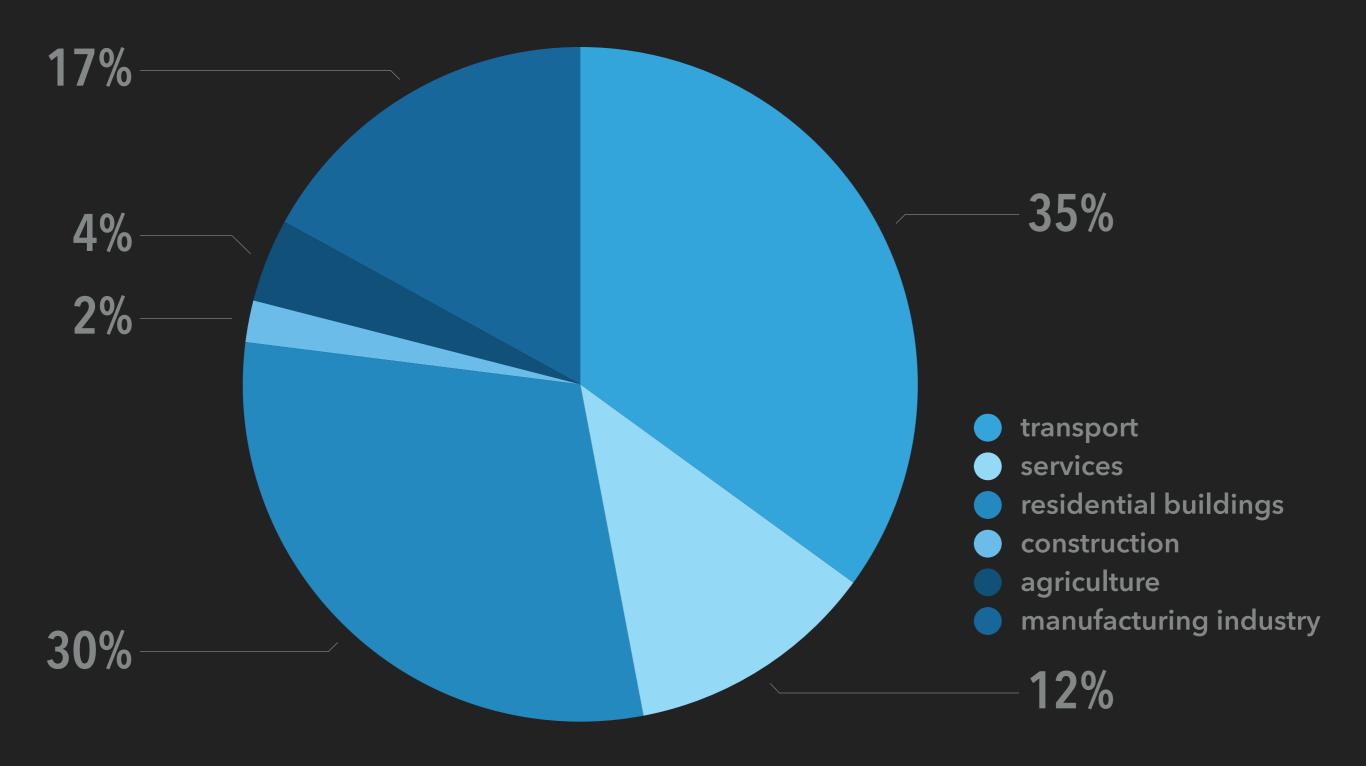


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# ENERGY RENOVATION OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS IN CROATIA

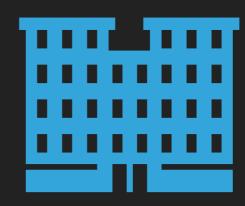
# SHARE OF BUILDINGS & INDUSTRY IN TOTAL ENERGY CONSUMPTION IN CROATIA



# **ENERGY RENOVATION PROGRAMMES**

The Ministry of Construction and Physical Planning developed two energy renovation programmes for residential buildings (2014-2017)

