

# Consultations with the Ad-hoc working group on Programmatic, Budgetary and Administrative Matters of the Executive Board

## Draft Work Programme for the year 2024

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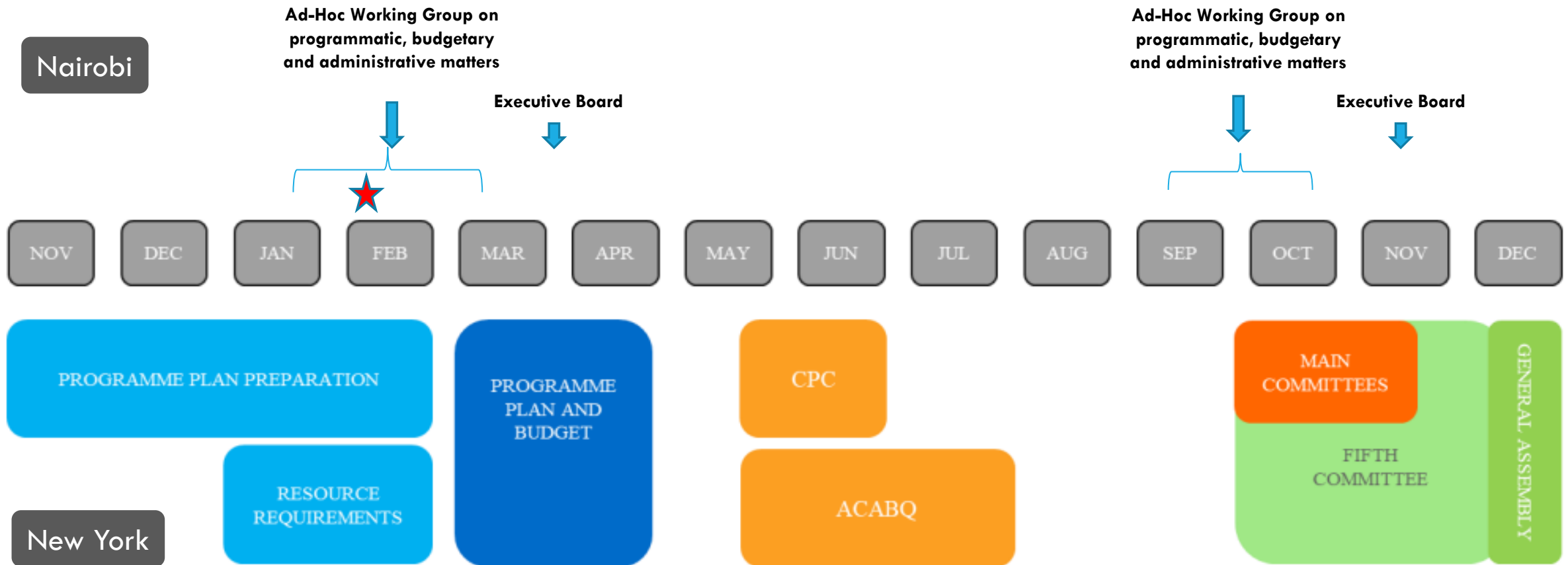
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# Annual Programme Planning and Budgeting Process



Source: SG report on review of changes to the budgetary cycle ([A/77/485](#))

# Draft Annual Work Programme 2024



## A. Proposed programme plan for 2024 and programme performance for 2022

### Overall Orientation

1. Mandates and background
2. Strategy and external factors for 2024
3. Programme performance in 2022 – Impact of COVID-19
4. Legislative mandates
5. Deliverables (Cross-cutting)
6. Evaluation activities

### Programme of work for 2024: 4 Sub-programmes

1. Objective
2. Strategy
3. Programme performance in 2022
4. Highlighted Results for 2024
  - Result 1 – Introduced in the 2022 Plan
  - Result 2 – Introduced in the 2023 Plan
  - Result 3 – Introduced in the 2024 Plan
5. Deliverables

# | KEY ORIENTATIONS AND CONSIDERATIONS



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In 2024, UN-Habitat will continue to promote urbanization as a positive **transformative force** for people and communities, reducing inequality, discrimination and poverty, and strengthening climate action



