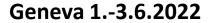
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# **Examples of the circular economy** in the Czech Republic





#### **Public procurements**

## **Outline**

- 1) Public procurements new legislative
- 2) Recovered wood usage particleboards, OSB
- 3) Reusable boxes and cups
- 4) Project "Where to put it?"



#### **Public procurements**

## Public procurements since 1.1.2021

## New requirements:

- >socially responsible, environmentally responsible and innovative approach of contracting authorities
- >contracting authority is **obliged** to take into account
  - > environmental impact
  - > sustainability
  - ➤ life cycle costs of the supply, service or constructional work
  - >other environmentally relevant aspects associated with the public contract



#### **Public procurements**

## Methodology of using wood in public procurements (2021)

- > prepared and published by Ministry of Agriculture
- ➤ brief introduction on the possibilities and reasons for the use of wood in public procurements
- > examples of good practice
  - project documentation on wood building public procurement according to this documentation
  - ➤ design and build procurer defines purpose, scope, performance and functional parameters
    ✓ criterion share of used wood
  - > preliminary market consultation gathering information from suppliers on incorporating secondary procurement goals (e.g. environmental, social or innovative)
  - > Public procurer is allowed to ask more variants of solution
    - ✓ limitations who is allowed to apply for procurement
    - ✓ define objective criteria for evaluation (e.g. life cycle costs, share of used wood)



## Methodology of using wood in public procurements (2021)

#### **Wood-concrete bridge**





#### **Modular systems**



#### **Outdoor equipment**



#### Kronospan - recovered wood usage

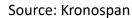
## **Particleboard production**

- ➤ production capacity 818 770 mt/year
- ➤ usage of recovered wood since 2006
- recovered wood fraction max. 50 %

## **OSB** production

- ➤ production capacity 420 000 mt/year
- ➤ usage of recovered wood since 2022 patent
- recovered wood fraction max. 50 %







#### Kronospan - recovered wood usage

#### Sources of recovered wood

- ➤ Waste companies
- **≻**Construction sector
- > Furniture producers, joiners
- ➤ Household Waste Recycling Sites

### Kronospan

- >imports recovered wood nowadays
- > supports and promotes recycling of wood
- defines rules and standards for waste companies and recycling sites
- >able to process all available recovered wood in Czechia







## Project "Reusable boxes and cups"

## Reusable boxes and cups – How does it work?

- pack your takeaway or drink in reusable boxes or cups
- >pay deposit
- return reusable boxes or cups by partners
- >collect good feeling and deposit















proof

Extreme

100% recyclable PA Free

Compact

Made in Czech Republic



Where to put it? - household waste recycling sites, reuse centers, circular projects, how to sort waste

- ➤non-profit project of NGO "Let's Clean Up the Czechia"
- ➤ launched in early 2020
- ➤ advise on how to properly dispose of waste
- >total of over 50,000 offtake points
- >users can verified information





































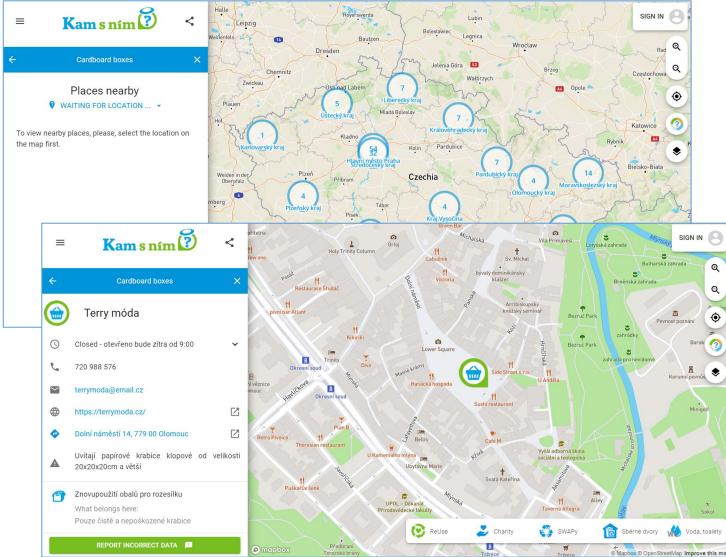


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- Plastic

**Shopping Bags** 

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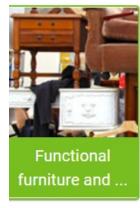
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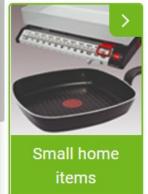














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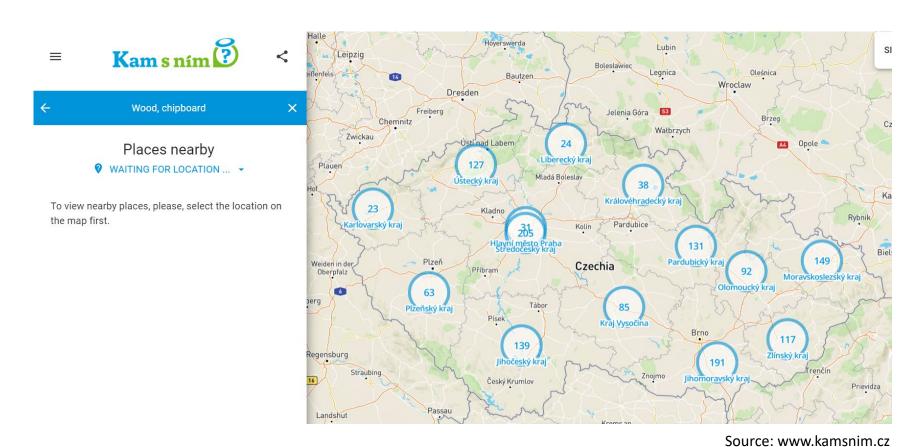
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