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# COST Action Circular City

## Implementing nature based solutions for creating a resourceful circular city

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## Key messages

**Cities** worldwide are **facing a number of challenges** including resource depletion, climate change and degradation of ecosystems.

If cities do not **adapt their current resources management approach and their infrastructure**, they will not be able to cope with these challenges.

**Nature-Based Solutions (NBS)** are one element that can help to achieve this transition. The concept of NBS has high potential to address several urban challenges such as climate mitigation, air quality, water management, participatory planning and governance as well as to facilitate the shift toward **circular management of resources in cities**. One of the most appreciated characteristics of NBS are their **co-benefits and multifunctionality**.



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