BEEN Best Practice Project (BPP) Tallinn ESTONIA

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Estonia BPP - Target

- Energy saving up to 50%
- Good example of complex refurbishment
- Energy consumption monitoring (5 years)
- Obligation to follow the requirements and standards of the long-term maintenance (10 years)
- the dwelling should have the economic records for the previous 3 years
- availability of technical documentation about the building
- structural survey or/and energy-audit









Selecting the building for the project - result

- 3 applications from Tallinn
- Contract for support signed 01.09.2006 with
- Paldiski mnt 171 KÜ
 - built in 1977
 - typical block of flats
 - 5 storey
 - 60 apartments
 - -3.144 m^2
 - economic records for the previous 3 years
 - energy-audit
 - Cable walls renovated



















Problems during the renovation

- From the beginning higher involvement of residents would of been helpful (more meetings)
 – we had problems with some apartment owners
- Project design took much longer as planned and interfered planned timetable
- The board did not involve residents in decision process and got sometimes high resistance for example with changing windows, glazing balconies
- Planned finances were not enough additional decision and loan was needed – burden of residents raised unplanned









Estonia BPP - Paldiski 171 KÜ

- Project manager and supervisory 7.669 €
- Projection / design 5.958 €
- Reconstruction works 389.408 €:
 - roof 52.325 €
 - windows 46.664.€
 - facade 119.566 €
 - balconies 107.929 €
 - heating system 51.643 €
 - Heating meter system 11.279 €
- Total costs for square meter 128 €













- Self-financing
 ~620 €/ap.
 i.e. 11,8 €/m²
- Credit payment
 2.530 €/Month i.e.
 0,81 €/m²/Month

Finance

- Self-financing
 - 37.196 € (581.993 EEK)
- BEEN subsidy
 - By costs 7.669 € (120 000 EEK)
 - 57.337 € (897 135 EEK) = 14,7%
- State grant
 - 32.403€ (507 000 EEK) = 8,3%
- Credit from Hansapank
 - 268.428 € (4,2 mln EEK)
 - 15 years
 - Interests 6,937 %/year fixed
 - no collateral









Changing qualities: residences and behaviour

- Case study by Tallinn University of Technology
- In November 2007
- From 59 apartment owner 48 answered 81%
- Overall positive attitude
- 38% over 61 years





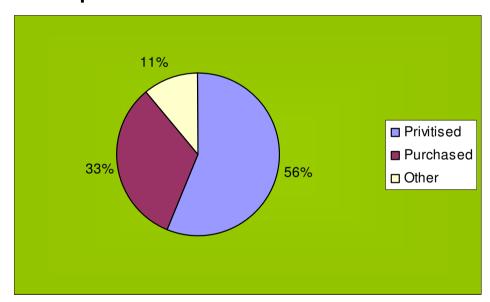


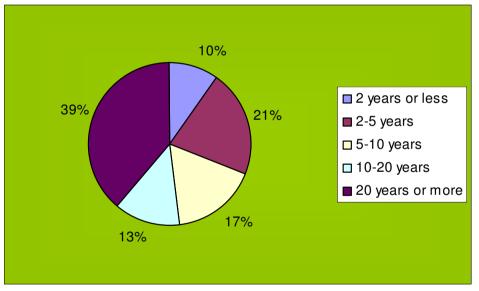


Residents assessments

Ways of housing property acquisition

Duration of living in the flat





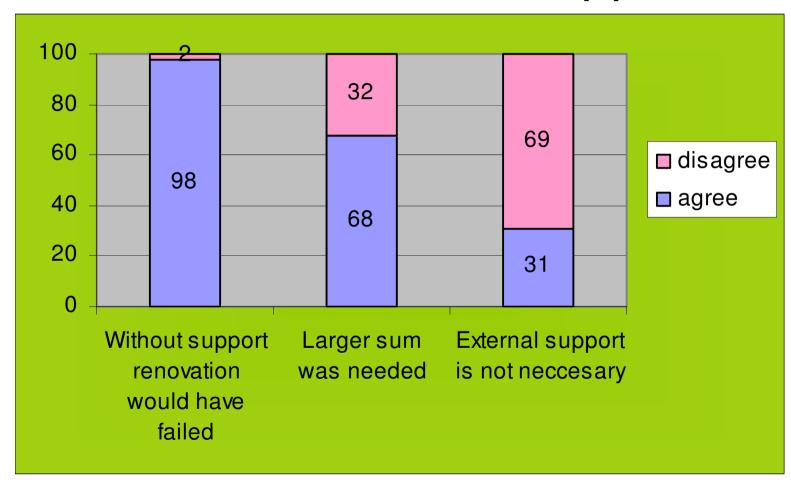








Owners estimation on the need for external financial support











Average monthly income, per household, EEK (1€=15,6EEK)

		Frequency	Percent
Valid	192-319 €	9	19
	320-639 €	13	27
	639-958 €	7	15
	958-1.278 €	8	17
	Over 1.279 €	4	8
	Total	41	85
Missing	Not answered	7	15
Total		48	100

