



Implementation of marine waste reduction measures in the Bay of Burgas

The purpose of the project is to improve the ecological status of marine waters in the Bay of Burgas and to increase public awareness, self-awareness and responsibility of citizens for reduction and prevention measures of marine litter.

The main activities are related to the implementation of initiatives and campaigns for reduction of marine waste caused by human resources in the Bay of Burgas and activities for raising awareness, knowledge and education of experts and students about the causes of pollution, consequences and ways of prevention.

Target groups: Local administration and structures relevant to the marine environment and waste management, fisheries community, students, general public.

Outcome: The activities foreseen will contribute to the implementation of the Marine Strategy Framework Directive and complement the measures foreseen in the Marine Strategy of Bulgaria, in particular Descriptor 10.

The expected outputs are: Reduction the amount of waste in the Bay of Burgas through initiatives for cleaning of marine environment in Burgas Bay. Conducted educational and awareness - raising campaigns aiming the prevention and reduction of waste in the marine environment.