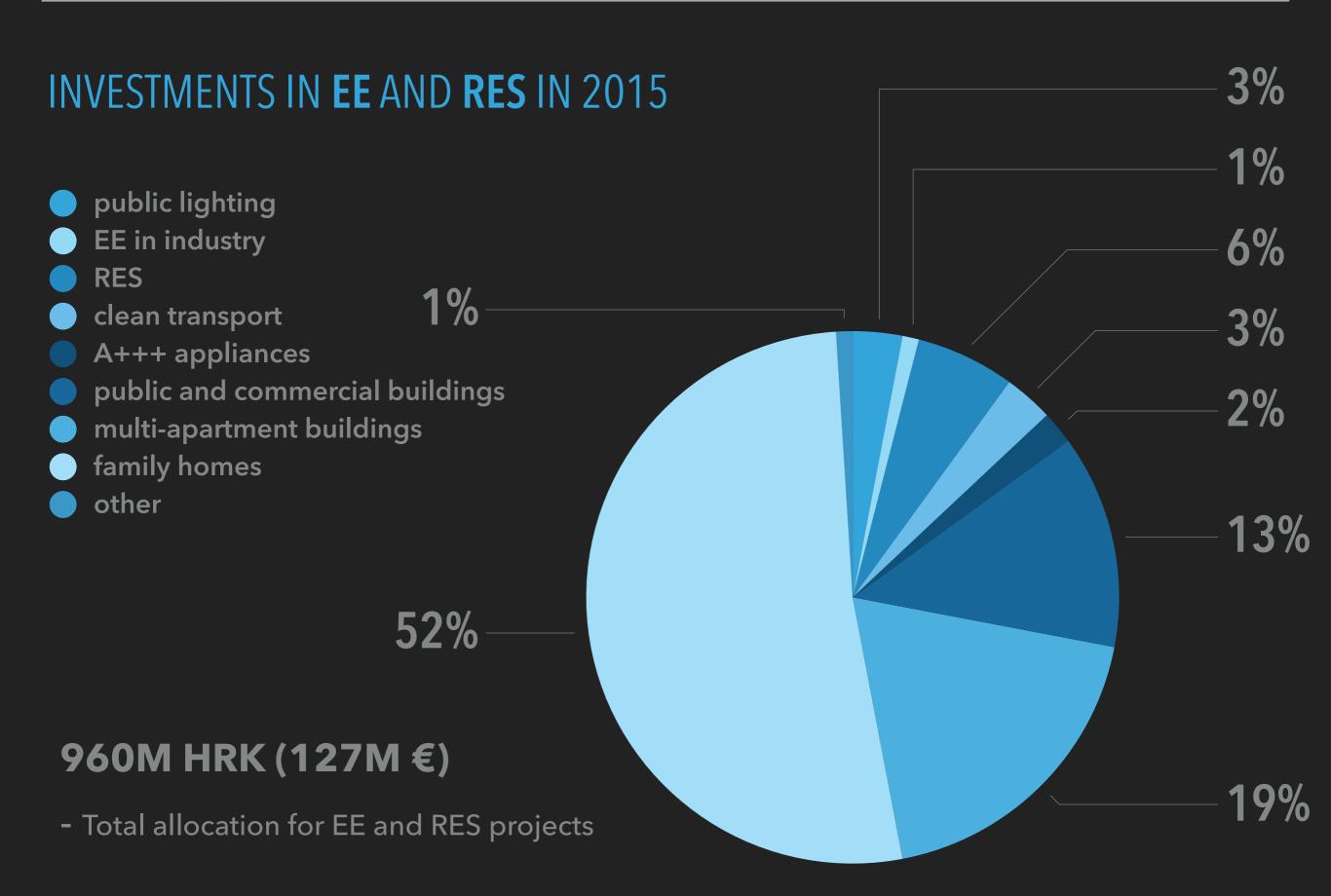




The implementation has been entrusted to the Environmental Protection and Energy Efficiency Fund

