

Article 1 – Organisation and goals for the award

The Water Resilient Cities (WRC) Award is being organised every year to promote the best projects engaged in the use of Sustainable Drainage Systems (SUDS) in an urban setting. This award has been initiated by the partners of an “Interreg 2 seas” European programme facilitating cross-border cooperation between England, France, the Netherlands and Belgium.

Article 2 – Prize

The prize consists of a trophy, a certificate and publicity via the Water Resilient Cities website, including a press release.

Article 3 – Applicants

Applicants can be made by any organisation, including companies, universities, public authorities and other government agencies, located in Belgium, France, the Netherlands, or the United Kingdom.

Article 4 – Submission dates

The opening date for submission of applications is Monday 17th June 2019.

The deadline for submissions is Wednesday 31st July 2019 at 23:59 British Summer Time.

Article 5 – Asking for information

Requests for information about the award process can be made to: interreg.wrc.award@gmail.com

Article 6 – Application forms

The application form is accessible for download from the WRC project website: <https://waterresilientcities.eu/>

Article 7 – Submitting application forms

Application forms can be completed in Dutch, English, or French. Please complete the form and submit it in either Word or pdf format to: interreg.wrc.award@gmail.com

Article 8 – Eligibility requirements for application forms

To be eligible application forms need to have been sent on time and respect all conditions specified on the application form.

Article 9 – Selection process

An international selection committee will review all of the applications and, at its sole discretion, will decide upon which project/s to select for the award/s.

Article 10 – Members of the international selection committee

The members of the international selection committee must declare any professional or personal relation with the applicants or the projects submitted for the award.

Article 11 – Award winners

The winner/s of the award/s will be contacted by the organisers by 31st August 2019.

Article 12 – Publicity

By submitting a project for the award, applicants agree not to publicise, or inform the media of their selection for the award/s before the award ceremony, unless otherwise agreed with the organisers of the award. The award ceremony and public announcement of the results will be made during the “Interreg 2 Seas” conference in Peterborough on 12th September 2019. The applicants will be invited to attend to the award ceremony, but are not required to attend. The winning applicant has the right to publicise their selection for the award after the award ceremony.

Article 13 – Use of participants’ information

By submitting an application form, applicants agree to allow the WRC Award team to retain and publicise the information, names, photographs and logos submitted by the applicant for the promotion of the award.