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**Eighty-fourth session of the Committee on Urban Development, Housing and
Land Management**

UN-Habitat Brief

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- ❑ **Second session of the United Nations Habitat Assembly** : 5 -9 June 2023 in Nairobi, Kenya
- ❑ **High-level participation**: 4,703 participants from 149 countries, including 54 ministers and 27 vice ministers.
- ❑ **Assembly's main theme** : **A sustainable urban future through inclusive and effective multilateralism**. 5 sub-themes :
 1. Universal access to affordable housing;
 2. Urban climate action;
 3. Urban crises recovery;
 4. Localization of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs);
 5. Prosperity and local finance.



Outcomes of the second session of the UN Habitat Assembly

- Member States adopted **10 resolutions and 5 decisions** in addition to the Ministerial Declaration.
- UN-Habitat is now mobilized for the **implementation of the resolutions**:
 - Action Plans and Roadmaps
 - Programme Budget Implications (PBIs)

Resolutions:	
HSP/HA.2/RES.1 – International guidelines on people-centered smart cities	HSP/HA.2/RES.6 - Localization of the Sustainable Development Goals
HSP/HA.2/RES.2 - Accelerating Transformation of Informal Settlements and Slums by 2030	HSP/HA.2/RES.7 - Adequate Housing for All
HSP/HA.2/RES.3 - World cleanup day	HSP/HA.2/RES.8 - Urban Planning and Sustainable Infrastructure
HSP/HA.2/RES.4 - Biodiverse and Resilient Cities - Mainstreaming biodiversity and ecosystem services into urban-territorial planning	HSP/HA.2/RES.9 - Creation of a Human Settlements Resilience Framework for early warning, foresight, risk reduction, crises response and post-crises recovery and reconstruction
HSP/HA.2/RES.5 - Enhancing the Interlinkage between Urbanization and Climate Change Resilience championed	HSP/HA.2/RES.10 - Equitable Financing and Effective Monitoring of the Implementation of Resolutions Adopted by the United Nations Habitat Assembly

- ❑ **Extension** of the current Strategic Plan for the period 2024-2025.
- ❑ Renewed focus with 3 corporate priorities - **housing, climate action, and urban crises** - through two enablers: **localization and financing**.
- ❑ Ongoing preparations to develop the **new Strategic Plan 2026-2029**.

The **four domains of change** of UN-Habitat's Strategic Plan (2020-2025)



- High-level Political Forum 2023: presentation of the **SDG11 status report**
- SDG Summit: **Local2030 Coalition** selected as one High Impact Initiative; localization identified as one of the 5 enablers to accelerate SDG implementation.
- Summit of the Future: engage **local and regional governments** in intergovernmental and national planning processes; elevate the importance of **housing**.
- COP28: second **Ministerial Meeting on Urbanization and Climate Change** on 6 December 2023 in Dubai; Multi-level Action and Urbanisation Pavillion.



Rescuing SDG 11 for a Resilient Urban Planet

SDG 11 SYNTHESIS REPORT
HIGH LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM 2023

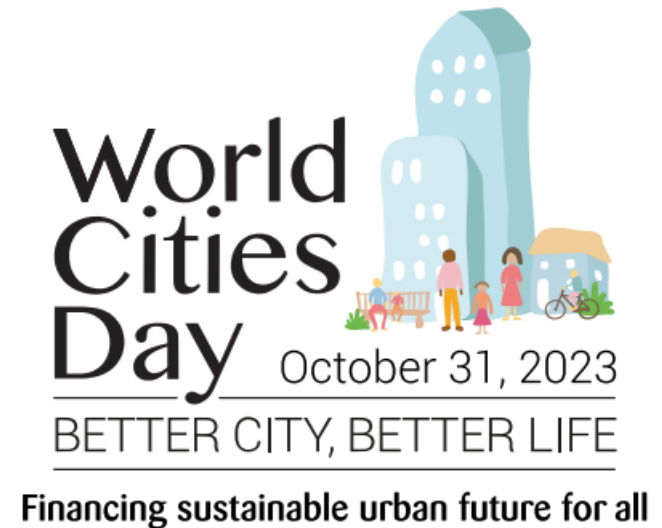


Urban October : a month of activities, events and discussions on urban sustainability

World Habitat Day: 2 October 2023 – Baku, Azerbaijan

World Cities Day: 31 October 2023 – Uskudar, Istanbulu, Turkiye.

<http://www.urbanoctober.unhabitat.org/>



World Urban Forum 12



Save the date!

The Twelfth Session of the World Urban Forum WUF12 will be held in Cairo, Egypt.

4 - 8 November 2024

The WUF12 is convened by the United Nations Human Settlements Programme and hosted by the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt.

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