

WP4 Pilot actions

PA Kaštela bay

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Background of the PA Kastela bay



The Kastela Bay (Croatia) is located in the central part of the Eastern Adriatic Coast, situated between Split and Trogir, two cities with an exceptional and world-renowned cultural heritage protected under UNESCO.

The area of the bay covers 57 km².

Mediterranean climate of the Adriatic type, with the characteristics of hot and dry summers and mild and green winters and a large number of sunny hours and windy days.



Issues of the PA Kastela bay

- ✓ Strong pressures on natural resources and cultural heritage areas,
- ✓ Coastal erosion,
- ✓ Rising sea levels caused by climate change



Issues of the PA Kastela bay

- ✓ The high tourist potential of the city, where the urban development of urban areas is lacking, causes **strong pressures on natural resources and cultural heritage areas** in the narrow coastal area.
- ✓ **Coastal erosion** is an additional problem for settlements, especially for the seven historical castles and the promenade on the shore, which have been exposed to sea floods in recent years.
- ✓ With further lowering of mainland and **rising sea levels** caused by climate change, the coastal area will be exposed to the following threats: loss of valuable beaches; damage to coastal buildings, roads and promenade; penetration of salt water into groundwater; loss of specific habitats and so on.



Objectives of the PA Kastela bay

The development of the Coastal Plan aims to promote:

- ✓ sustainable forms of tourism-driven development
- ✓ focus on coastal protection measures
- ✓ preserving coastal zone,
- ✓ especially castles which are increasingly endangered due to the effects of climate change, particularly rising sea levels and floods.



Key themes

- ✓ Space development and spacial analysis
- ✓ Tourism development
- ✓ Climate change (sea, precipitation, air temperature)
- ✓ Coastal area protection
- ✓ Cultural heritage



Content of the Plan

- ✓ Introduction
- ✓ Summary of diagnostic analysis
- ✓ Vision and scenarios of developement
- ✓ Policies and governance measures
- ✓ Proposal of the Coastal Management System
- ✓ Action Plan



Participative approach

4 workshops:

- ✓ Climate change and natural environment
- ✓ Beach shore and possible protection measures with special reference to the architectural heritage
- ✓ Perspectives of sustainable tourism development
- ✓ Kaštela Bay - the future of space



Participative approach

During the establishment of the project, local stakeholders were analysed and 60 stakeholders were identified.

The stakeholders are involved either in management, administration, economic activity or residency in the coastal area of the City of Kaštela.

These are representatives of the Town of Kastela, the Split-Dalmatia County, the Port Authority of Split-Dalmatia County, the Conservation Department in Trogir, the Kastela Museum, the Sea and Karst Public Institution for Nature Protection, the Tourist Board of the City of Kastela, the citizens, associations, small renters and others.



Participative approach



First workshop – October 12th, 2018. – 15 stakeholders

Second workshop – November 26th, 2018. – 15 stakeholders

Third workshop – February 8th, 2019. – 18 stakeholders

Fourth workshop – May 17th, 2019. – 23 stakeholders



Participative approach – media coverage



Participative approach

Conference Adaptation on climate changes in coastal zone, 22/01/2019



Current analysis

Climatic pressures in Kaštela

- average air temperature rise,
- heat wave increase,
- decrease in total precipitation volume,
- precipitation is concentrated in short periods,
- an increase in the variability of extreme precipitation events is expected, which may cause flooding in the Kastela region,
- the appearance of long-lasting dry periods.



Current analysis



- sea level rise is already recorded in the Kastela area in the present climate, currently with an amount of about 30 cm per 100 years
- in the future climate is expected to accelerate sea level rise, to an amount of about 50 cm in 100 years



Current analysis

Flooding the coast and possible measures of protection

All natural processes of run-off of surface and groundwater have already significantly changed and endanger the standard of living (floods, droughts, soil erosion, etc.).

Sea level rise – Hydrological cycle of crown water is changing.

