

OpenBudgets tender call for large scale trials

OpenBudgets.eu has launched a call for tender for the improvement of transparency and modernization of budget and spending data directed at municipalities, regional governments, and qualified legal entities.

Successful applicants will receive early access to innovative state-of-the-art **fiscal data processing software** with features such as budget data visualisation and analysis, algorithm implementations, participatory budgeting processes, and more. The software in question is designed to provide for greater levels of transparency, access, and citizen engagement, thus strengthening the quality and appeal of budget representation and accessibility for applicants who implement it.

Depending on various characteristics of the application, an individual budget will be calculated and provided to the applicant. The maximum available budget is €70,000.

Participants are selected based on criteria provided in the implementation plan. These include baseline information (demographic, size of administration, etc.), staff capacity (e.g. capacity for technical support), project plan (timeline, selection of tools), and cost.

The tender call explicitly targets applicants who have demonstrated their propensity to embrace the values and standards of transparency, either through partnerships to respective NGOs/CSOs in their network, or relevant past experience.

Interested parties can find the full set of descriptions on the website:

http://openbudgets.eu/

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