

Press release

## **City of Vienna is the first megacity to use smino**

*Rapperswil, April 9, 2024 – The City of Vienna relies on smino 's software solution for planning and construction projects – as do two major German cities.*

smino , the digital tool for builders, architects, planners and construction companies, is now being used by two Wien Holding companies: Wiener Infrastructure Project GmbH (WIP) and Wiener Location Development GmbH (WSE). This is the first time that a city with millions of inhabitants is working on the smino platform.

In the midst increasing cost pressure and the growing demand for living space, more and more cities and municipalities are turning to the innovative smino platform . By optimizing workflows and promoting transparent communication between all parties involved, smino makes it possible to implement projects in a time- and cost-efficient manner. With smino , cities and municipalities can successfully meet the challenges of modern urban development and make a sustainable contribution to the well-being of their residents .

### **Three projects to start**

smino will be launched in two housing projects and a social institution in Vienna. "The introduction of digital solutions like smino represents a decisive step in improving the way we work, modernize and increase the efficiency of our projects," explains Michael Stangl, Managing Director of Vienna Infrastructure Project GmbH.

One central aspect that smino specifically addresses is the optimization of communication channels between the project participants. Stangl emphasizes: "Through the central availability of information and documents on smino, we want to minimize misunderstandings and significantly improve cooperation." For the city of Vienna, this leads to more efficient realization of projects, which not only saves time but also costs.

### **In use in Essen and Darmstadt**

In Germany, smino is already being used successfully in several cities and municipalities - for example in Essen. Here, smino is being used in the construction of a new comprehensive school. Due to increasing pupil numbers and increased demand for comprehensive school places in the Altenessen-Süd district, the city of Essen decided to establish and build a comprehensive school including several sports halls.

In Darmstadt, smino is being used in several projects, including the project for the new northern fire station. The managing director of Darmstädter Stadtentwicklungs GmbH, Sven Kling, is delighted with the introduction of the smino platform: "Thanks to smino, we can realize our construction projects digitally and efficiently. The platform is intuitive, engaging and saves us time. With smino, we also have experts at our side who are way ahead of their industry."

### **Successful internationalization**

This development underlines an important milestone in smino 's internationalization strategy . "It is a reason to celebrate and motivates us to continue crossing borders and tapping into new markets," says Sandor Balogh, Managing Partner of smino . "The cooperation with municipalities underlines our ambition to increase the efficiency and transparency of construction projects to promote sustainable, livable cities."

Matthias Köck, Senior Sales Manager DACH at smino , adds: "As smino is already being used by many local authorities in Germany, we are delighted to have also convinced the City of Vienna of our efficient software solution. Saving resources – especially time and money – is a key factor for the coming year!"

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### **About smino AG:**

smino was founded in 2016 by Sandor Balogh and Silvio Beer with the aim of providing the construction industry with a digital tool to overcome current and future challenges. Christoph Degendorfer has been part of the founding team since 2022 through the integration of bimspot .

Today, smino supports builders, architects, planners and companies worldwide in the successful implementation of their construction projects. Employees at 4 locations (Cologne, Rapperswil, Vienna and Zurich) do everything they can to ensure that over 27,000 companies can concentrate on the essentials again: building .

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