

COMMITTEES AND WORKING GROUPS

COMMITTEE OF DIGITAL AND KNOWLEDGE-BASED CITIES Launch of Committee FORUM 12nd July 2010

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Dear members of the Committee,

From the Presidency of the Committee we believe that it is important that all the members can share their opinions and points of view on topics of interest and relevance for the committee, therefore we are pleased to inform you that we have launched the "<u>COMMITTEE FORUM</u>".

The Committee Forum represents an open space in which we will be able to discuss general issues related to ICT, Innovation and Knowledge that affect Local Authorities.

In order to achieve this objective, from the committee it will be proposed a series of topics for their debate and discussion between the members. We are open to suggestions about themes that you might consider of importance to discuss.

When the time of discussion ends, we will send the contributions and conclusions to all the members and the will be also accessible in the Committee website.

In this sense we are glad to inform you that the first theme of discussion is:

"The importance of supporting and boosting innovation at local level in times of crisis"

You may access the Forum through the Committee Website:

www.cities-localgovernments.org/committees/cdc

Do not hesitate to contact the Secretariat of the Committee with any question or suggestion.

Best regards,

The Presidency of the Committee of Digital and Knowledge-based Cities