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## Call for experimental projects Circular Innovation: Re-use & Recycle

#### Agenda

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3 16:25 – Presentation of the call for projects « Circular Innovation: Re-use & Recycle »

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#### Introduction

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## Call for experimental projects Circular Innovation: Re-use & Recycle





Regional programme for the circular economy



Encouraging the reuse of waste in the economy



Programmes for businesses and the short-term

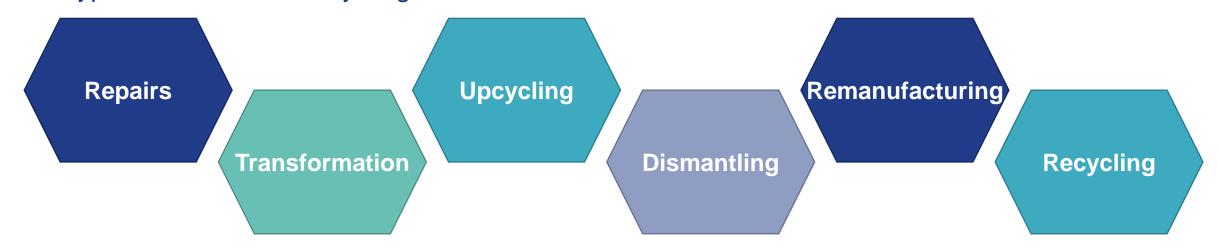
#### The call

- Call for projects dedicated to entrepreneurs :
  - All legal forms except self-employed individuals (FR : Indépendant en personne physique / NL : zelfstandigen)
  - All sizes
- Objective: to test the feasibility of projects before launching a new activity, or reorienting an existing, innovative activity based on re-using or recycling waste

# Exploring the supply of materials Experimenting in the design/improvement of the activity Validate local demand and economic viability

#### Re-using and recycling waste

Types of re-use and recycling covered



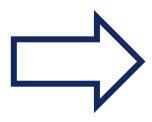
Waste:

All resource flows produced and discharged by the city's actors or passing through its territory

#### **Legal framework**

Legal framework of the feasibility study = "de minimis" aid



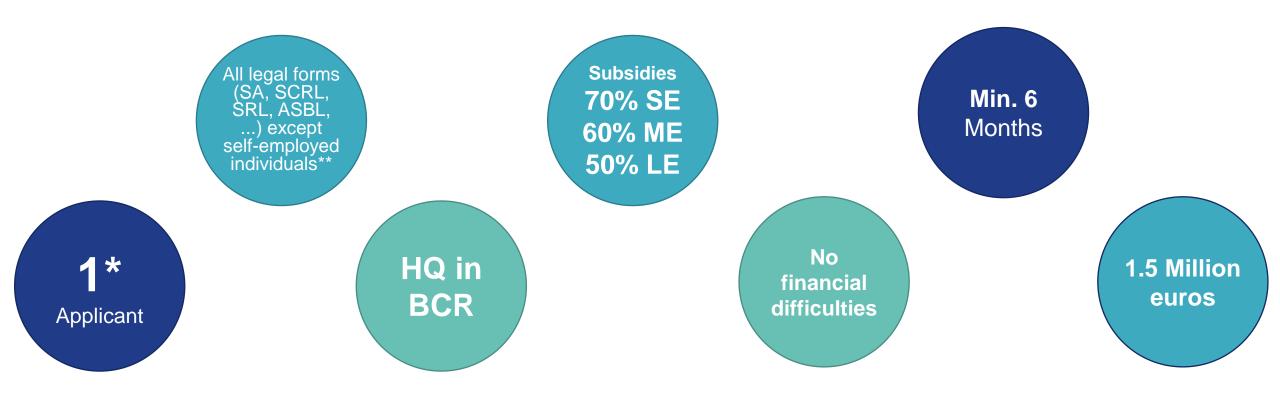


**New and** innovative activities



**Experimentation** process

#### **Practical info**



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<sup>\*</sup> Cooperation projects between companies are possible

<sup>\*\*</sup>In French : Indépendant en personne physique / in Dutch : zelfstandigen

