



LONG-TERM SUSTAINABILITY PLANS SZIGET 2020-2024

Internal behavioural change:

1. Embedding sustainability and circularity into the day to day operations of Sziget
 - A. Contracting a dedicated staff member, who has a solid overview of all organisational processes of the festival and who can provide assistance to all employees in any kind of sustainability related questions
 - B. Applying for EU tenders for different project elements
 - C. Developing an e-learning and video tutorial package for internal education purposes
2. Annual and on-going data recording of the different department's waste production
3. Introduction of an annual reporting obligation for all departments
 - A. Developing a data recording system that will be first tested on the Services Department
4. Implementing a Green Office policy

Waste prevention/Resource Management/Circular Economy

5. Eliminating PET bottles in the next 5 years
6. Increasing the recycling rate of recyclable resources to 75-80% by 2024
7. Decreasing camping waste from 10% to 2-3% by 2024
8. Composting 80% of the biodegradable cutlery and plates
9. Reducing single use items used by the employees to more sustainable options
10. Phasing out single use cups entirely from the festival (employees, volunteers etc.)



Emission Reduction

11. Stabilising visitor flights between 25-30%
12. Increasing the number of visitors' bus journeys with 3%
13. Stabilising train journeys on 23%
14. Increasing the number of car share rides
15. Integrating a carbon calculator into the website of the festival
16. Changing the entire scooter stock to electric vehicles
 - A. Restricting the use of vehicles with combustion engines
 - B. Establishing time, purpose, and technical specifications
17. In total 30 % of Sziget's food courts' main courses should be vegetarian or vegan
18. Reconsidering the use of CO2 intensive confetti and fireworks
 - A. Limiting it to headliners
 - B. Cutting it to 50% by 2024

Procurement and partners

19. Switching merchandise products to 100% Szigetethical
20. Using 100% environmentally friendly cleaning products
21. Binding supplier activities to data provision and suppliers examining exercises
22. Binding sponsorship, trading partner, marketing and commercial activities to data provision
 - A. Implementing the polluter pays principle
 - B. Ensuring that promotional gifts are quality products