



*Expert Request Form*

Request number:  
(Allocated by the Czech  
Development Agency)

Title:  
**BIH Mayor's departure to the Czech Republic**

Expected field of expertise:  
**Cooperation of BIH Mayors with some Mayors in the Czech Republic**

Partner country:  
Bosnia and Herzegovina

Region/town/locality:  
Mrkonjić-Grad

Expected Start and End Dates:  
From 01.04 2017. Until 31.12.2017.

Total amount of days in the field:

Expected Czech ODA  
financial contribution (EUR):

Estimated co-financing from the  
partner institution (financial  
contribution in EUR/ in kind in detail)

**Applicant / Partner Institution:**

*Name, type, mail and web address of partner institution; name and position of responsible manager/contact person, phone, fax, e-mail.*

**Municipality of Mrkonjić Grad**

**Local government,**

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**Divna Aničić, Mayor of the Municipality**

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CONTEXT AND RATIONALE

**Context:**

*Problem analysis. Please explain current situation and why the expert is requested (what is his/her added value).*

Municipality of Mrkonjic-Grad is located in the South-Western part of the Republic of Srpska, i.e in the Western part of Bosnia and Herzegovina. Coordinates are: 17° 04' 45" eastwise and 44° 24' 08" northwise. Mrkonjic Grad is situated 591 m above sea level and the municipality occupies 685 km<sup>2</sup> and Mrkonjic Grad comprises 37 populated areas that are divided into twenty two local communities.

Agricultural land covers about 54,0% of the total land area. Non-arable land area (pastures) covers about 20 % of the total land area and 80% of the arable land area belongs to individual farmers. The quality of the land, the climate conditions and a well known tradition indicates that Mrkonjic Grad is a cattle-raising and agricultural area. Agricultural land covers 54% of the total



municipal surface area, of which plough land, orchards and Meadows account for 34%, and land unsuitable for cultivation (pastures) for 20%. According to the preliminary results of the census dating from 2013 there were 18.136 inhabitants on the territory of Mrkonjić Grad. The population of Mrkonjić Grad inhabits 38 settled areas. It has been estimated that 7.915 inhabitants live in urban areas while the other number of 10.221 inhabitants belong to rural areas. Priority economic sectors with significant potential for creating new jobs will be: agriculture, manufacturing industry.  
In 2017, Budget of the Municipality amounts: 10.275.000BAM

**Expected outputs and outcomes:**

*Please, explain, what is expected from the expert in detail (elaboration of analysis, seminar, forum, etc. ) and when and how those outcomes will be used.*

Exchange of experience and knowledge will result:  
The best practices will be adopted in the field of asset management in the municipalities in the Czech Republic,  
The first steps towards the district heating system are made,  
The best ways of waste disposal are made in the municipalities in the Czech Republic.

**Role of the applicant/partner organisation and roles of other key partners:**

*Please describe briefly the roles and responsibilities of key project stakeholders and their relation towards the expert (towards his/her work).*

Mayor of the Municipality of Mrkonjić Grad Divna Aničić, together with other Mayors from BIH, wants to visit some municipalities from the Czech Republic so that they could exchange their experiences, informations and findings about the waste management, property management and the heating system

**Complementarity:**

*Analysis of other relevant development interventions executed by the government (or) in co-operation with other donors, complementarity of the requested intervention with activities carried out so far.*

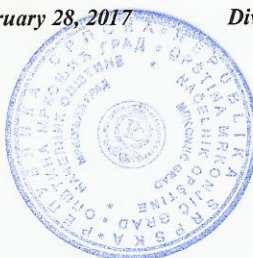
The Municipality of Mrkonjić Grad cooperates successfully with other foreign donators for a long time and has realized some important projects ( UNDP, Switzerland agency for development and cooperation, Sweden agency for international development –Sida) and one of these projects is certainly the project which deals with creating the strategic development plan for the Municipality of Mrkonjić Grad and the priority projects are: building of the heating system in the city as well as management of the municipal property and finally environmental protection, i.e., waste management.

**Date and Signature:**

*Place, date, name of authorised person within applicant institution and his/her signature, stamp.*

Mrkonjić Grad, February 28, 2017

Divna Aničić, The Municipal Mayor



*Divna Aničić*