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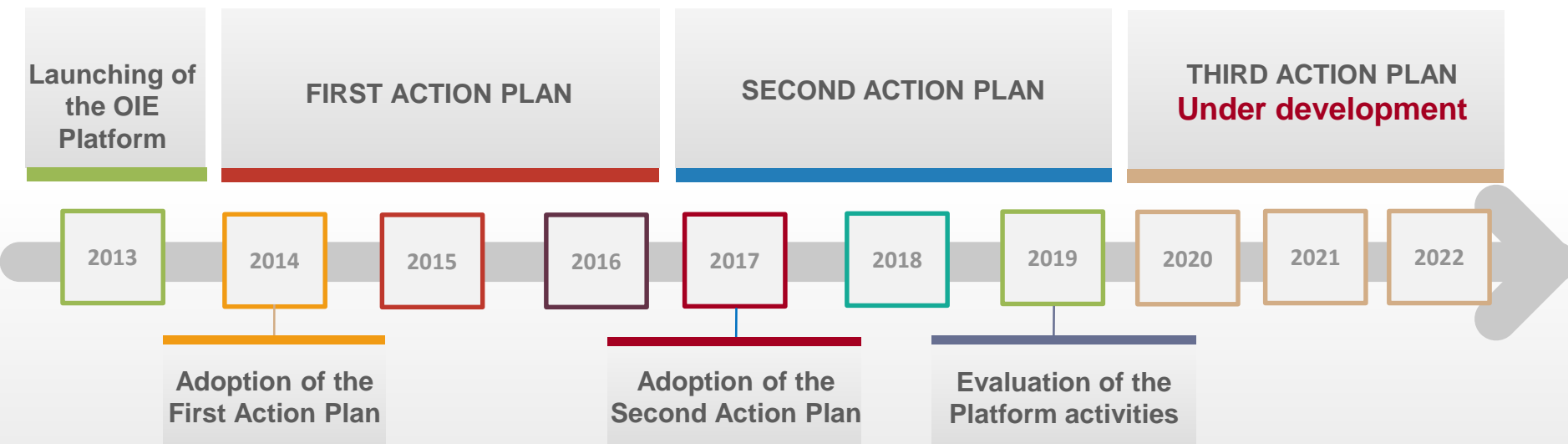
OIE Platform on Animal Welfare for Europe
- Preliminary information on the 3rd Action Plan -

Eighth meeting of the Regional Core Group (RCG8), Madrid

29-30 April 2019

Background

❖ *General 'tempo' of the Platform life*



❖ *Outcome of the external evaluation of the OIE platform: recommendations, etc.*

Main features of the initial draft of the 3rd Action Plan

❖ *Continuity*

Same list of priority topics

Inherited from 1st Action Plan:

- Transport of animals by land, **and by sea**
- Slaughter of animals
- Stray dogs population control




Added in the 2nd Action Plan:

- Welfare of animals in disasters
- Welfare of working equids

❖ ***Evaluation and monitoring***

Development of E&M tools wherever it is presently lacking

Within each priority topic:

- Transport of animals by land and sea  **SAM Tool**
- Slaughter of animals  **SAM Tool**
- Stray dogs population control / *SAM Tool already existing*
- Welfare of animals in disasters  **SAM Tool**
- Welfare of working equids / *Evaluation phase already foreseen*

At horizontal level, for the Platform as a whole



Relevant indicators



Second external evaluation

Transport – MAIN EFFORT

- ❖ *2 Whole Journey Scenario workshops / year, including 1 with Middle-East or North Africa*
- ❖ *Development of the SAM Tool in 2020, 1st self-assessment in 2021*

Slaughter

- ❖ *‘Refresher’ regional seminars – 1 in Eastern Europe (2020), 1 in the Balkans (2021)*
- ❖ *Development of the SAM Tool in 2022*

Stray dog population control

❖ *Follow up of the 2 existing roadmaps:*

- Balkan Roadmap objective 2025
- West Eurasia roadmap, objective 2030

For each roadmap: → 1 workshop every 2 years

→ 1 self-assessment exercise each second year

Disaster management

❖ *Last workshop of the 3-years pilot project for the Balkans in 2020*

❖ *Regional needs' assessment in 2021*

❖ *Possibly a new project starting in 2022*

Working equids

Provided that the baseline survey 2019 shows it is relevant:

- ❖ ***Development of the awareness campaign material in 2020, + launch of the campaign with a physical workshop***
- ❖ ***Deployment of the campaign in 2021***
- ❖ ***Evaluation phase in 2022***

Governance of the Platform

- ❖ *2 meetings of the Steering Group per year*
- ❖ *(and regular communication at the RCG and Regional Commission level)*

Stakeholder coordination

- ❖ *1 meeting per year*

Communication

- ❖ *Website update*
- ❖ *Annual newsletters*
- ❖ *Russian translations*

Monitoring and evaluation

- ❖ *Identification of horizontal indicators*
- ❖ *Second external evaluation in 2022?*

Next steps

- ❖ *15-16 May 2019, SG12 (Lyon, France): detailed examination*
- ❖ *26 May 2019, RCG9 (Paris, France): short feedback?*
- ❖ *November 2019, SG13: follow up and consolidation*
- ❖ *December 2019, RCG10 (UK, tbc): detailed report on progress*
- ❖ *April 2020, SG14: last adjustments to the draft*
- ❖ *April-May 2020, RCG11: validation of the final draft*
- ❖ *May 2020, Regional Commission for Europe (Paris, France): adoption*