Eligible costs

Personnel costs

Investment costs

Subcontracting costs

Operating costs

#### Positioning vis-à-vis Becircular

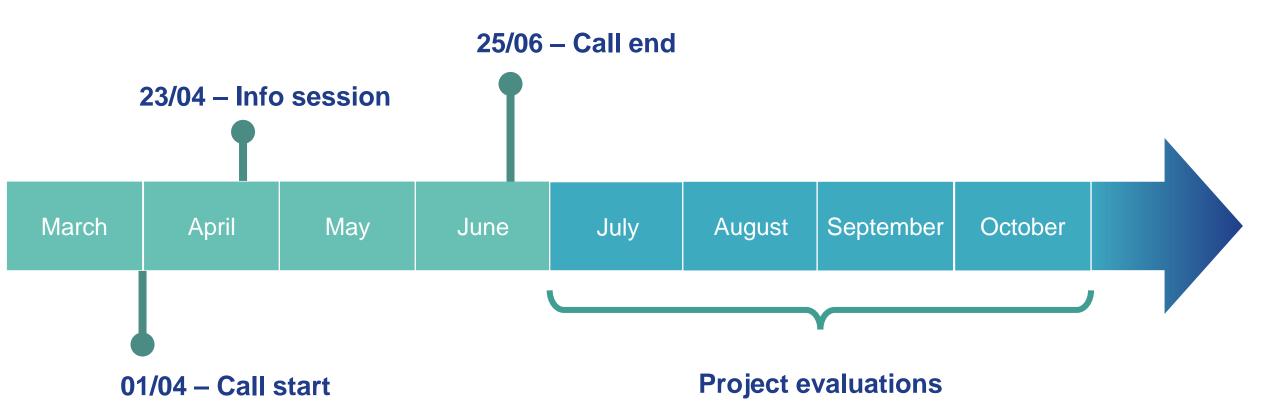




- Focus on the feasibility study of a new and innovative activity
- Duration of minimum 6 months
- > Theme: waste
- R&D funding

- Focus on commercialisation
- Experimentation phase of max 6 months
- Theme: circular economy
- De minimis

#### **Planning**





#### **Evaluation**

Receipt of projects

**Eligibility check** 

Instruction meeting

Innoviris recommendation



Innovation and relevance of the project



Feasibility and implementation



Strategic and economic impact



Social, environmental and ecosystem impact









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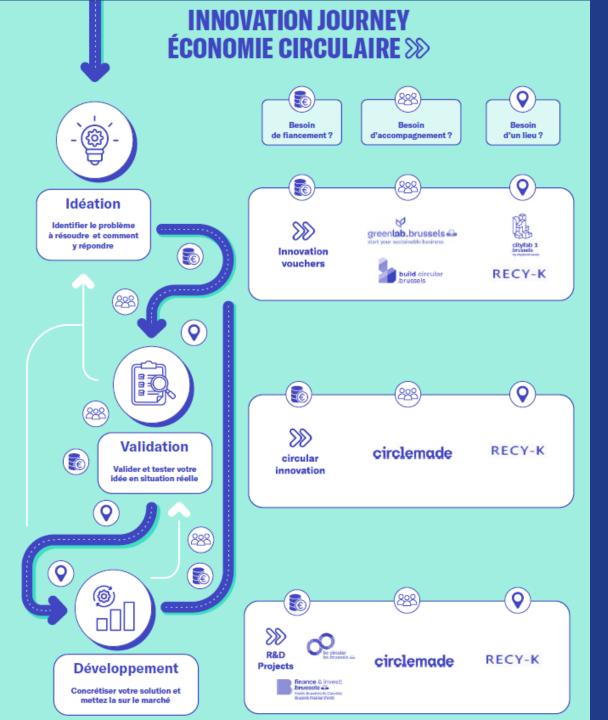




- Lumber and roofing timbers
- Lightweight walls (gyproc, insulation, metal studs, hardware, etc.)
- Scrap and "waste" materials from construction sites, including unsecured "lost" pallets and scraps of bio-sourced insulation.

**Insulated inner wall** 

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### More info

https://innoviris.brussels/program/circular-innovation



### Don't hesitate to contact me and we can organize a project pitch!



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