

❖ Status of MSP implementation in your country

- No MSP in Bosnia and Herzegovina.
 - MSP is only a part of general Spatial Planning, legally regulated on Federal, Cantonal (for Herzegovina-Neretva Canton) and Municipal level - Neum Municipality, as only one BiH exit to the Adriatic sea.
 - On municipal and cantonal level Spatial plan is harmonised and defines maritime area as:
 - recreating zones in front of the coast line (beaches, and places with cantonal concession)
 - places with license for dealing with shellfish, marine aquaculture, fisheries...
 - On federal level Spatial Plan is not yet finalized.
- Complex government structure is a main issue...
 - CAMP agreement has been waiting to be signed for more than a year.
 - Development of NCP (REMPEC) is also waiting this signature.
- The competent authorities:
 - at national level: BiH Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations, Federal Ministry of Physical Planning,
 - at regional level: Cantonal Ministry of Construction and spacial planning and than also Ministry of Trade, Tourism and Environmental Protection of Herzegovina-Neretva Canton.
 - at localy level: Municipality of Neum.

❖ MSP needs of the country

- Far better communication and cooperation between authorities responsible for MSP
- Involving and asking stakeholders for inputs will be crucial (92,3% land surface of our municipality is private)
- Current main uses of maritime area: tourism and aquaculture
- The bay Neum-Klek is a part of protected bay of Mali Ston and MSP should be also very similar and harmonized with neighboring Croatian protected maritime area

