

Annex II

Nomination form for cities and local governments to participate in the campaign

Please send the nomination form and the mayor's letter to isdr-campaign@un.org. Nominations will be accepted on an ongoing basis throughout 2010-11.

City / Local Government (Please indicate the year the numbers were provided.)	
City name	Scanzano Jonico
Location (short description)	Scanzano Jonico is located in the Region of Basilicata (South Italy) in the Matera Province. The city it is on the Jonian Sea.
Size (year)	71 kms (square kilometers) (2010 census)
Population (year)	7255 (year 2010)
GDP	
Hazard type(s)	Hydrogeological, seismic and wildland fire risks
Name of Mayor / Commissioner / Governor / Community leader	
Mr. Salvatore Iacobellis (Mayor)	
Which part of the city administration will be the focal point for the Campaign?	
Mayor Office Staff	
Contact details Focal Point	
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Which local institutions will be engaged in the Campaign? (In addition to the local government.)	
Associazione di Protezione Civile Scanzano Jonico Gruppo Lucano (civil defense volunteer association)	
Major Disaster Risks (Please indicate major disasters that have occurred, prevailing hazards and vulnerable conditions.)	
a) Flooding of the rivers Agri and Cavone; b) sea storms; c) seismic with risk classification of level 2 - two -on a scale 1 to 4 being 1 the highest level of risk ; d) pinewood fire.	

Achievements and plans in relation to the ten essentials areas

A - Make an estimation of the **status** per essential as follows:

1 - poor/nothing in place, 2 - some progress in place, 3 - in place, well functioning, or N/A

B - Please describe main areas of **progress** and **achievements**.

C - Please identify **activities** and **plans** your city will pay special attention **to improve the current situation** during the campaign and beyond. Additionally, feel free to propose special events or activities your city would like undertake to raise awareness on disaster resilience. Please select the respective Essential(s).

Essential 1 – Risk reducing organization and coordination in place	Status - 3
Progress and achievements – It is present the COC (Operative Emergency Team) directed by the Mayor and supported by the Association of Civil Defense "Gruppo Lucano", officially recognized by the City Administration. This has allowed a prompt intervention during the flooding of March 2011.	
Plans – Strengthening the activity of the Emergency Response Team through simulations.	
Essential 2 – Budget assigned	Status - 3
Progress and achievements – School buildings are being brought up to seismic resilience regulations and safety codes	
Plans – Finalize the upgrading of public buildings	
Essential 3 – Risk assessment prepared	Status - 3
Progress and achievements – The City Emergency Plan for emergency intervention (PEI) has been completed	
Plans – To submit the PEI for public evaluation, suggestions and approval; verify and correct its viability	
Essential 4 – Investment in risk reducing infrastructure	Status - 3
Progress and achievements – New primary school building construction (€ 3.800.000,00); new child care - preschool building construction (€ 800.000,00); upgrade the Middle school building according to seismic resilience and safety norms (€ 587.000,00)	
Plans – We expect that the buildings in question will be ready in two years.	
Essential 5 – Safe schools and health facilities	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – The old primary school building was declared unsafe according to seismic regulations and therefore permanently evacuated	
Plans – All other public building and infrastructures will be submitted for seismic safety evaluation	
Essential 6 – Risk-compliant building regulation and land use applied	Status - 3
Progress and achievements – A new Urban Regulation plan was recently approved	
Plans – We plan to verify its efficacy and reliability every five years.	
Essential 7 – Education programmes and training in place	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – Students are regularly informed about safety measures and drills are conducted both at the primary and secondary school level	
Plans – We plan to introduce specific safety education projects in our school General Planning. We would also like to extend the involvement and participation of all civil organizations and society into our system of emergency preparedness	
Essential 8 – Ecosystems and natural buffers protected	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – The Scanzano volunteers of the Gruppo Lucano provide surveillance for the coast line, the rivers and wild fires according both to meteorological alerts and risk assessment bulletins by the local Prefettura and by the Gruppo Lucano Operative Center in Viggiano.	

The municipality provides an effective system of differentiated garbage collection	
Plans – We plan to improve the system of river surveillance and flood forecast for the Agri and Cavone rivers. We would like to direct our efforts toward defending our SIC (sites of EC interest) areas. We are planning the organization of a Center for Environment Education (CEA)	
Essential 9 – Early warning systems installed	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – good operational cooperation between the office of the Prefecture and the Civil Service organization	
Plans – We are evaluating the possibility to locate a COM (Centro Operativo Municipale - City Emergency Response Operational Center) in the historical- publicly owned- Saracen tower at the limit of the Mediterranean Pine forest where both wildfire and sea storms fighting could be guided more effectively.	
Essential 10 – Needs-based (survivors) reconstruction	Status - 3
Progress and achievements – We are setting in place a system for intervention and population support in occasion of future flooding events	
Plans – We will create a covered and safe structure for storage and support in case of emergencies	

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