

# Cross Border Planning and Infrastructure Measures for Flood Protection

### **FLOOD PROTECTION**

FINAL CONFERENCE

Serres, Greece, November, 21st 2023





#### ■ THE SUBSIDITY CONTRACT

B3.5b.01/11.09.2017

#### Partners:

- The Lead partner: Region of Central Macedonia
- Project beneficiary 2: Region of Eastern Macedonia-Thrace
- Project beneficiary 3: Decentralized administration of Macedonia-Thrace
- Project beneficiary 4: District administration Blagoevgrad
- Project beneficiary 5: District administration Haskovo
- Project beneficiary 6: District administration Kardzhali
- Project beneficiary 7: District administration Smolyan

#### Budget of PB4:

790 000 euro





#### □ ACTIVITIES IMPLEMENTED BY REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION BLAGOEVGRAD

#### WP1: PROJECT MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

These activities will support the whole implementation period of the project

#### WP2: COMMUNICATION AND DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES

- 3 press conferences
- 1 publicity meeting
- Information brochures
- Press publications

#### WP3: INTEGRATED INFRASTRUCTURE MEASURES FOR FLOOD PROTECTION FOR RIVER STROUMA/STRYMON AND KERKINI LAKE

- Construction and repair of threshold №2 of Struma river and the right embarkment of threshold №3
- Construction of protective activities on the following sites: the bridge near Krupnik village; the bridge near Bulgartransgas station; near Ilindentsi and Mikrevo villages; Oranovo mine; Balgarchevo village, Dolno Tserovo village. Strengthening the threshold of the river Struma, the village of Ribnik
- Construction of protective facilities against flooding near the town of Simitli km. 376+000, km. 377+000, km. 378+128

#### W5: IMPACT ASSESMENT

Preparation of impact assessment of flood protection measures for Struma river



#### □ WP2: COMMUNICATION AND DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES

## □ Publicity meeting - 05<sup>th</sup> July 2018











#### □ WP2: COMMUNICATION AND DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES

## □ Press conference – 03<sup>rd</sup> October 2019





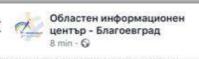






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#### □ WP2: COMMUNICATION AND DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES



България е предвидено изграждане и модернизация на три бетонни стени по река Черна в Смолян, река Върбица в Златоград и река Чепинска в Рудозем, укрепване на десния бряг и почистване на река Марица в района на селата Великан и Ябълково, Област Хасково, възстановяване на защитната дига на река Крумовица и изграждане на защитна дига на река Джебелска в Област Кърджали.





### PRESS PUBLICATIONS









#### □ WP2: COMMUNICATION AND DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES

### **■ INFORMATION BROCHURES AND MATERIALS**











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- Lot No 1 Construction and repair of threshold № 2 of Struma and right embankment of threshold №3.
- Lot No 2 Construction of protective facilities against floods along the Struma River /near Simitli km. 376 + 000, km. 377 + 000, km. 378 + 128/. 2
- Lot No 3 Construction of protective facilities against floods on the Struma river/near Krupnik, near Bulgartransgaz station, near the village of Ilindentsi and Mikrevo, near Oranovo mine, Bulgarchevo village and Dolno Tserovo village and the village of Ribnik/

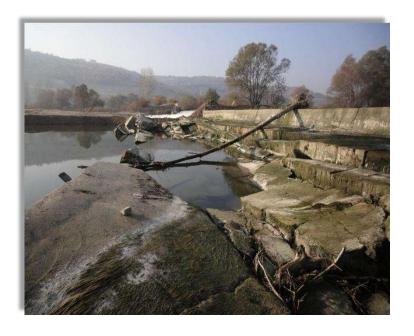


- LOT 1 CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR OF THRESHOLD № 2 AND RIGHT EMBANKMENT OF THRESHOLD №3 OF STRUMA RIVER
- ☐ Building permit 22 October 2018
- ☐ Start of the construction 13 November 2018
- ☐ End of the construction works 8 May 2019 Act 15
- ☐ State Admission Commission accepts the constructed site with no remarks 4 November 2019
- ☐ The sites were put into operation



#### LOT 1

Before During











Lot No 1 Construction and repair of threshold № 2 of Struma and right embankment of threshold №3.

Threshold № 3 during construction

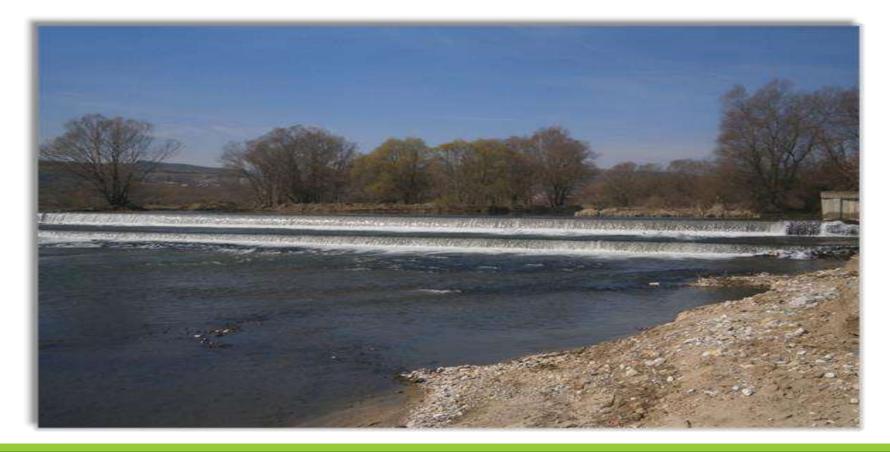








Lot No 1 Construction and repair of threshold № 2 of Struma and right embankment of threshold №3.