# ENVIROMENTAL PROTECTION AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY FUND

- ► Established in 2003 by the Act of Enviromental Protection and Energy Efficiency Fund
- ► Extra-budgetary public institution
- ▶ Goal:
  - Ensuring financial means (supporting and co-finnancing)
  - Obliged to co-finance measures (NEEAP)
- ▶ Mechanism:
  - POLLUTER PAYS PRINCIPLE
    - Environmental charges
    - Incomes from ETS
    - EU funds



# **ENERGY RENOVATION OF FAMILY HOMES**

### WHY?

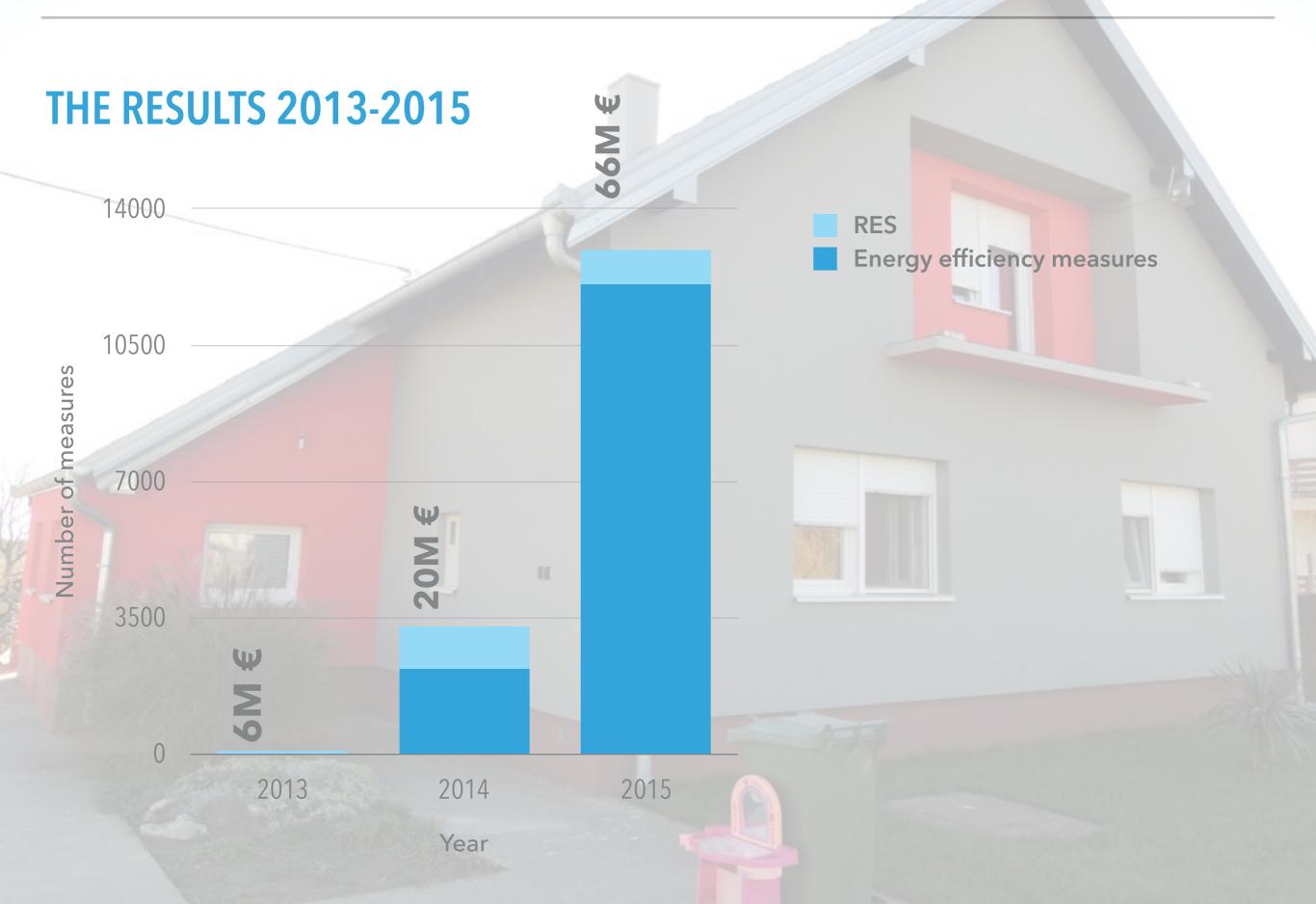
48.4% of all buildings in Croatia

### HOW?

- overcoming barriers
- In co-operation with local and regional government (2014)
- Directly through application to the Fund (2015)

