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

Roadmap towards the preparation of the next Strategic Plan 2026-2029

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EXTENSION OF STRATEGIC PLAN 2020-2023 UNTIL 2025







II UN Habitat Assembly decided to extend the Strategic Plan 2020-2023 until 2025 in order to align the planning cycle of UN-Habitat with the Quadrennial Comprehensive Policy Review (QCPR)

It also requested the Executive Director of UN-Habitat, in consultation with the Executive Board, to start preparations for the development of the Strategic Plan for the period 2026-2029

II UN Habitat Assembly also decided to adjourn its second regular session on May 2025 and to consider the Strategic Plan 2026-2029 as part of the provisional agenda.



PREPARATIONS AND CONSIDERATIONS FOR STRATEGIC PLAN 2026-2029















THE STRATEGIC PLAN 2026-2029 WILL BE:



Developed through a **consultative process**, in an open and inclusive manner, led by the Executive Director and guided by the relevant rules of procedures:

- Member States
- With relevant UN entities (first opportunity to align SPs of different UN entities since cycle is now similar)
- With partners and stakeholders (Habitat II & III, New Urban Agenda, etc..)



Guided by lessons learnt and recommendations from consultations, assessments and evaluations:

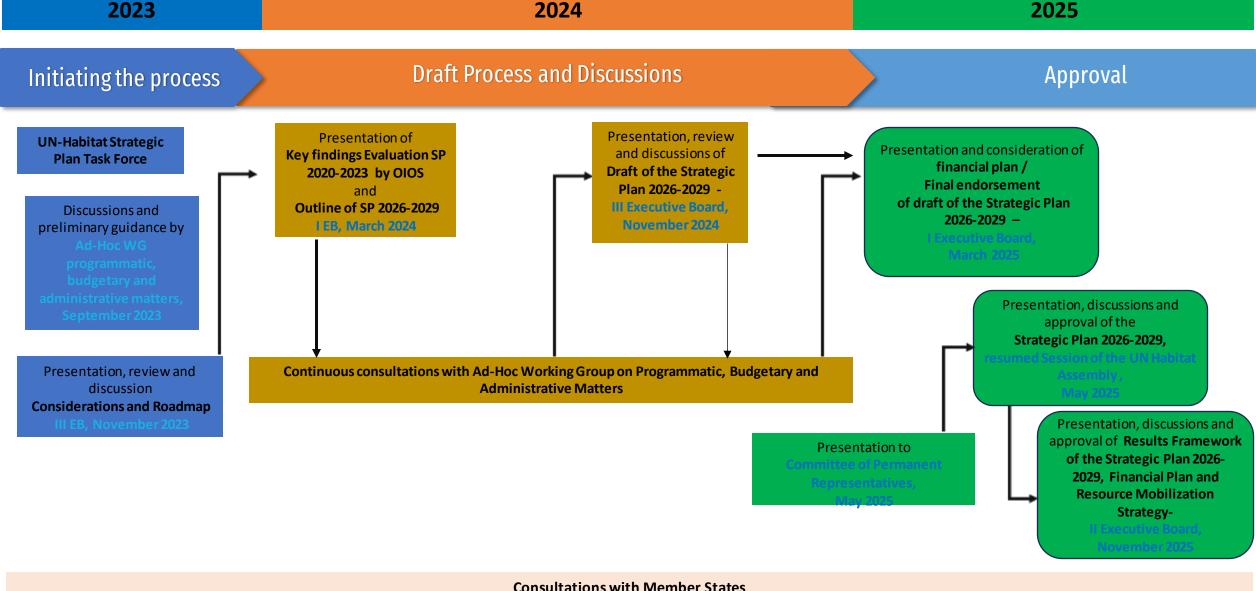
- UN Habitat Strategic Plan mid-term review, by OIOS.
- MOPAN assessment
- In depth consultations with Member States, UN Development System entities, UN Staff and pa





- Prepared using a stronger evidence base: Empirical data to be gathered from research and trends reports (i.e. Quadrennial Report, SDG 11 Report, WCR, GUMF, urban agenda platform, etc...)
- Designed to support the implementation of all resolutions adopted in II UNHA and relevant GA resolutions

- Taking into account **UN system-wide Strategy on Sustainable Urban Development**, outcomes of High Level Meeting on the implementation of the NUA, SDG Summit, etc..
- Adopting results-based management principles and a knowledge-based approach: ensuring better monitoring and reporting outcomes of High Level Meeting on the implementation of the NUA, SDG Summit, etc..
- Prepared in conjunction of a **Financial plan** for consideration of the Executive Board; suggesting how to further improve of the **institutional set-up** to better support the implementation of the SP and taking into account a further **scalability model** for UN-Habitat's budget.



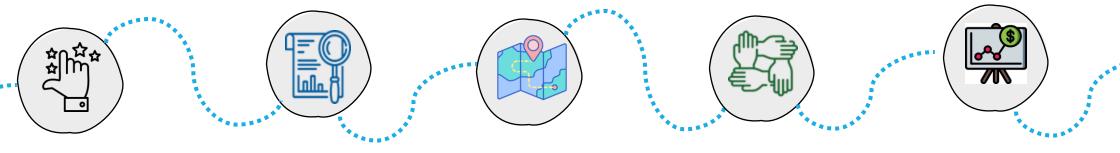
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NEXT STEPS





- F Establishment of an internal Task Force on the preparation of the UNH SP 20206-2029-Appointment of a diverse and inclusive Strategic Planning Team and Chair [by October 2023]
- Staff survey [October-November 2023]
- Presentation of Preparations for the Strategic Plan 2026-2029 to Executive Board [III session on November 2023]
- **OIOS** evaluation preliminary results [December 2023]
- Potential retreat with Members States [January 2024]

THANK YOU!



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