

DATA ON OVERALL PROJECT

Name of Client <i>Municipality of Heraklidon Kos Island</i>	Start Date <i>12/2004</i>	Project Value in 12/2004 prices
Project Location within Country <i>Kos Island -Greece</i>	Completion Date <i>8/2005</i>	Value of Services in 12/2004 prices <i>150,000 Euro</i>