### WHAT?

Thermal renovation of envelope, heating systems, RES



# **ENERGY RENOVATION OF MULTI-APARTMENT BUILDINGS**

### WHY?

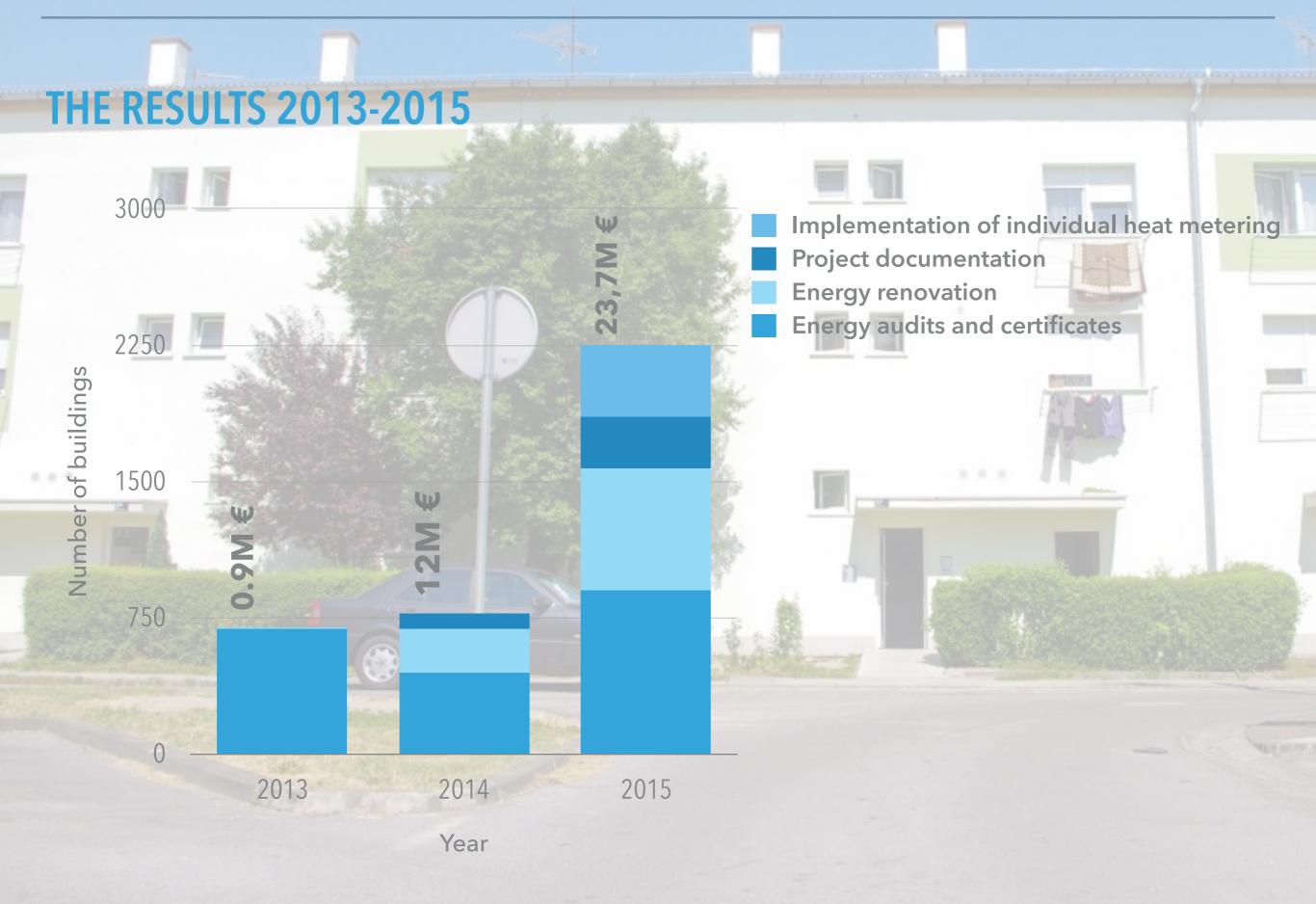
26.2% of all buildings in Croatia

### HOW?

- Through property management companies
- Financing technical documentation
- Financing implementation of measures (EE and RES)

### WHAT?

- Energy audits and certificates
- Project documentation for energy renovation
- Thermal renovation of envelope, heating systems, RES
- The instalation of individual Heat metering devices



# 127M € APPROVED IN 2015

# **1** 264M € GENERATED INVESTMENTS

# FROM 2016 FURTHER ON

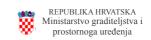
- Further co-financing by 2020 from EU funds
  - Operational Programme Competitiveness and Cohesion (OPCC) 2014.-2020.
    - Priority axis 4: PROMOTING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES
      - Investment priority 4c: Supporting EE and RES in public buildings and housing sector (ERDF 311M €)
        - **specific objective 4c2** deals with reduction of energy consumption of the residential buildings
- Specific objective 4c2 planned allocation 100M € (70M € for multi-residential buildings, 30M € for family houses)
- Financed from the European Regional Development Fund











### FINANCING THE RENOVATION OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS FROM THE ERDF

# **FAMILY HOMES**



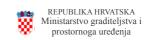
- based on the OPCC, Croatia has available for purposes of energy renovation of family houses the amount of **30 million euro, BUT:** 
  - **Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013** of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013.: Article 2 point 10, the <u>Regulation does not envisage the possibility</u> for natural persons to be beneficiaries of funds from the ERDF.
