

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	Terranova di Pollino (Potenza province - Italy)
Location (short description)	Terranova di Pollino is located in the Region of Basilicata (South Italy) inside the Pollino National Park, at 926 metres above sea level and along the valley of the Sarmento river.
Size (year)	112 kms (square kilometers) (2001 census)
Population (year)	1334 (year 2011)
GDP	
Hazard type(s)	The territory is subject to three main risks: seismic risk, hydrogeological risk, wildland fire risk
Name of Mayor / Commissioner / Governor / Community leader	
Mr. Vincenzo GOLIA (Mayor)	
Which part of the city administration will be the focal point for the Campaign?	
Civil Defence Department	
Contact details Focal Point	
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Which local institutions will be engaged in the Campaign? (In addition to the local government.)	
Fire Figther Volunteers Associazione di Protezione Civile Terranova di Pollino Gruppo Lucano (civil defence volunteer association) Corpo Forestale dello Stato, stazione di Fardella (Park Rangers)	
Major Disaster Risks (Please indicate major disasters that have occurred, prevailing hazards and vulnerable conditions.)	
The urban area is exposed to seismic risk and, presently, the entire territory is classified, on the italian seismic risk chart, as level 2 (high seismic risk)	

The second mayor risk is the wildfires one. The territory of Terranova del Pollino is rich with wooded area of high environmental value. During the summer dry season the wildfire risk is very high and the consequences can be devastating due to the inaccessibility of the territory.

Several parts of the urban area are classified as hidrogeological risk R4 (the highest one).

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 - 2

Progress and achievements – In Terranova di Pollino are presents Civil Defence volunteers as well as Fire Fighter volunteers. Their operation is coordinated by the mayor, who is by law the chief coordinator of any emergency intervention.

Plans – The Administration is planning the organization of the COC (Center of Emergency Operation) which will be in charge of coordinating all emergency operation at the Town level.

Essential 2 – Budget assigned

Status - 2

Progress and achievements – In the last 20 years the Town has been able to access national funding for the reconstruction of private and public buildings according to seismic codes.

Plans – Complete the reconstruction plan

Essential 3 – Risk assessment prepared

Status - 2

Progress and achievements – The Town Emergency Plan is under preparation.

Plans – Once completed, the Town Emergency Plan will be presented to the population and subject to test drills.

Essential 4 – Investment in risk reducing infrastructure

Status - 2

Progress and achievements – The Town in order to reduce wildfire risks does maintenance works maintaining on the main contry roads to reduce the presence of vegetation and obstacles and to guarantee the accessibility to four-wheel-drive firetrucks.

Plans – The Town Administration intends to look for fundings for projects aimed to reduce the hydrogeological risk in the urban area.

Essential 5 – Safe schools and health facilities

Status - 2

Progress and achievements – Seismic sensitivity evaluations has been done for the school building

Plans – The Town Administration is planning to look for fundings in order to bring the school to seismic compliance code.

Essential 6 – Risk-compliant building regulation and land use applied

Status - 2

Progress and achievements – The New Town Plan currently in preparation will incorporate the Town Emergency Plan recommendations for all risks.

Plans – Completion of New Town Plan

Essential 7 – Education programmes and training in place

Status - 3

Progress and achievements – The volunteers of the Association of Civil Defence Gruppo Lucano of Terranova di Pollino have participated to several training courses: wilfire fighting, wildfire monitoring, first aid, school

evacuation in case of disasters. Up to date the association has 24 volunteers who operate mainly against wildfire.	
Plans – The Town Administration intends to start planning educational programs on Civile Defence for its citizens.	
Essential 8 – Ecosystems and natural buffers protected	Status - 3
Progress and achievements – Terranova di Pollino territory, being in the Pollino National Park, is subject to national regulations to protect the ecosystems.	
Plans – To continue enforcing National Park regulations	
Essential 9 – Early warning systems installed	Status - 3
Progress and achievements – Wildfire early warning includes visual monitoring provided by the Civile Defence volunteers and a video camera system dedicated to wildland-fire detection	
Plans –	
Essential 10 – Needs-based (survivors) reconstruction	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – Priority in reconstruction of damaged buildings from the 1980 earthquake has been given to private buildings	
Plans –	

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