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UKR Fier - EUR 12.4 million WPIP / MIP V investment measures



In Fier 12.4 million Euro WPIP / MIP V investment provides new water supply networks, new and enhanced system of water distribution and consumption surveillance and control, new pumping station in Karafaj for assuring 24/7 water supply to the citizens as well as a rehabilitated and improve waste water system.

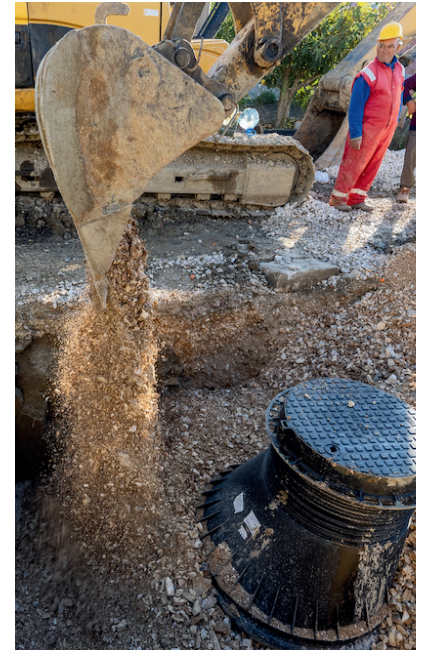
Thanks to the support of German Financial Cooperation through KfW, the European Union, SECO and the Albanian Government, through the WPIP / MIP V Programme, about 49,000 citizens as well as the continuously growing number of tourists are benefiting from the new and improved infrastructure.



Drinking water network rehabilitation and extension



- Supply and installation of ca. **22 km of pipes**
- **1550 new water supply connections** have been installed
- About **1,700 new individual water meters** have been installed in Fier



Individual water meters for households are key for fair, transparent and just invoicing of water consumption.



Cutting asphalt for preparing laying water pipes.

Filling material for finalizing the installation of water collection network.



Karafaj well field - construction of new pumping station



The works for the new Karafaj pumping station were officially opened by the high representatives of the Albanian Government and the donor representatives of Germany, Switzerland and the European Union.



New water pumps are being installed assuring 24/7 water availability for Fier.

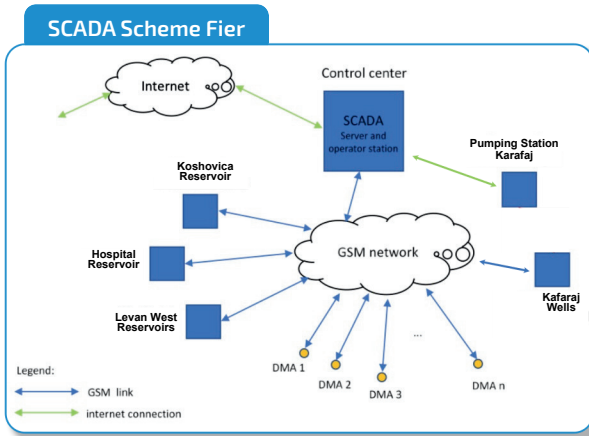


October 2025 - The construction of the new pumping station is nearly finished.

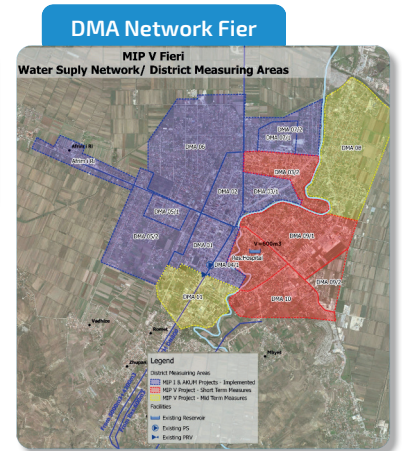
In March 2024 the works on the pumping station were started. The new Karafaj pumping station will provide clean and safe drinking water 24/7 for the citizens of Fier.



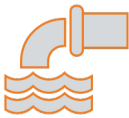
Computerised monitoring for controlling the water network and reduce water loss



DMA - 'District Measuring Area: water meters are installed in main pipes for comparing water consumption of all connected house meters with the quantity measured by the respective district meter. This indicates water leaks and/or illegal connections.



The upgrading of the DMA system improves the network control and reduces loss of water. The implementation of a SCADA system ("Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition") allows to monitor in real time all relevant elements of the drinking water system of Fier: monitoring and controlling of reservoirs, well fields and water distribution networks. Any problem can immediately be identified by flow and pressure sensors and is shown on the computer screen.



Sewerage water network



Huge main collector pipes for waste water collection

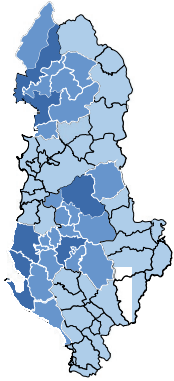
Rehabilitation and new network - laying of over 8.5 km wastewater network and nearly 700 new network connections.



About 700 households have been newly connected to the public sewerage system of Fier

The construction works for the new sewerage pumping station Çeligrade has started beginning of 2025. This pumping station will assure a smooth functioning of the waste water system.

Overall WPIP MIP V - EUR 145.7 million investment measures for 6 regional water supply and sewerage companies



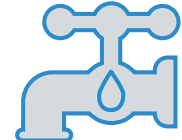
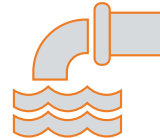
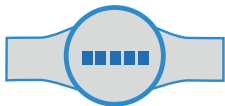
WPIP / MIP V program supports 6 regional water supply and sewerage companies

UKR Berat including Dimal, Kuçovë, Polican and Skrapar;
UKR Elbasan including Belsh, Cërrik, Gramsh, Librazhd and Peqin;
UKR Fier including Mallakastër, Patos and Roskovec;
UKR Lezhë including Kurbin and Mirditë;
UKR Shkodër including Fushë Arrëz, Malësia e Madhe, Pukë and Vau i Dejës;
UKR Vlorë including Himarë and Selenicë;

Overall investment of EUR 145.7 million through the WPIP / MIP V Program

German Financial Cooperation 'through KfW	Loan	EUR 80 million
German Government	Grant	EUR 9 million
EU IPA	Grant	EUR 43.4 million
SECO	Grant	EUR 13.3 million

Overall WPIP MIP V expected results and benefits



100 % coverage of **Direct Operational Costs**;
Reduction of water losses;
Adapted tariff plans;
Improved invoicing, collection rate constantly over 85 %;
Verified improvement of **good governance**

30,000 persons with increased **resilience to storm water** incidents in Lezha

152,000 population effectively connected to operational **waste water collection with centralized treatment systems**, monitored in accordance with EU directives

Increased population effectively connected to **improved and/or new drinking water network**.
Increased average **daily water supply hours from 13 to 16 hours**

