



# Community of Practice Sustainable Solar PV

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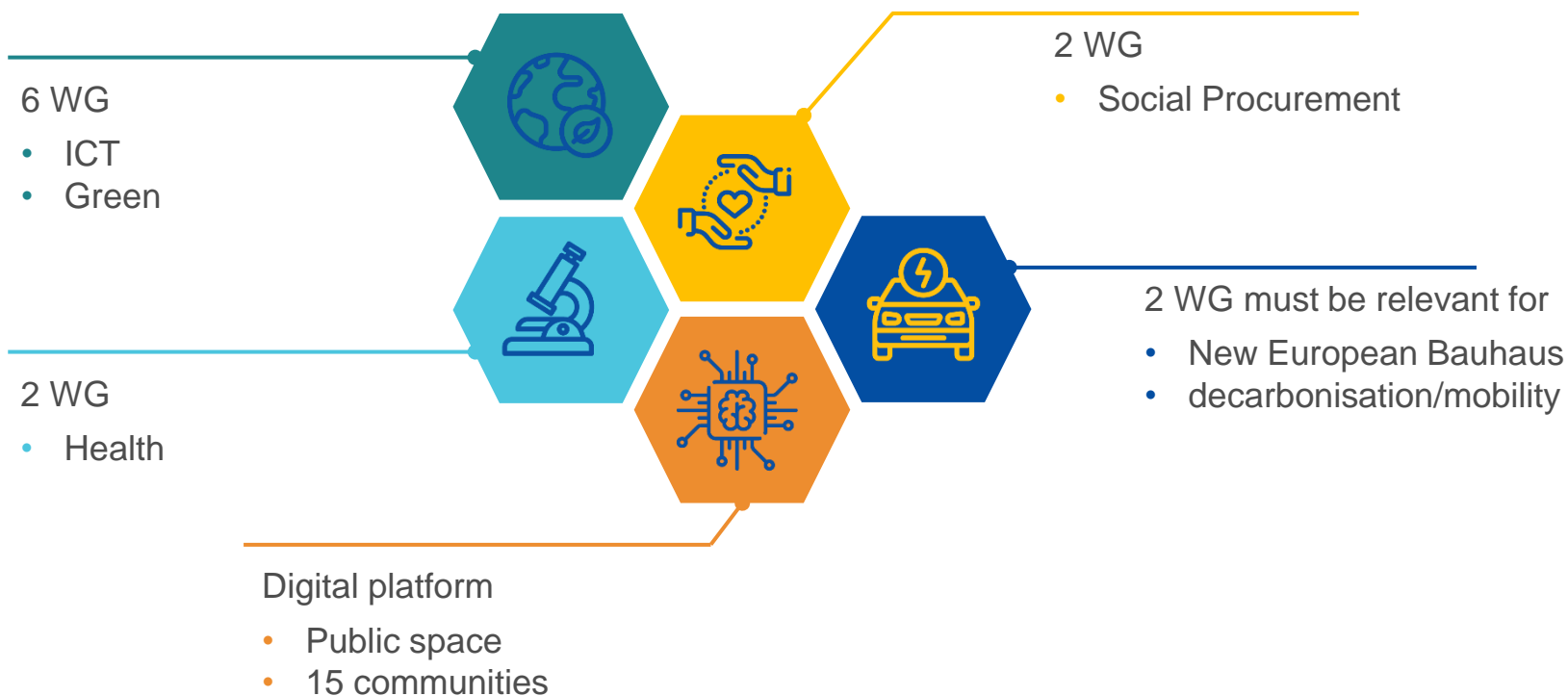
# Relation with Big Buyers Project and the Digital Platform

A short briefing

# Planning: contract Q1- 2023



As from 2023 → 10 Working Groups



# Support Available from our contractor

1. Setting up the 10 working groups under the contract
2. Provide administrative support to 10 working groups
3. Organisation of offline meetings and learning expeditions
4. Event & Travel management including the reimbursements of travels of staff of participating and collaborating buyers
5. Coordination and Communication Activities in relation to the platform ( attend coordination meetings )

# Roleplay

**Commission:** funds platform contractor and makes available a digital collaborative space, funds a contractor for EU buyer groups that can support the EU community of practice on the public procurement of sustainable solar PV projects, can provide translation services, can give assignments through internal arrangements to JRC groups, will coordinate with the unit in GROW on renewable energy / manages the Solar PV Industry alliance, organises 4x a year a platform coordination meeting to create synergies with other (future) CoP's, reports to higher management in GROW on the functioning of the platform in general and the functioning of the CoP's

**Nation Buyers in the group on sustainable Solar PV :** levers their work to EU level and collaborates with others on deliverables

**Big Buyers Contractor:** on behalf of the commission supports 10 EU buyer groups ( we suggest Sustainable solar PV will be one of them) . They can help to write CoP roadmap, organise offline convening and reimburse travel costs, bring in their expertise on GPP, do online moderation of CoP, reports to Commission on the activities and impact of these 10 CoP's

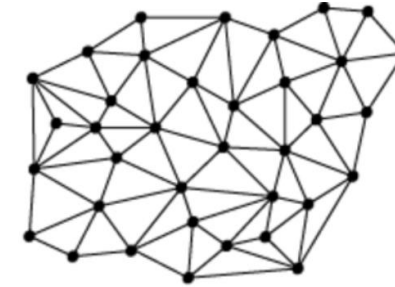
# Objectives of the platform

## 1. Distributive Network on Public Procurement

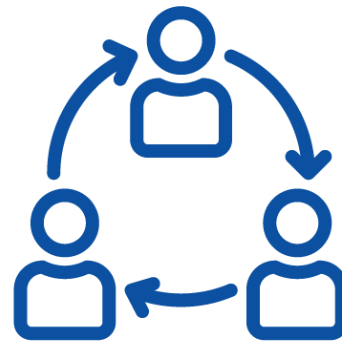
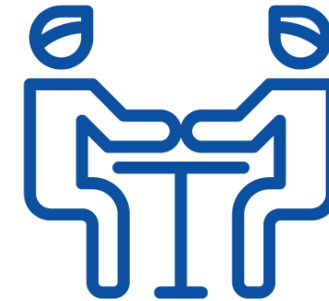
- Public buyer/organisation – Public buyer/organisation
- Public buyer/organisation – Commission

→ Use collective intelligence and team up for joint action on the topic

→ Through Communities of Practice



distributed



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2. Commission's main channel for communication on tools, trainings, events, webinars on the topic of public procurement

3. Connection to other relevant forums and initiatives from EC (for example in this case the Industry Alliance)





Thank you for your attention