



# The Mannheim Process

## Local Green Deal - Pilot City Mannheim

### [The European Green Deal]

We, mayors and decision-makers of European cities and regions, **welcome the European Green Deal**, which has the potential to become a new development model for Europe, its economy, society and environment, and the anchoring of climate-neutrality by 2050 in EU legislation. *(from the Mannheim Message)*



Local Governments  
for Sustainability



Climate Alliance



GLOBAL COVENANT  
of MAYORS for  
CLIMATE & ENERGY



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## The EU will:



Become climate-neutral by 2050



Protect human life, animals and plants, by cutting pollution



Help companies become world leaders in clean products and technologies



Help ensure a just and inclusive transition



Paris Agreement

EU Green Deal

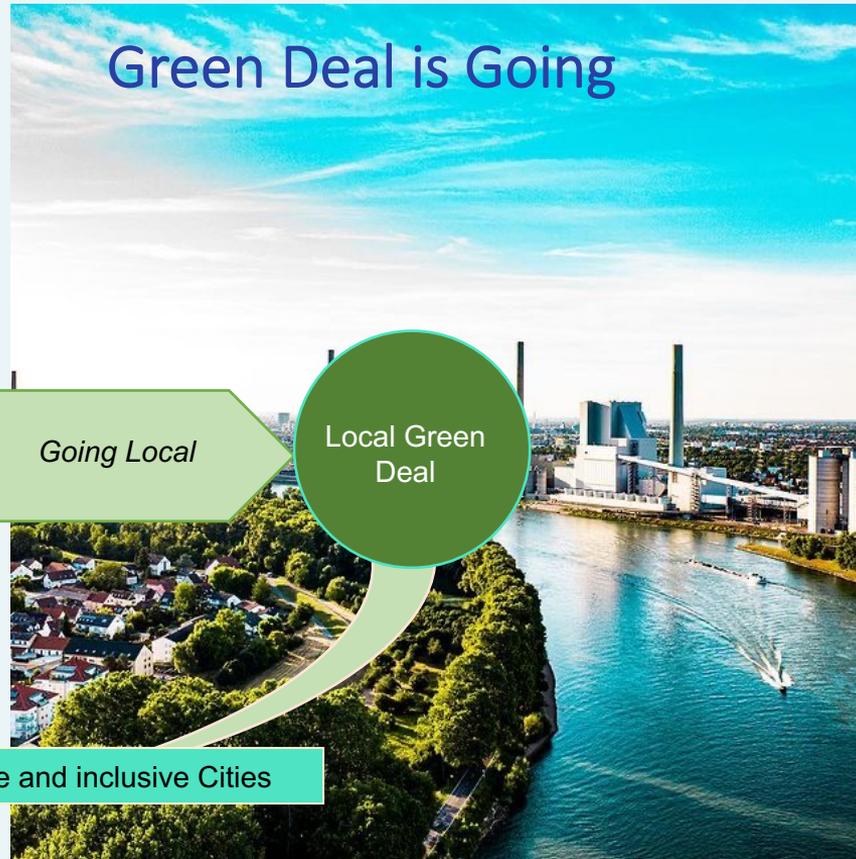
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Going Local

Local Green Deal

Climate neutral, sustainable and inclusive Cities

# Green Deal is Going



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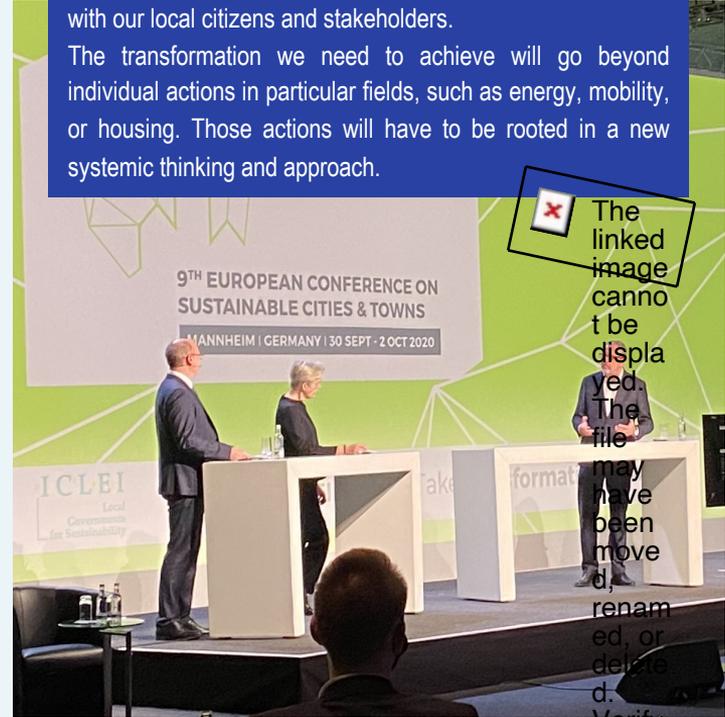
# Green Deal Action Areas



