ROMANIA: ASSISTANCE TO THE MINISTRY OF REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT TO ENHANCE SPATIAL PLANNING AS A PRECONDITION FOR URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Key Dates:

Signed: September 26, 2012 **Completed:** January 25, 2014

Duration: 16 months

Value: US\$ 0.7 million (EUR 0.58 million)

Key Partners: The Ministry of Regional Development and Public Administration, The Regional Development General Directorate

Objectives: it aims to provide the Government of Romania with actionable proposals that will improve the efficiency and effectiveness of territorial and spatial development policies and investments. The Bank will conduct research to recommend practical measures for reforming the planning system in Romania, and improving the capacity of the Recipient to diagnose urban and regional dynamics and to promote more competitive, sustainable, and inclusive cities. The main activities include: (i) evaluation of the planning system in Romania and (ii) evaluation of the urban development system in Romania.