- □ LOT 2 CONSTRUCTION OF PROTECTIVE FACILITIES AGAINST FLOODS ALONG THE STRUMA RIVER /near Simitli km. 376 + 000, km. 377 + 000, km. 378 + 128 /. 2
  □ Building permit 12 March 2019
  - ☐ Start of the construction 02 September 2019
  - ☐ State Admission Commission accepts the constructed site with no remarks 13 March 2020
  - ☐ The constructed sites were put into operation





- Lot No 2 Construction of protective facilities against floods along the Struma River / near Simitli km. 376 + 000, km. 377 + 000, km. 378 + 128 /. 2
  - ☐ Before the construction









Lot No 2 Construction of protective facilities against floods along the Struma River / near Simitli - km. 376 + 000, km. 377 + 000, km. 378 + 128 /. 2

During the construction









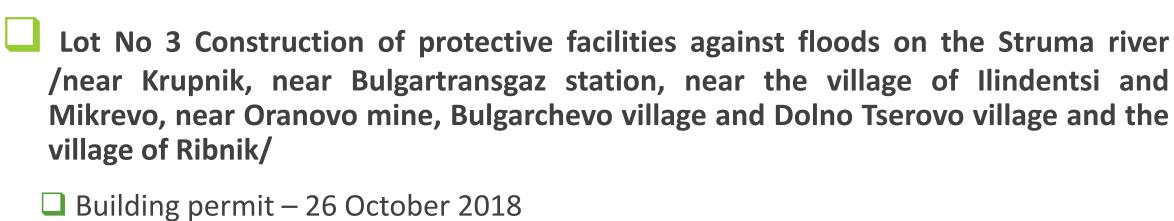
**LOT 2 -** 13 March 2020

State Admission Commission accepted the constructed site and put them into operation





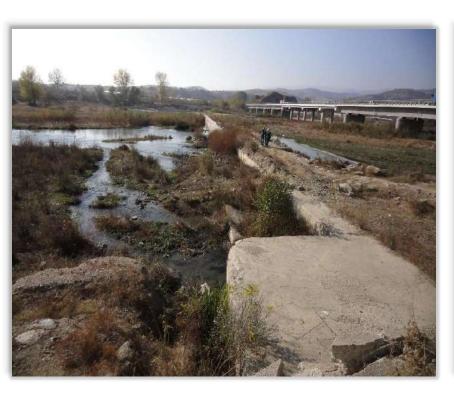




- ☐ Start of the construction 15 November 2018
- $\square$  State Admission Commission accepts the constructed site with no remarks -31 March 2020
- ☐ The constructed sites were put into operation



□ Lot No 3 Sub object: The village of Ribnik - Before and during the construction

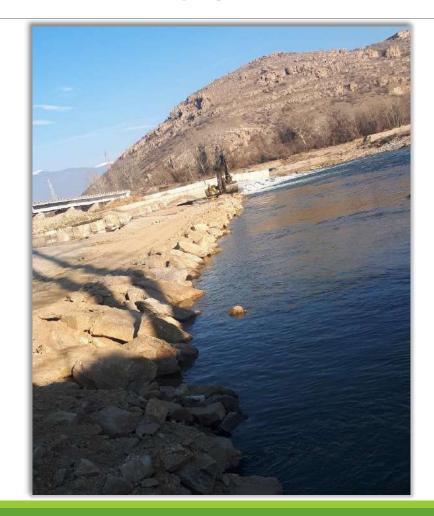








 Lot No 3 Construction of protective facilities against floods on the Struma river - village of Ribnik



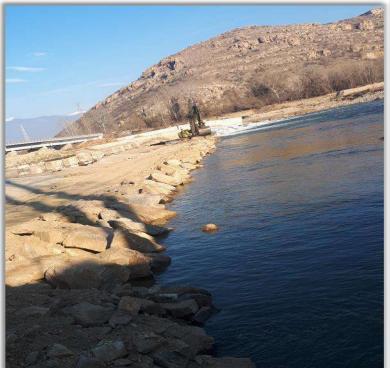






Lot No 3 - 31 March 2020

State Admission Commission accepts the constructed sites and put them into operation











Lot No 3 Construction of protective facilities against floods on the Struma river /near Krupnik, near Bulgartransgaz station, near the village of Ilindentsi and Mikrevo, near Oranovo mine, Bulgarchevo village and Dolno Tserovo village and the village of Ribnik/

**Sub object:** Bulgartransgaz station After the construction







■ Lot No 3 Sub object: near Bulgartransgaz station — During the construction







Lot No 3 Sub object "The village of Bulgarchevo"

Bulgarchevo village during construction









## PB 4: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION BLAGOEVGRAD Implemented activities



The report assessing the impact of implemented infrastructure measures by the Regional administration Blagoevgrad, against floods on the Struma River was done in August 2020





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## Thank you for your attention!