RA Ministry of Territorial Administration and Emergency Situations

Public Services arising from Mandatory powers of Head of Community

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RA Law "On Local Self-government"

- **Article 37. The Activity of the Head of Community in the Sphere of Urban Development and communal infrastructures**

As a mandatory power it is defined:

12) Organize waste management and sanitary services, as well as implement other authorities envisaged by RA Law "On Waste Management and Sanitary services"

RA Law 'On Local Self-government"

- **Article 38. Activity of community head in the field of land use**

As a mandatory power it is defined:

1) According to the legislation of the Republic of Armenia prepare land use schemes for communities and present to the Community Council for approval;

1.1) Develop and prepare annual and four-year programs of community - owned land alienation, which are the component part of the four-year development program of the community, and present to the Community Council for approval;

2) According to the urban development program documents of the community, as well as to the land use schemes, in case of community council agreement and defined terms, alienate or provide for use the community lands.

3) As prescribed by the law, supervise targeted utilization of the community lands within the administrative boundaries of the community, on the protection of land legislation requirements by the land users

4) Prevent and preclude unauthorized construction activities and land occupation, defined by the legislation.

Asian Development Bank (1)

"Armenia: Urban Development in 4 secondary cities" (technical support to the policy development and advisory technical assistance)

Beneficiary Urban communities

- **Gyumri**
- **Vanadzor**
- **Dilijan**
- **Jermuk**

Asian Development Bank (2)

Objective:

To develop Urban Development Plans (10 years) with the focus on key development and policy challenges related to urban sectors:

- **Water supply and sanitation**
- **Solid waste management**
- **Heating**
- **Housing**

- **Economic development**
- **logistics**
- **Tourism**
- **Lighting**

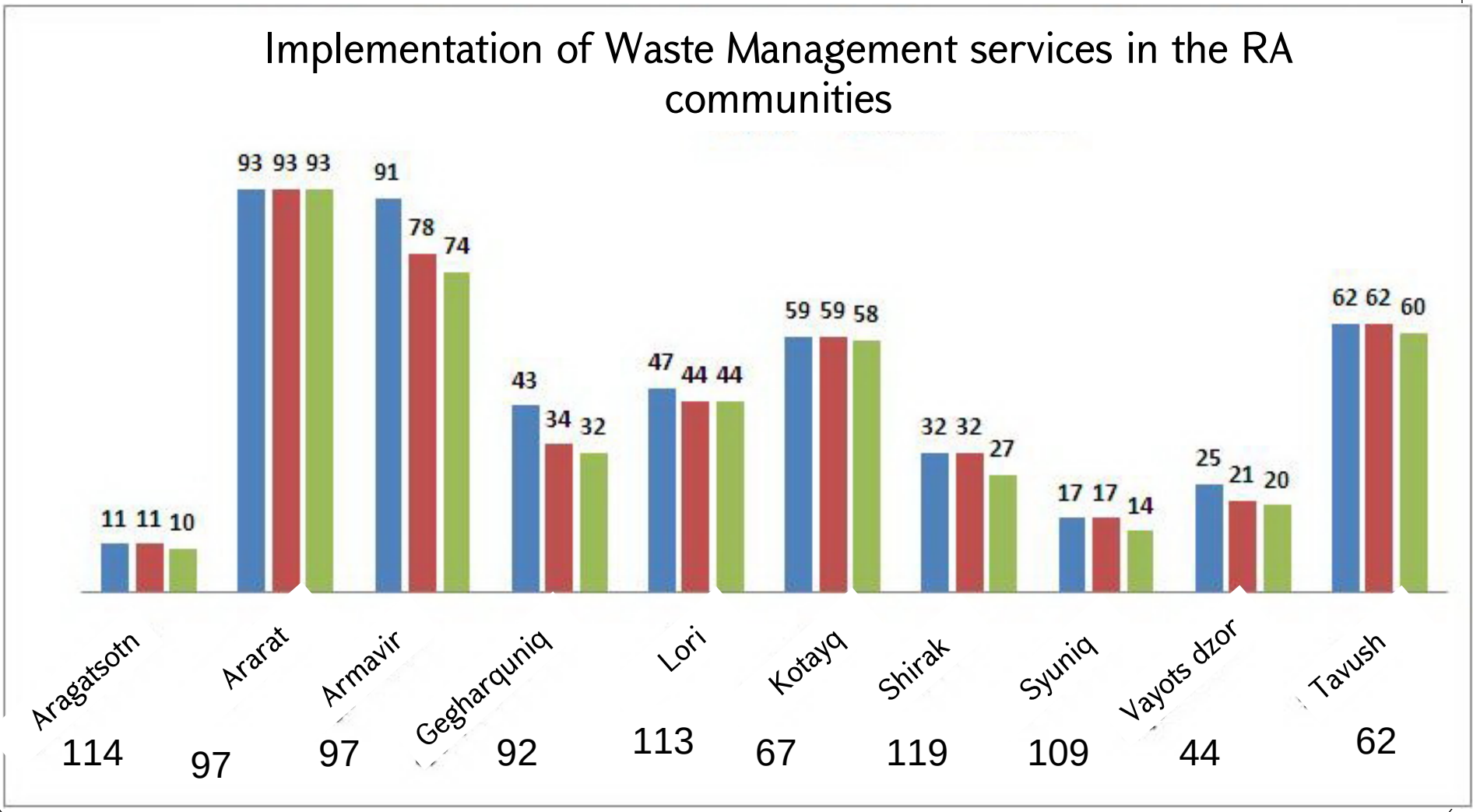
Asian Development Bank (3)

