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Project number: Project name: ZONES OF GROWTH. INVESTMENT PROMOTION OF BROWN AND **GREEN ZONES IN THE VIDIN, ZAJECHAR AND BOR REGIONS**

Project partners:

- Lead partner: Vidin Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Bulgaria
- Project partner 2: Regional Development Agency Eastern Serbia RARIS, Serbia

Budget:	149 774,79 Euro
Project duration:	12 months

Project description:

The overall objective of the project was to enhance competitiveness of the Vidin, Zajecar and Bor regions through valorisation of their economic assets. The project achieved the following results:

- Developed methodology for analyzing the potential for attraction of investments in green and brown zones of the targeted regions;
- Organized and conducted 16 information sessions in the municipalities in the region of Vidin, • Zajecar and Bor;
- Developed a web site with full database by the project: www.zonesofgrowth.eu;
- Elaborated and distributed 2000 copies of resource book and 1000 CDs containing the ٠ concept for attraction of investments in brown and green zones, best practices and full information of 100 zones;
- Elaborated and promoted 100 banners, containing information of 100 zones of Vidin, Zajecar and Bor for brown and green investments;
- Organized and conducted two "Investment Forums" in Sofia and Zajecar. During the forums the project management team members have promoted investment opportunities in target regions;
- Promoted project to the local community.

The project was successfully completed in July 2012



Photos from two project conferences





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Screenshot of the project web site: www.zonesofgrowth.eu

