SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OF A SMALL CITY

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Voznesensk is considered to be an independent territorially-based community in the centre of Voznesensk District, located in the Southern Ukraine in the centre of Mykolaiv Region.

The town was founded on the **27th of January 1975**. The name originates from the religious holiday – The Ascension of Christ.

The territory of a town: **2256 hectares**
Population: **36000**

Distance to Kyiv: **398km**
On the 24th of August 2004 the Cooperation Agreement between Voznesensk and Radomsko (Republic of Poland) was signed.


5th of May 2007 – Voznesensk and Maco (Hungary) Cooperation Agreement.

13th of June 2013 – Voznesensk and Zugdidi town council (Republic of Georgia) Partnership Agreement.
- From 2006 onwards – participation in UN Development Programme (UNDP)

- From 2008 onwards – membership in the Association of the Energy-Efficient Cities of Ukraine

- 2009 – signing of the Covenant of Mayors (Europe-wide urban economy and energy efficiency intensification and CO2 emission reduction Initiative, launched by The European Commission).

- From 1997 onwards – membership in the Association of Ukrainian Cities.

The Twelve Principles of Good Democratic Governance

- Voznesensk executive bodies Efficiency and Effectiveness Policy
- Officials Ethical Conduct
- Efficiency Management System Accountability
- General Planning Scheme of Voznesensk (up to 2031), which is based on the historical and architectural outline plan, including save and historical areas specification.

- Voznesensk Development Strategy Plan (up to 2020).

- Sustainable Energy Action Plan of Voznesensk (up to 2020).
2012 – The establishment of the electronic documents exchange system in the executive branch of Voznesensk;

2013 – Foundation of Voznesensk Administration Service Centre.
The web portal consists of few sites, local counselors profiles, mayor and his associates’ blog, topic sections for establishments and organizations, civil groups web pages and various links to other Internet sources like town’s activity news, announcements, photos and videos of significant events.

**Web portal provides:**

- The access to laws and regulations;
- Resorts of citizens in electronic format;
- e-form for the Administration Services;
- Online application to the pre-school institutions;
- Town council plenary meetings broadcast;
- Web-cameras.
Electronic information system lies in one of the models of Medical Service Government, which is based on the authorized medical databases (set up in 2004).

The system provides:

- Gathering of the medical and economical data concerning each citizen throughout his/her life starting from his/her first outpatient examination of the family GP;
- All health records from the local hospital departments, consultations and examinations in the Advisory Clinic;
- Outpatient databases are included in the Electronic health records service and serve as a base for population register as well as for the central database.
Video surveillance is navigated by 16 web-cameras in different areas (parks, squares, playgrounds, crossroads and other). It contributes to the foundation of the Municipal Police in prospect;

On-line town council and executive plenary meetings broadcast;

Surveillance cameras fix real-time image with its further saving on the server.
MODERN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES IN SOCIAL AND HOUSING AND UTILITIES SERVICES

- Plastic card of a citizen
- Supervisory monitoring control and operating of water-supply automatization
- Navigation aid for TPV export public enterprise
- Remote control of the outdoor lightning
Thank you for your attention!

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