- Urban plans are presented to the discussion of RA Government,
- Plans were discussed with stakeholders - state and public organizations
- Meetings were organized in communities and in Yerevan
- Suggestions and comments presented in the result of the discussions the Ministry has provided the bank.

Quality enhancement of services provided by Self-Government Bodies (1)

N/N	Marz name	Community number of marz	Waste Management						
			2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
1	Aragatsotn	114	11	11	10	9	9	4	1
2	Ararat	97	93	93	93	93	93	93	93
3	Armavir	97	91	78	74	74	76	64	63
4	Gegharqunik	91	43	34	32	33	30	29	25
5	Lory	113	47	44	44	40	39	31	22
6	Kotayq	67	59	59	58	58	55	48	48
7	Shirak	119	32	32	27	27	26	22	19
8	Syuniq	109	17	17	14	14	14	14	14
9	Vayots dzor	44	25	21	20	19	20	18	16
10	Tavush	62	62	62	60	56	50	49	48
	Total	913	480	451	432	423	412	372	349

Quality enhancement of services provided by Self-Government Bodies(2)



Current Projects and
Programs being implemented
in Armenia in the Solid Waste
Management Sector

Asian Development Bank(1)

"Armenia. Solid Waste Management Improvement" grant project

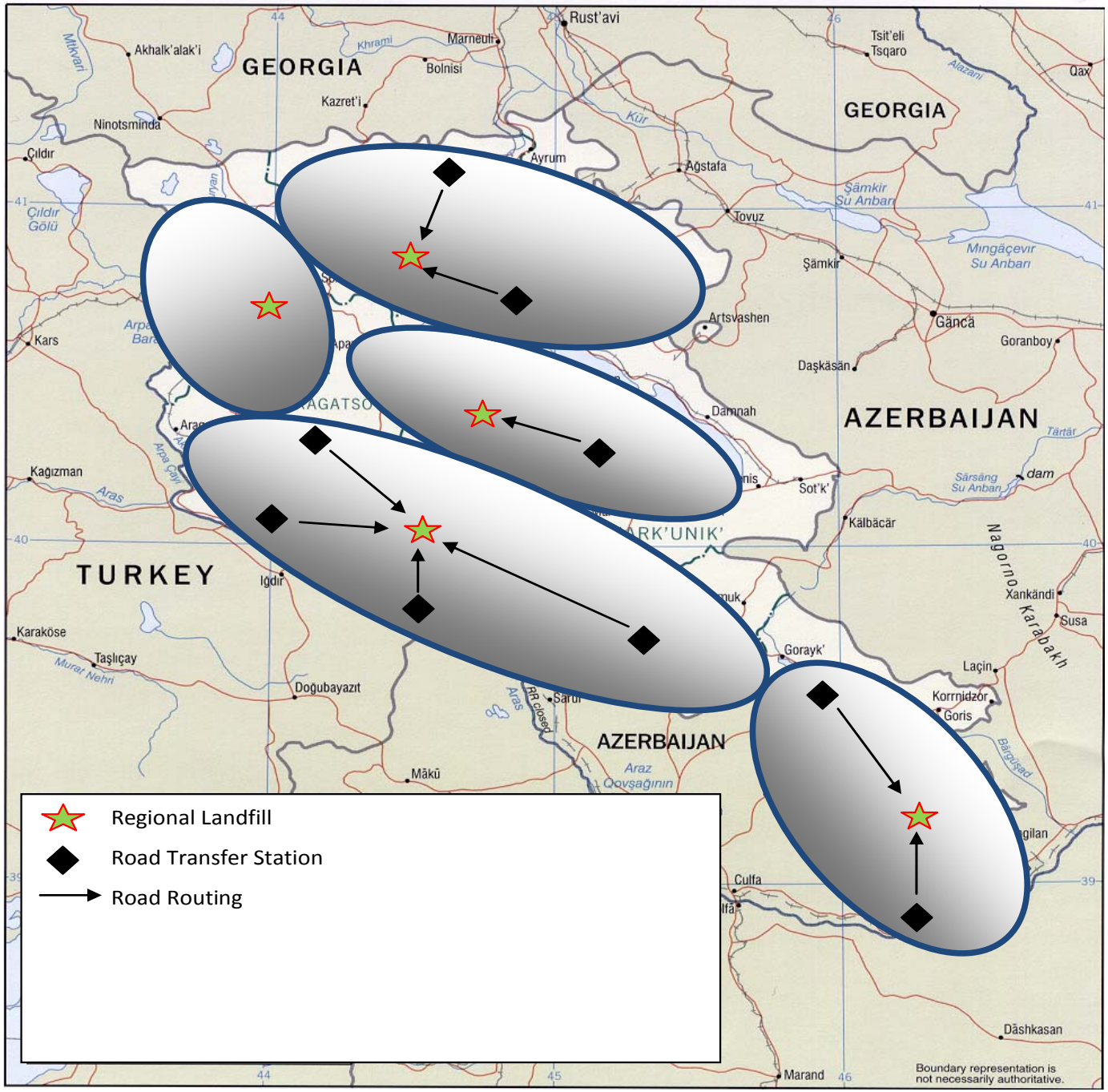
Objective: – definition and planning of national strategic vision of the sector, coordination necessity of ministries'/administrations' and institutional abilities.