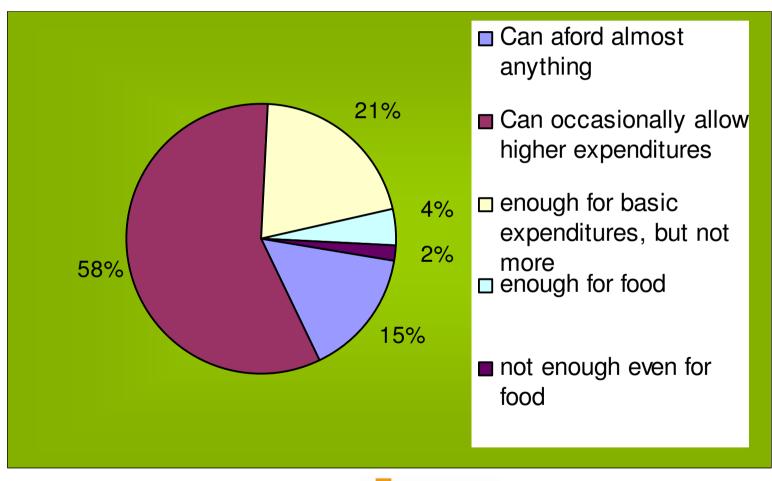








Self-estimation of household's economic well-being





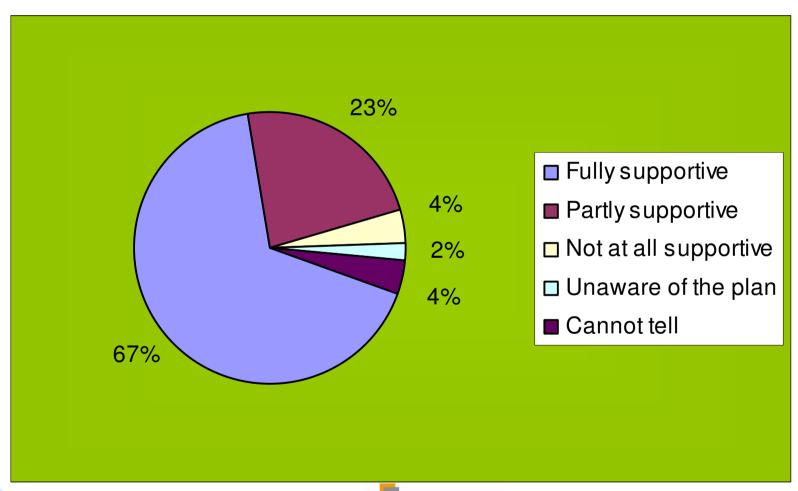








Apartment owners' support to renovation plans





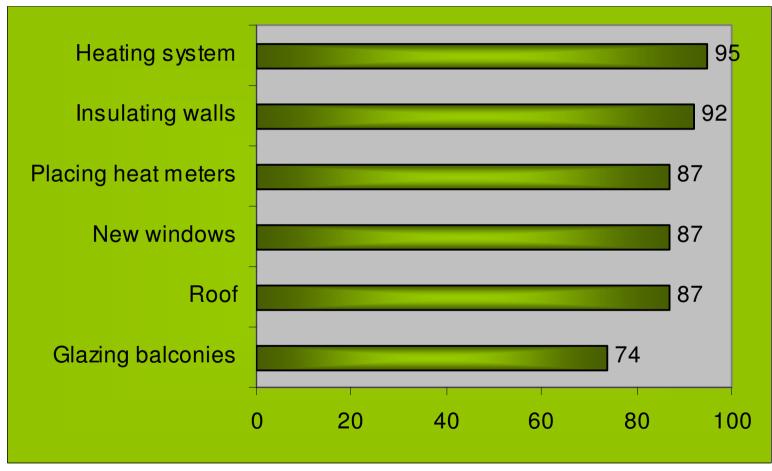








Respondents satisfied with the results of renovation, %











Residents assessments on the changes of residential environment

- Process has been complicated for the split of attitudes between residents and unusual management practice
- Involvement of an external institution (KredEx) has influenced coming to an agreement
- Residents attitudes were transformed with the increasing visibility of the results
- The assessment of the results of renovation is predominantly positive
- Owners value highly the transformed exterior looks of their building and considerably improved heating system









"Before"

"After"





Results - energy savings

Paldiski 171 heating consumption *	2005	2008
Heating consumption MWh	392	228
Price EEK MWh	431	930
Heating costs, EEK	169 082	212 305
Costs EEK/m ² /month	4,48	5,63
Average per apartment monthly, EEK	234,84	294,87

Comparison 2005-2008:

- Heating consumption has decreased ca 40%
- Heating price has risen ca 115%
- The costs for heating per month have risen ca 25%
- Heating consumption has decreased ca 53% 2005/2009 6 Months
- * Heating consumption is corrected with degree days









Results

- The building has a modern look, it is well insulated and has a heating system with individual calculation of heating expenses
- The estimated 40% energy saving can be expected
- The housing conditions of the residents have improved considerably – it is beautiful, clean, warm and safe
- The achieved energy efficiency and the general payment burden of the residents appears after first heating period
- Using this example, it would be possible to refer in the future to a specific apartment building, also to pay the visits to the building
- HOA has the obligation to follow at least 10 years the Good Practice Guide of the Maintenance of the Immovable
- HOA is obligated to present quarterly data about the costs of consumed services for at least 5 years
- The movie-clip about renovation is available on website: <u>www.kredex.ee/esk</u>. The clip is in Estonian, Russian and English









Lessons learned

- Very important to inform residents from the beginning
- Always calculate with 10-20~higher costs as planned
- Be prepared that process will take much longer as planned
- Involve project manager to be sure of quality of works
- For complex renovation additional support is needed because of the high costs

















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