The COVID-19 pandemic and current global crises have clearly shown that adequate housing for all and prosperous, just and green urban futures cannot be realized without inclusive and **effective multilateralism**, that acknowledges human rights and gender equality, and complements and reinforces national and local efforts towards sustainable development



Access to adequate **housing, SDG localization, climate action and urban crisis prevention and response will** remain key priorities in 2024



While the UN-Habitat programme of work continues to adapt to evolving conditions, financial resources are needed to adequately **support Member States**, and the Organization will continue to prioritize its work in line with the **available resources**



The strategy for delivering the 2024 programme plan continues to be driven by the **strategic plan** for the period **2020–2023**, recommended for extension to cover the period **\*2020-2025**.



Mid-term review



COVID recovery



Achieve SDGs

UN-Habitat will strengthen the **transformative nature of its work** and contribute to an **enhanced role of Local and Regional Governments** in implementing global agreements.



The programme plan for 2024 is based on the following **assumptions**:

(a) Adequate unearmarked extrabudgetary **resources** are available

(b) Countries **commitment** to the New Urban Agenda and 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (SDGs)

(c) National and local governments continue to request for **policy advice and technical assistance** from UN-Habitat to develop and implement their urban policies, plans and strategies

(d) Urban **indicators, data and information** are used to formulate policies, with adequate mechanisms available for impact monitoring and performance assessments

(e) Social, political and macroeconomic conditions will not affect implementation of programmes and projects

# | Key Elements of the Strategy for 2024

- 1** Focus on pathways to **transformative change**, investigate and elevate examples of cities impacted by innovate and progressive policies
- 2** Flagship programmes **fast-track integration** of normative and operational work; and scale impact of the organization
- 3** Support cities in reshaping **urban planning solutions** that are more suitable and integrate through innovation
- 4** Advocacy, communication and outreach activities across the 4 subprogrammes and **mobilize public** and **political support**
- 5** Strengthen **capacity-building** initiatives, digitalization of tools and virtual e-learning. Monitor and report on global conditions and trends and provide evidence for policymaking
- 6** **Mainstream social inclusion** on women and girls, older persons, persons with disabilities, children and young people.
- 7** **Strategic partnerships** with other UN entities and other international organization & actors







**Subprogramme 1:** further increase the focus on access to **adequate housing** to overcome inequalities and facilitate social inclusion



**Subprogramme 2:** strengthen the focus on **municipal finance** and **socio-economic recovery**



**Subprogramme 3:** increase the **synergies** between programming focusing on **climate change** and **urban environment**



**Subprogramme 4:** focus on **urban recovery** as a key instrument for effective action in the humanitarian, development and peace and security nexus



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## Subprogramme 1

# Reduced spatial inequality and poverty in communities across the urban-rural continuum

### Highlighted results for 2024:



Increased access to **basic services**, sustainable **mobility** and **slum upgrading** programmes to strengthen community **resilience** to pandemics such as COVID-19 in slums and informal settlements



Enhanced and expanded **service delivery** by local water and sanitation service providers.



Increased **inclusion** in cities and communities through UNH's Flagship Programme



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## Subprogramme 2

### Enhanced shared prosperity of cities and regions

#### Highlighted results for 2024:



A people-centered approach to urban innovation, digital technologies, smart cities and urbanization processes adopted by cities



Regional spatial development plans in Ethiopia for improved prosperity and balanced socioeconomic development



Voluntary Local Reviews to enhance the shared prosperity of cities and regions globally through SDG localization



## Subprogramme 3

# Strengthened climate action and improved urban environment

### Highlighted results for 2024 :



Participatory urban resilience action in sub-Saharan Africa



Increased climate resilience of urban communities in Jordan and Lebanon



Nature-based solutions to improve livelihoods and resilience of urban poor communities



## Subprogramme 4

# Effective urban crisis prevention and response

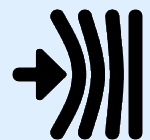
### Highlighted results for 2024:



A new approach to strengthen city resilience



Strengthen urban recovery and resilience and improved access to basic services in the Syrian Arab Republic



Enhanced sustainable solutions to migration

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