

Theme	Sources
Local, regional and national planning and development activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipal or regional planning activities and applicable regulations, e.g. land use plans for the vicinity • Mineral and other extraction plans • Environmental protection plans • Local, regional and national development plans • Legislation related to relevant activities, e.g. agriculture • Infrastructure development

Checklist for information gathering

Part 4 – General

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Current legal and institutional frameworks, planning processes, resources, both those available and potentially available	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All legal instruments influencing the site (national, provincial, local and site specific) • Organizational chart (at different levels) • Written descriptions of decision-making and planning processes • Job descriptions for those carrying responsibility • The human, financial, intellectual resources available • Annual budgets • More detailed budgets for specific sectors • Information on extra-budgetary projects • Information of past funding sources • Information on current monitoring practices • Existing stakeholder responsibilities and contributions • Potential stakeholder responsibilities and contributions • Other related stakeholder problems or issues • Details of special units to deal with World Heritage, if any
Elements of traditional management systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written records (principles, monitoring methods through taboos, etc.) • Oral traditions • Methods of data gathering for decision-making • Linking with larger administrative systems at national and/or regional levels <p>(Recording some of these topics may encounter restrictions)</p>
Elements of economic and social benefits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sources that can bring social/economic benefits such as potential employment