



African Clean Cities Platform

Invitation to ACCP Associate Members



African Clean Cities Platform (ACCP) is a knowledge sharing and investment promotion platform to achieve waste related Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by 2030 in rapidly urbanizing Africa.

ACCP was established in 2017 in Maputo, Mozambique, by representatives from 24 African countries together with the Ministry of Environment of Japan, the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), the City of Yokohama, the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) and the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat). As of December 2021, 89 cities and 42 countries have become members of ACCP and various activities in the below listed action areas have been carried out since its establishment.

About ACCP

MISSION

By 2030, African countries realize clean and healthy cities and achieve the Sustainable Developing Goals (SDGs) on waste management

VISION

Provide an open platform to support African countries and cities to find their own measures and solutions for sound waste management and the achievement of SDGs



Knowledge sharing and networking

ACCP Assemblies are organized to share knowledge and experiences every 3 years in conjunction with **TICAD (Tokyo International Conference on African Development)**



Promoting the achievement of waste SDGs targets

Capacity development and training programmes are provided for ACCP members to achieve waste related SDG targets, as well as online knowledge sharing and learning



Supporting project development in waste management

Using **Waste Wise Cities Tool** as a central data collection tool, ACCP supports member cities to develop tangible projects on the ground

ACCP Structure and Organization

ACCP serves as a platform for knowledge exchange and international cooperation for improved solid waste management in Africa. The ACCP Secretariat is hosted by UN-Habitat and conducts various activities in the three action areas, based on the strategic direction provided by the Steering Committee. All parties involved in ACCP are part of the ACCP Assembly, which meets every three years at TICAD.




What is ACCP Associate Member


ACCP Associate Members are development cooperation organizations, including bilateral and multilateral donors, regional institutions in Africa, international institutions, governmental/ non-governmental organizations, and other actors who work on solid waste management and share the objective, mission, vision and actions of ACCP, and who are willing and capable of contributing to sound solid waste management in Africa through co-development of solid waste management projects with ACCP. Such organizations may become ACCP Associate Members by submitting an application to the ACCP Secretariat in the form of a letter of "Expression of Interest" signed by an official with requisite capacity to represent the organization.



Why become an ACCP Associate Member?

The ACCP Secretariat will hold regular ACCP Associate Member meetings to provide data and information for potential municipal solid waste management projects to be further developed. ACCP Associate members will also benefit from the extensive network of ACCP as well as valuable data and information to improve municipal solid waste management in ACCP member cities and countries.

 Access to MSWM data and sophisticated data analytics in cities in Africa, collected through [Waste Wise Cities Tool \(WaCT\)](#), a globally standardized methodology to monitor SDG indicator 11.6.1 (% of municipal solid waste collected and managed in controlled facilities out of total municipal solid waste generated by city). See more detail [here](#).

 Access to feasibility study ready project concept notes in cities in Africa, developed based on the WaCT data and in consultation with public and private local waste chain stakeholders.

 Access to a network of African cities and countries with knowledge and capacity on municipal solid waste management based on various ACCP capacity development and training programmes.