

LANDSCAPE GOVERNANCE

Definition

The processes of goal-oriented formulation, coordination, management and decision-making about utilisation and protection of landscape involving governmental and non-governmental actors (general public, NGOs, private sector etc.).

The trend is of reducing responsibility of the state government for public spaces or common land, progressive decentralization of decision-making regarding landscape issues, transparency and citizen participation. This is consistent with Art. 6 para. D of the European Landscape Convention, “*Each Party undertakes to define landscape quality objectives for the landscapes identified and assessed, after public consultation in accordance with Article 5.c.*”

The European Landscape Convention provides a framework for landscape governance, implementing subsidiarity, defining principles and concepts, promoting citizen participation and co-operation at different administrative levels, without imposing specific rules and methodologies.

Related terms

Planning process, Public participation, Public participation processes and tools

Keywords

Decision-making, Landscape planning, Landscape policy, Landscape protection

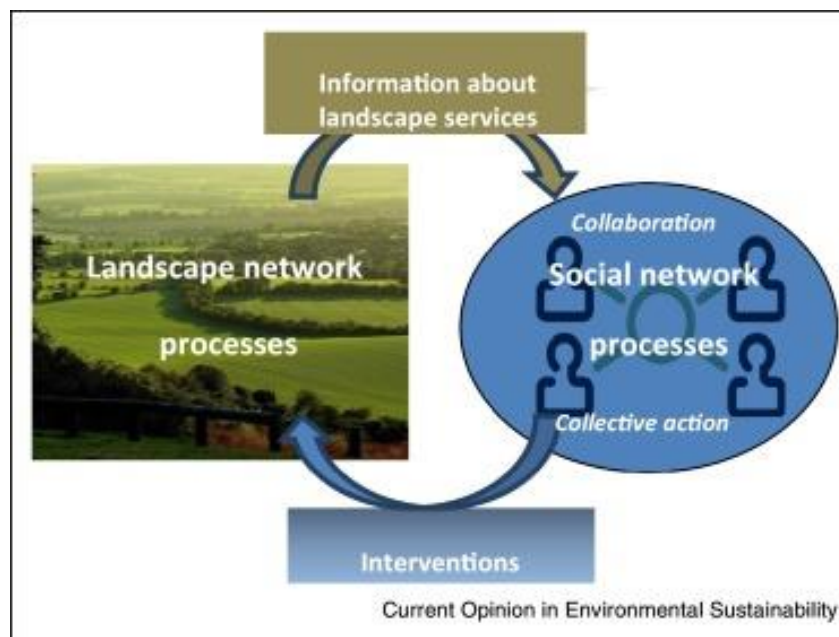


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Translations

Bosnia and Herzegovina Upravljanje zemljištem/
Upravljanje okolišem

Bulgarian Управление на ландшафта

Croatian Upravljanje krajolikom

Czech Správa krajiny

Danish No translation provided

Dutch Wijze van besturen van het landschap

Esperanto Regado pri pejzaĝoj

Estonian Maastiku valitsemine

Finish Maiseman hallinta

French Gouvernance du paysage

German Landschaftsgouvernanz - but not very
common

Greek Διοίκηση τοπίου

Hebrew משילות נופית

Hungarian Tájtervezés

Italian Amministrazione del paesaggio

Islandic Stjórnun landslags / landslagsstjórnun

Latvian Ainavas pārvaldība

Lithuanian Kraštovaizdžio reguliavimas

Montenegrin Upravljanje pejzažom

Polish Zarządzanie krajobrazem

Portuguese Regulação de paisagem, Governação
da paisagem

Romanian Administrarea peisajului

Russian Ландшафтное управление

Slovenian Funkcija krajine

Serbian Управљање земљиштем / пејзажом

Spanish Gobernanza del paisaje

Swedish Landskapsstyrning