## [Local Green Deals]

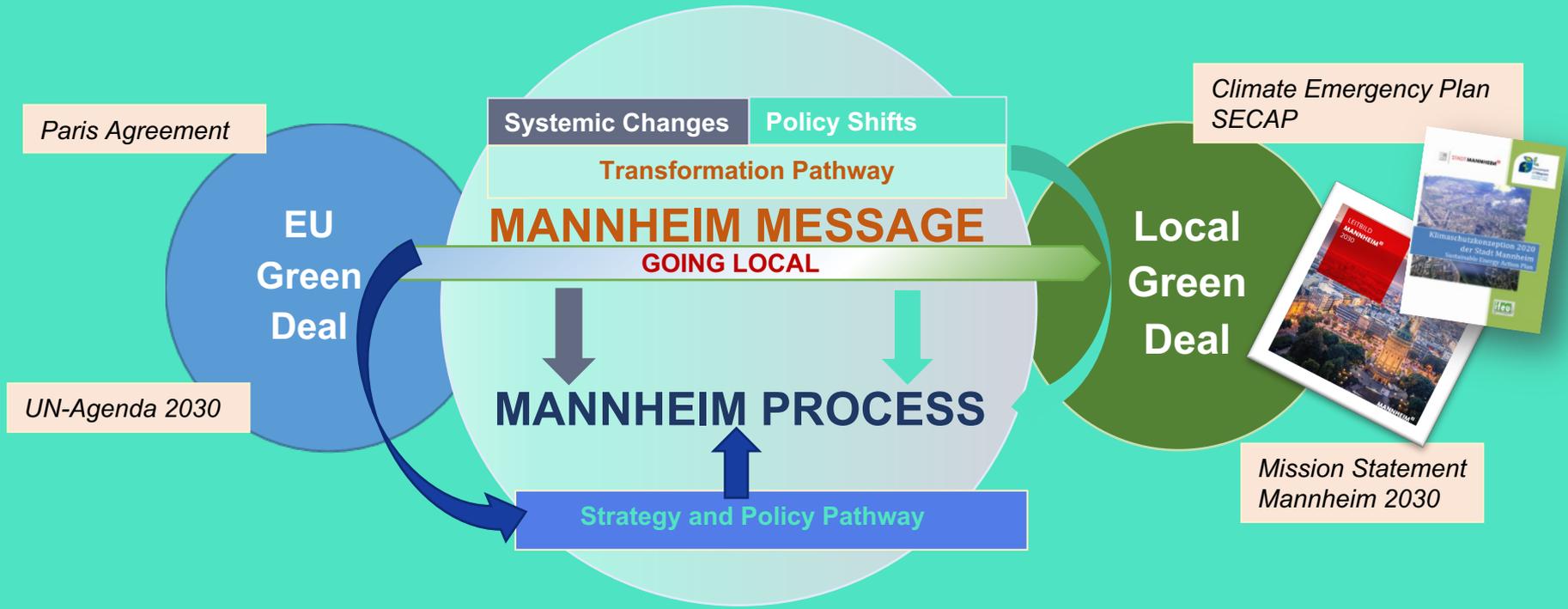
We actively support the European Green Deal by developing and implementing Local Green Deals together with our local citizens and stakeholders.

The transformation we need to achieve will go beyond individual actions in particular fields, such as energy, mobility, or housing. Those actions will have to be rooted in a new systemic thinking and approach.



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# From the Mannheim Message to the Mannheim Process



Mannheim  
Message

Mannheim  
LGD  
Pilot City

Analysis  
Strategies  
Commitments

Analysis  
Stakeholders  
Climate Pact

Assessment  
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Goals

Development  
Aktion Plan  
LGD

Implemen-  
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Monitoring  
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DEAL? 

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*[A joint way forward]*

*We, mayors and decision-makers of European cities and regions, are committed to close **Local Green Deals** designed in cooperation with our citizens and key stakeholders. We aim to build the strong foundations for the implementation of the Green Deal in Europe, and to accelerate the transformation of our societies to being carbon neutral, sustainable and inclusive.*

*We shall only be able to achieve this if our voices are heard, and our needs are respected in a multi-level governance system that works bottom-up as well as top-down. We cannot remain purely implementation partners, but need to be part of the process of defining our regulatory, fiscal and financial frameworks at all levels. In the spirit of collaboration, we offer our support and partnership with the European Union's decision-makers and institutions on further advancing Green Deals on all levels – for a strong Europe built of resilient, inclusive and sustainable local societies, cities and regions. (from the Mannheim Message)*



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