Project Overview

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Why? The vision of stakeholders

- Public Authorities about Smart Cities
  - What about my legacy?
  - How do I interconnect applications?
  - How do I federate services?
  - How will we get profit from existing applications and data?
- P.A. about the cloud
  - Is it possible to migrate?
  - How will this migration be done?
  - Are there any examples, best practices...?
  - Will it produce an actual cost reduction?
- Citizens
  - Will I have better services?
  - What about unemployment and economy?
  - Will I pay more taxes?
- Local SMEs
  - How can I survive?
- Local Industries
  - What about infrastructures?
General Objective

• STORM CLOUDS will explore how the shift by Public Authorities to a cloud-based paradigm in service provisioning should be addressed:
Specific objectives

• To define useful guidelines for Public Authorities and Policymakers on how to migrate and accelerate the migration to the Cloud
  • Direct experimentation in at least 4 European cities,
  • Creation of a set of relevant use cases and best practices.
• To deliver a consolidated and interoperable cloud-based services portfolio validated by citizens and Public Authorities in different cities
• To replicate the validations by means of Replication Pilots through a Call for Cities
The expected outcome

- Guidelines on how to move existing applications to cloud based environments.
  - “The migration folder”
    - Experiences and best practises.
    - Guidelines: Criteria to select applications to migrate.
    - Strategies to involve stakeholders in the migration to Smart cloud-based cities.
    - Indicators to measure the benefits.
The consortium
Thank you!

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