

 Early Warning System

EIB-20240422

CLIMATE ADAPTATION & FLOOD SAFETY EMSCHER-LIPPE



Quick Facts

Countries	Germany
Specific Location	North-Rhine Westphalia
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2025-10-28
Borrower	Emschergenossenschaft (EG); Lippeverband (LV)
Sectors	Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 582.86 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 1,165.72 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project concerns the financing of part of EGLV's 2025-2029 investment programme for its two entities Emscher-genossenschaft (EG) and Lippeverband (LV) and concerns restoration measures in the Rivers Emscher and Lippe, as well as improvements in the sewage and storm water collection and treatment infrastructure.

The project concerns the financing of parts of the 2025-2029 investment programmes of the Emscher-genossenschaft (EG) and the Lippeverband (LV). The investments consist of restoration measures for the rivers Emscher and Lippe in North-Rhine Westphalia (NRW), as well as improvements in the sewer and stormwater collection and treatment.



Early Warning System Project Analysis

According to the Environmental and Social Data Sheet, by upgrading the wastewater and stormwater facilities, the Project is expected to generate a positive impact on the environment.



Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)



Private Actors Description

EMSCHERGENOSSENSCHAFT and LIPPEVERBAND together form one of the largest water management companies in Germany, headquartered in Essen.



Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Emschergenossenschaft	Client	-



Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure.

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