



Borgarráð

Tilkynning World Council on City Data um vottun Reykjavíkurborgar vegna ISO staðla

Reykjavíkurborg hefur hlotið vottun vegna staðlanna ISO 37120 um sjálfbærar borgir og ISO 37122 um snjallar borgir, í samvinnu við World Council on City Data. Þessar vottanir staðfesta skuldbindingu Reykjavíkurborgar við að byggja ákvarðanir sínar á gögnum sem falla að alþjóðlegum stöðlum, sem gerir borginni þannig kleift að fylgjast með framförum og árangri sínum á alþjóðavísu, og í samanburði við aðrar borgir og samfélög.

Fjármála- og áhættustýringarsvið hefur innleitt staðlana frá því verkefnið hófst árið 2020 og hefur með þessum vottunum nú safnað gögnum fyrir þrjú gagnaár fyrir ISO 37120 og tvö gagnaár fyrir ISO 37122 og 37123, en núgildandi skuldbinding borgarinnar um gagnasöfnun í samræmi við staðlana miðast við þrjú gagnaár. Fyrstu niðurstöður eru nú þegar aðgengilegar inn gagnagátt Reykjavíkurborgar og einnig byggja sjálfbærnisarnir á gagnahlaðborði borgarinnar á mælikvörðunum. Nú stendur yfir vinna við frekari hagnýtingu gagnanna með því að tengja þá við markmið og aðgerðir Græna plansins.

Dagur B. Eggertsson
borgarstjóri

Hjálagt:

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Mayor Dagur Bergþóruson Eggertsson
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Dear Mayor Eggertsson,

On behalf of the World Council on City Data (WCCD), it is my pleasure to offer you our sincerest congratulations on receiving WCCD ISO 37120 – Sustainable Cities and Communities Certification at the highest Platinum level, as well as, WCCD ISO 37122 – Smart Cities Certification. These certifications truly demonstrate the City of Reykjavík’s commitment to data-driven decision-making. This achievement also marks three years of annually reported ISO 37120 data and two years of ISO 37122 data, which ensure data continuity and terrific trend analyses for your City. We look forward to visiting Iceland to officially present these certifications along with your WCCD ISO 37123 – Resilient Cities Early Adopter Certification, achieved in July of this year.

The WCCD ISO Certifications also mean that Reykjavík continues to be a part of a global network of over 100 data-driven cities across 40 countries, all committed to harnessing globally standardized city data to drive a citizen-focused approach to service delivery and to propel progress towards a more sustainable, smart and resilient future for your citizens.

The City of Reykjavík’s certifications would not have been possible without our exemplary partners in the City, Þórhildur Ósk Halldórsdóttir, Auður Gréta Óskarsdóttir and Pétur Illugi Einarsson. Their diligent work with the WCCD team ensures that your City’s data is of the highest quality and conforms with the globally standardized definitions and methodologies for ISO 37120 and ISO 37122.

With data continuity as an essential component of our work together, we look forward to our next year of partnership. This work will result in a notable trend of data continuity informing a strategic platform for data-driven insights.

The City of Reykjavík’s WCCD Certification is far more than a simple data reporting exercise. As our network continues to grow globally across 40 countries, the WCCD is actively engaged in supporting this network of data-driven cities by **“putting this data to work”** with data insights and comparative measurement. As part of putting the data to work and to propel investability in cities such as Reykjavík, the WCCD is now piloting an **“Investment Attraction Tool”** and is **leading the development of a new ISO Standard: ISO 37125 Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Indicators for Cities.**

The WCCD is excited to support Reykjavík by contributing to a foundation that builds opportunities for global and internal benchmarking, strategic planning, economic development, infrastructure investment, and the localization of global agendas, such as the United Nations’ Sustainable Development Goals and the UN Making Cities Resilient 2030 (MCR2030). It was my pleasure to bring the City of Reykjavík into the United Nations MCR2030 membership this year. The WCCD is standing by to support Reykjavík across a

wide array of policy priorities, with globally standardized, comparable and independently verified city data of the highest calibre.

Mayor Eggertsson, once again, we are so pleased that the City of Reykjavik continues to be an active and critical contributor to the WCCD global network. Thank you for your crucial contribution to moving forward, so effectively, the global agenda on a sustainable, smart and resilient city.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'P. McCarney', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Dr. Patricia L. McCarney
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