- preparation of a strategic development plan for the sector
- development of a sector implementation road map and a long term investment plan
- (covering institutional development, sector capacity enhancement, prioritization of
- required investments over the next 20 to 30 years); and the second phase that will

Outcome 1: Final report "Strategic Development plan, Road Map, long-term investment Plan for solid waste Management in Armenia"

Outcome2: in process - Implementation of feasibility study for regional landfill for the city of Gyumry and a neighboring territories

Proposed MSW System



Asian Development Bank(2)

"Solid Waste management Solutions for Remote and Small Communities of Armenia "

Objective: 1: Diagnostic study

Objective: 2: Pre-feasibility study (for implementation of pilot and investment programs in remote and small communities)

Beneficiary communities: Meghry-Agarak, Kapan Kajaran, Goris, Sisian regions of RA Syuniq marz and Yeghegnadzor-Vayq-Jermuk regions of RA Vayots Dzor marz together with the surrounding villages.

Expacted outcome: **P**ractical investment plan and policy of municipal solid waste management for small communities of Armenia, and till 2021 the start and implementation of primary investment program is foreseen.

German Development Bank (KfW)

Integrated Solid Waste Management in Vanadzor (Lori marz)

Objective: To develop a Feasibility Study for the establishment of an integrated SWM system, considering the full range of waste streams to be managed by Vanadzor City and surrounding villages/municipalities

Outcome` "The Final report of technical-economic statement" was discussed with stakeholders, on 31 October of year 2014 in the hall of RA Ministry of Territorial Administration took place the presentation of SWCM system (regional landfills), and proposed program for its implementation.

European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) – (1)

"Kotayq Municipal Solid Waste Management " project

Objective: To establish a regional sanitary landfill in Hrazdan city for administrative territories of 7 communities of RA Kotayq marz and Sevan urban community of Gegharqunik marz.

Beneficiaries: Abovyan, Byureghavan, Yeghvard,Tsaghkadzor, Nor Hachn, Hrazdan, Charentsavan and Sevan urban communities

Costs/price՝ 7 Mln. Euro – 3.5mln. credit, 3.5mln. grant

Outcome 1՝ On 19 December 2014 the agreements for credit, grant and implementation and support were assigned

European Bank for Reconstruction and Development(EBRD) – (2)

“Kotayq Municipal Solid Waste Management ” project 2nd phase

With RA government consent the RA Ministry of Territorial Administration and Emergency Situations has began the question to involve the waste disposal implementation of RA Gegharqunik marz in the MSWM project of Kotayq.

Objective: Implementation of waste disposal of Gegharqunik marz

Start: February

Steps: Environmental, Social and Technical assessments

Expacted outcome` Parallel implementation of waste management projects for Kotayq and Gegharqunik marzes

Quality enhancement of services provided by Self-Government Bodies

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Thank you