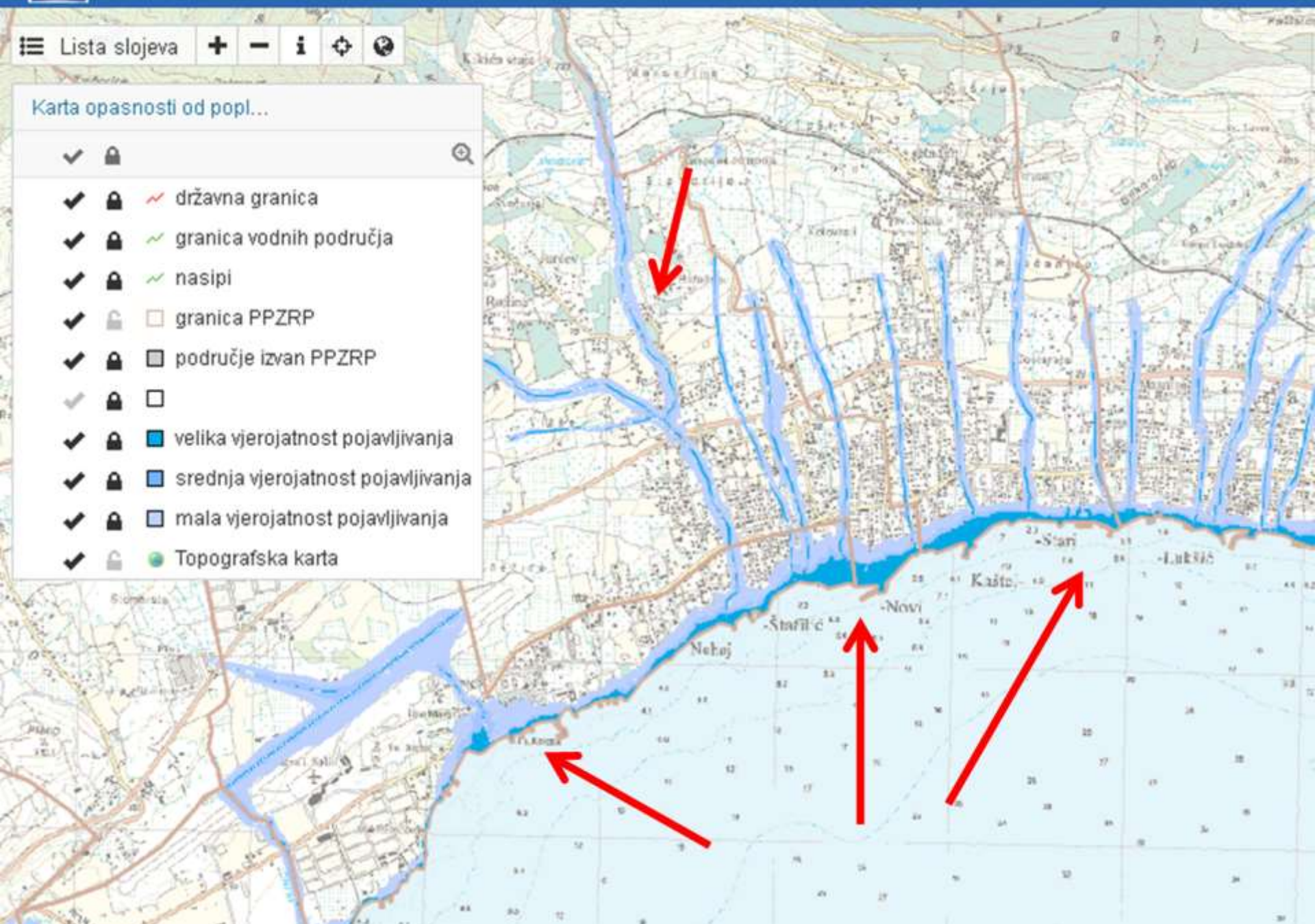




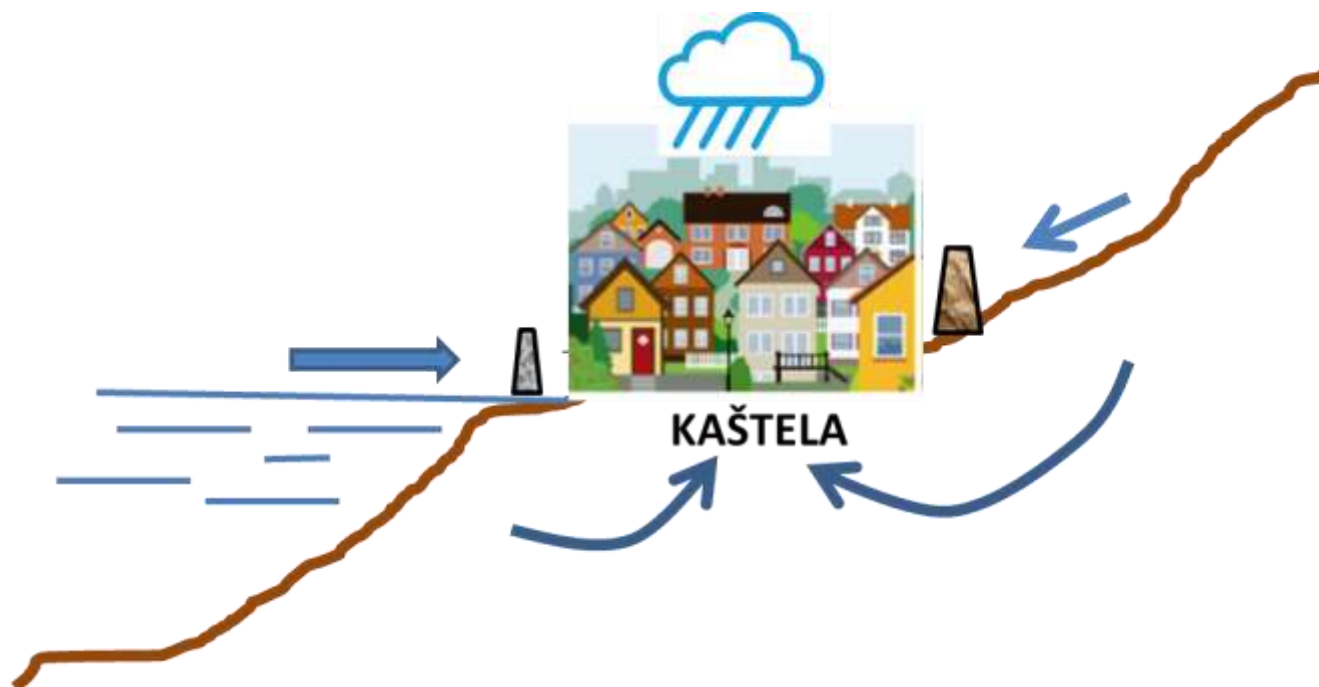
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Karta opasnosti od popl...

- ☒ državna granica
- ☒ granica vodnih područja
- ☒ nasipi
- ☒ granica PPZRP
- ☒ područje izvan PPZRP
- ☒
- ☒ velika vjerojatnost pojavljivanja
- ☒ srednja vjerojatnost pojavljivanja
- ☒ mala vjerojatnost pojavljivanja
- ☒ Topografska karta



Current analysis



Current analysis

Application of DPSIR methods for assessing the effects of tourism on the environment

- *Integrated Environment Assessment - IEA* developed by European Environmental Agency (EEA)
- It is based on the use of indicators that provide feedback to policy makers



Driver
Pressure
State
Impact
Response



Current analysis

Application of DPSIR methods for assessing the effects of tourism on the environment – Kaštela bay

- ✓ Road noise, road, rail traffic and industrial plants,
- ✓ Degradation and insufficient investment in restoration of cultural goods,
- ✓ Insufficient resources of cultural heritage objects,
- ✓ Endangered cultural goods by uncontrolled and inappropriate construction and rising sea levels.



What have we done?

4 of 4 workshops done with feedback and media coverage:

- ✓ Climate change and natural environment
- ✓ Beach shore and possible protection measures with special reference to the architectural heritage
- ✓ Perspectives of sustainable tourism development
- ✓ Kaštela Bay - the future of space



Towards finalization of Plan

- Public presentation of Coastal Plan for Kastela, draft version, on May 29th 2019.
- During public presentation we made round table about climate change effects and the future of the space development in Kastela bay
- This event had media coverage of to regional media

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- Process all proposals, ideas, comments, obstacles,....
- Making of ICZM Plan for Pilot Area Kaštela bay with proposal of Action plan



THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

