

#### **Building bridges between MA's and Cities**

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## MA & City









### Many MA's & Cities in the EU











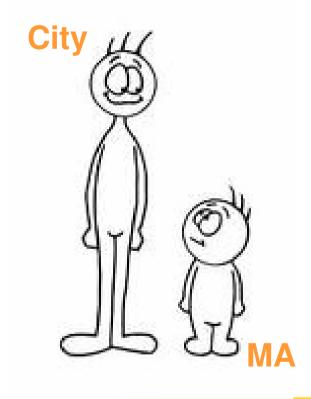


#### The EU relation between MA&City till 2013....

#### **ERDF/ESF Structural funds**

#### **Urbact**











#### Most important question to Cities and MA's!

#### Are they willing to understand each other?









#### Critical success factors in MA and City networks

- 1. Role MA = Building bridges
- 2. City and MA are Equal
- 3. City and MA develop projects together
- 4. PEOPLE!



MA is the door to EU for the cities!







#### Best Practice Klarendal (Arnhem); Results LAP Urbameco



















#### Lets use Common Sense in all networks!

- > People's work !!!
- > Focus on building bridges
- > Connecting people/projects/tools
- > Dealing with bureaucracy









# Free recommendations for new networks: (from Gelderland and the city of Arnhem)

- > Networks for maximum 1,5 year
- Maximum 5 partners
- More intensive cooperation (weekly.....)

> Real projects !!



- Close cooperation MA and City (hands on !)
- > Equal EU % for all EU countries







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