- An amendment to the provision of Article 2 was initiated by the **Ministry of construction** and physical planning through official representatives of the Republic of Croatia in the bodies of the European Union
- the Call will promote an integrated approach through which a minimum of **50%** of energy savings for heating/cooling will have to be achieved
- It is envisaged to have the Call published in 2018





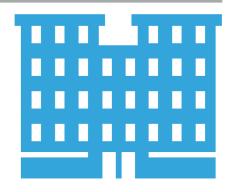






### FINANCING THE RENOVATION OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS FROM THE ERDF

## **MULTI-APARTMENT BUILDINGS**



- based on the **OPCC,** for purposes of energy renovation of multi-apartment buildings Croatia had available the amount of **70M €**
- **1st call** published 17.10.2016, closed on 31.1.2017
- The initial budget of the call 20.267.000 €
- The **EPEEF** had two roles:
  - Energy Efficiency Sector was appointed as a **technical assistance** (a team of experts gathered within the Sector, with previous experience of working on renovation programmes; the main goal was to assist the potential users in preparing their projects and ensuring the visibility of the programme)
  - IB 2 is appointed for evaluation of projects and their further processing











# **RESULTS OF 1ST CALL**

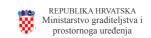
- Checked over **750** project proposals for more than **100** applicators
- ▶ **648** project proposals officially applied for evaluation (616 of them pre-checked by tehnical support)
- ▶ 596 project proposals passed evaluation almost 92% of applied projects
- More than **1.4M** sqm of residential space
- More than **16.500** households
- Projected average heating energy savings **66.8%**
- Reduction of CO2 emission **20.500** T/year
- More than **130M** € of investments



















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# THANK YOU!