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18 Oct	08:00	Registration		
	09:00	<b>Opening Plenary</b> Paul Henri Spaak Room <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Welcome by <b>Dirk Beckers</b>, Director, European Climate, Infrastructure and Environment Executive Agency (CINEA)</li> <li><b>Clara De La Torre</b>, Deputy Director General, Directorate General for Climate Action, European Commission</li> <li><b>Matthew Baldwin</b>, Deputy Director General, Directorate General for Energy, European Commission</li> <li><b>Tanya Hristova</b>, Mayor of Gabrovo, Covenant of Mayors Ambassador and Chair of the Bulgarian Delegation at the European Committee of the Regions</li> <li>Recorded video message by <b>Thomas Östros</b>, Vice President of the European Investment Bank (EIB)</li> </ul>		
	10:00	Coffee break ☕ Networking		
		<b>Cities and Regions driving change: innovative energy planning and climate change adaptation solutions</b> Strand 1: Paul Henri Spaak Room	<b>Public sector mobilizing sustainable energy investments</b> Strand 2: Louise Weiss Room	<b>Emerging approaches to boost energy efficiency investments in residential and commercial buildings</b> Strand 3: Simone Veil Room
	10:30	 Transition roadmaps to energy efficient, zero-carbon urban heating & cooling Paul Henri Spaak Room	 Bundling sustainable energy projects by municipalities in the Athens Metropolitan Area Louise Weiss Room	 Platform to boost energy efficiency investments in homes and commercial buildings Simone Veil Room
	11:30	 Capacity building for local and regional authorities on innovative finance for sustainable energy and climate plans Paul Henri Spaak Room	 Supporting small and Medium-sized municipalities in renovating their public buildings through energy services in the Auvergne Rhône-Alpes region Louise Weiss Room	 Scaling up the energy efficiency finance market Simone Veil Room
	12:30	Lunch 🍽️ Networking		
	13:30	 Integrated approach tourban climate adaptation in Leuven (Belgium), by engaging citizens indeployment of Nature Based Solutions. Paul Henri Spaak Room	 District Heating and District Cooling Investment Programme in the North-Denmark Region Louise Weiss Room	 One-stop-shops to stimulate home renovation demand in Valencia (ES) and Rotterdam (NL) Simone Veil Room
	14:30	 Enhance capacity of Veneto cities (Italy) to respond to climate change (hydro-geological risk) by a multi governance approach Paul Henri Spaak Room	 Support to cities and municipalities in mobilising sustainable energy investments Louise Weiss Room	 Supporting home owners in their energy renovation projects in five German cities and regions Simone Veil Room
	15:30	Coffee break ☕ Networking		
	16:00	 Does size really matter? Replicating smart city solution in small and mid-sized cities. Paul Henri Spaak Room	 Scaling up public funding for the energy efficiency of buildings by attracting citizen investments Louise Weiss Room	 Renovation of multi-family buildings mitigating energy poverty in Central and Eastern Europe and in former Soviet Union republics Simone Veil Room
	17:00	<b>Closing Plenary</b> Paul Henry Spaak Room <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Christian Strasser</b>, Head of Unit of the LIFE Energy and Climate unit at CINEA</li> <li><b>Petya Pishmisheva</b>, Co-lead of the Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy – Europe</li> <li><b>Hans van Steen</b>, Principal Adviser in the Directorate General for Energy, European Commission</li> </ul>		