



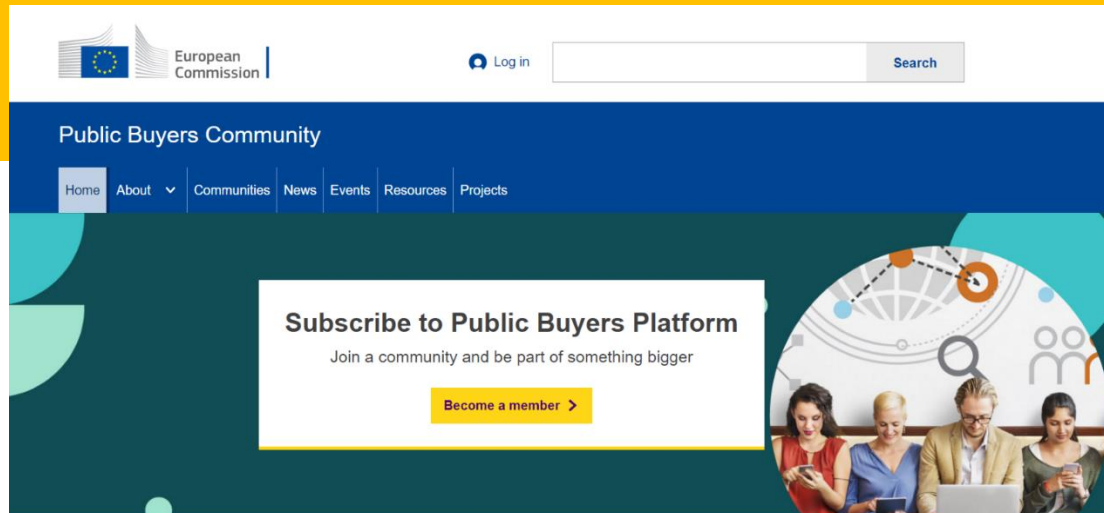
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# **Welcome**

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# Public Buyers Community Platform



<https://public-buyers-community.ec.europa.eu/>

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# Mission Public Buyers Community

**Connect** : Empower public buyers and those working in public procurement to join together and connect with the European Commission.

**Inform** : Foster the exchange of cutting-edge market intelligence and know-how on public procurement.

**Collaborate**: Encourage joint action and systematic collaboration in public procurement.

**Focus** : Support the use of public procurement as a gateway to digital, green and social transition pathways.

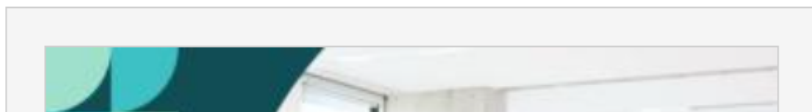
# Public Buyers Community

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## Communities

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# Big Buyers Working Together

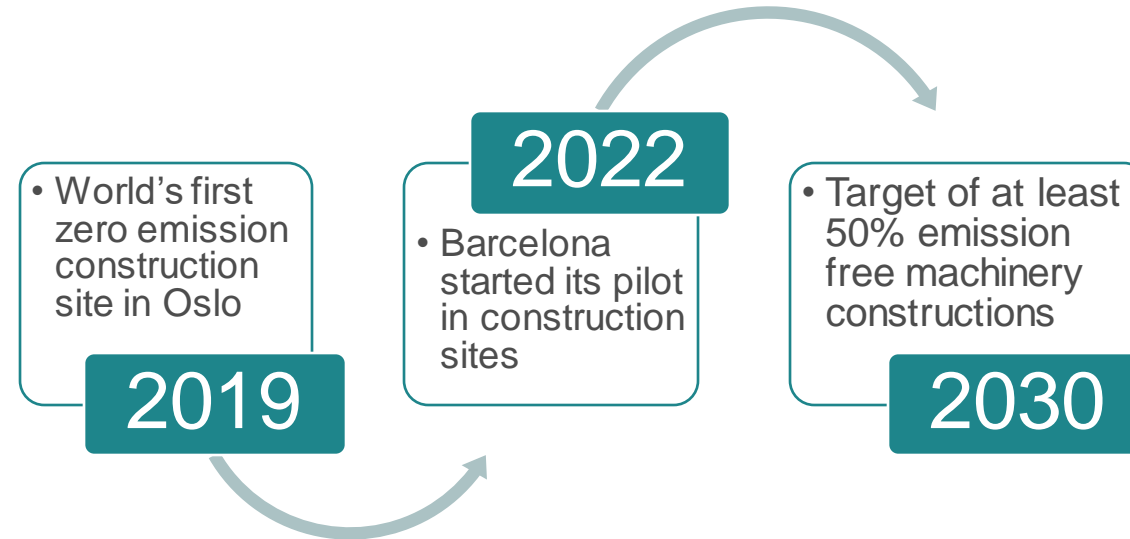
## 10 Communities of practice

- Zero emission construction sites (ZECS)
- Heavy-duty electric vehicles (HDEV)
- Circular Construction (CC)
- Sustainable solar panels
- Mobility
- Digital
- Social
- New European Bauhaus
- Health Efficiency
- Health Sustainability

# Big Buyers on Zero Emission Construction Sites: an example from Oslo

## The working group on Zero Emission Construction Site:

- 21 Members
- Shared knowledge
- Joint Statement of Demand



Open and joint Statement of demand signed by Barcelona, Oslo, Copenhagen, Helsinki, Vantaa and Bodø



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# Procure Innovation EU Training program

- Management level  
online
- Operational level  
On site

4 years duration

More information soon





Prior Information Notice



Procurement  
innovation  
hubs

## Objective of Tender: purchase support services for:

- Establishment of “Innovation Procurement Hubs” in a public authority
- Knowledge exchange with peers in EEA
- Potential building of EEA co-publishing EEA website



# Public Procurement Gazette

More communication  
coming through our  
newsletter:





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**Thank you**