



EU GPP-Award

Winner 2016: **Development Department and EU
Projects, Ciytown Hall Cluj Municipality,
Romania**

Increase energy efficiency in +30 blocks of flats (Group I-VII) Cluj Municipality, Romania

The majority of block of flats stock in Romania and thus in Cluj were built under the communist regime, respectively from 1950-1990. In 2000 the local and national authorities initiated a national strategy in order to convert the energy intensive blocks of flats into energy efficient ones. In line with the strategy, Cluj Municipality managed to implement seven group projects funded by the EU via the Regional Operation Program Romania. They were in compliance with all demands given by norms, laws, decisions of local authorities and standards on building work. The project showed that GPP can be achieved if the objectives of the procurement are very clearly set on achieving energy efficiency, reduced energy consumption and reduction of GHG emissions from household.