



International Green Model City Initiative

Facilitate Sustainable Cities and Human Settlements For All

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Committed to Sustainable Cities and Human Settlements For All

Part I: IGMC Standards 3.0

"IGMC Standards 3.0" is rooted in the *2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development* and the *New Urban Agenda*, and is an advanced tool for assessing and guiding sustainable urban development, providing the technical methods and assessment means for their implementation at the local level to readdress the way we plan, develop, finance, govern and manage cities and human settlements and lead onto the path of necessary transformative change towards delivering sustainable development.

6 Key Principles



Safety



Sustainability



Equity



Identity



Prosperity



Happiness



6 Dimensions with 18 Categories



Spatial Planning
and Development



Basic
Services



Environment



Economy



Society



Culture



Sustainable Spatial
Planning & Design



Sustainable
Land Use



Liveable Community



Public Space



Green Buildings



Green Transportation
& Mobility



Low Carbon &
Energy Efficiency



Smart City



Zero Waste



Sustainable
Environment



Resilience



Sustainable
Water



Green
Economy



Green Living



Inclusive &
Equitable Society



Urban Governance



Culture
& Heritage



Local Innovation

The Structure of Each Category

Definitions and Aims

Key Strategies and Methodologies

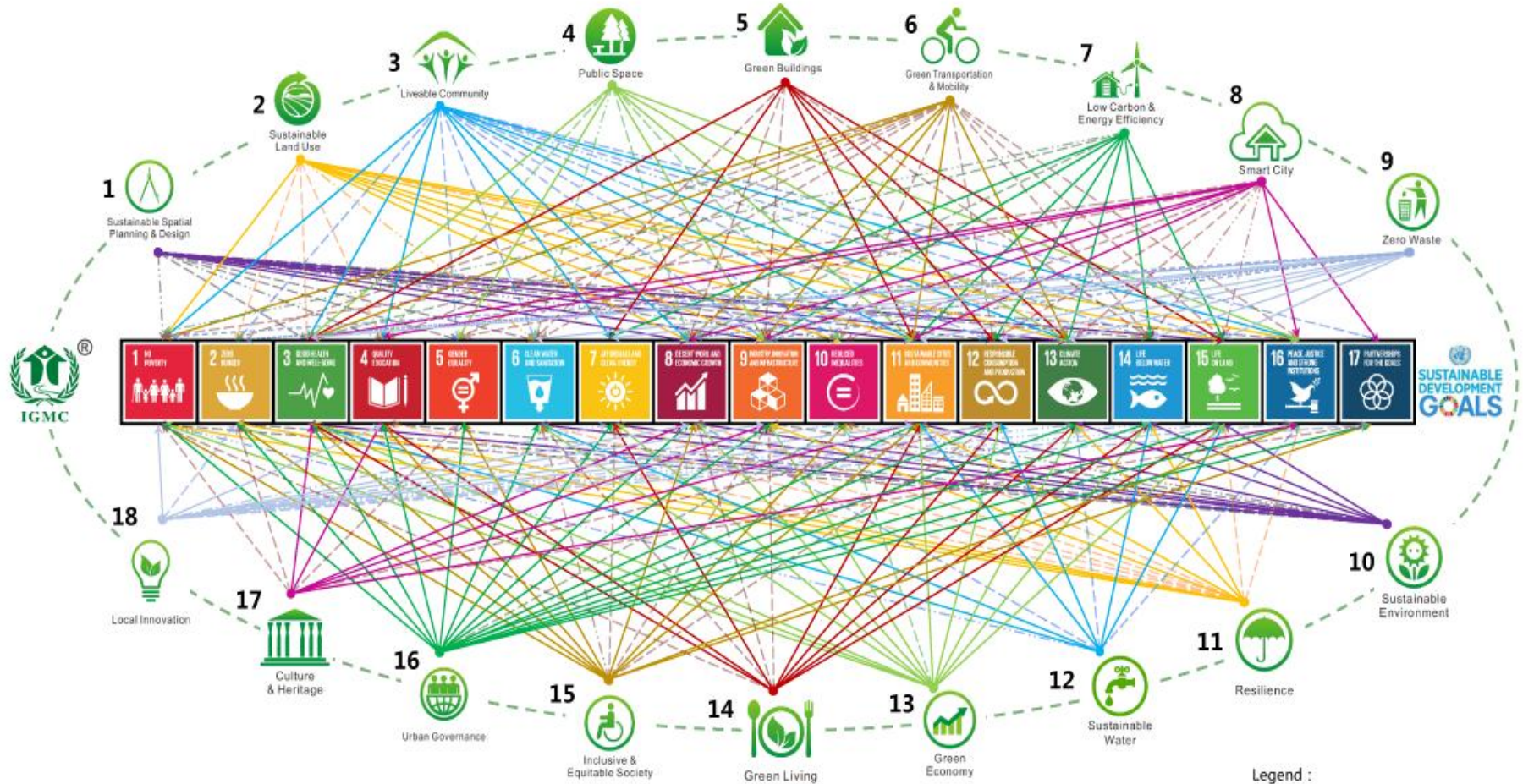
Key Requirements and Indicators

























































































































































































































































Best Practices

SDGs and IGMC Diagram



Relevance between IGMC and SDGs



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		High	moderate	Light														
IGMC	SDGs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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1	 Sustainable Spatial Planning																	
2	 Sustainable Land Use																	
3	 Livable Community																	
4	 Public Space																	
5	 Green Buildings																	
6	 Green Transportation & Mobility																	
7	 Low Carbon & Energy Efficiency																	
8	 Smart City																	
9	 Zero Waste																	
10	 Sustainable Environment																	
11	 Resilience																	
12	 Sustainable Water																	
13	 Green Economy																	
14	 Green Living																	
15	 Inclusive & Equitable Society																	
16	 Urban																	
17	 Culture &																	
18	 Innovation																	

Rating System of IGMC Standards

The IGMC rating system has approximately 110 indicators, a total of 320 points. Total points allow such projects or cities to gain IGMC status as follows:

- ≥280 points:** International Greenest Model City
- ≥245 points:** International Greener Model City
- ≥210 points:** International Green Model City

Part II: Aims of IGMC Initiative

IGMC Initiative aims to use IGMC Standards 3.0 as one of a variety of advanced planning tools by providing innovative concepts, integrated strategies and methodologies, benchmarks and monitoring framework as well as demand-oriented solutions for assessing and guiding sustainable urban development, in conjunction with other approaches, to facilitate sustainable cities and human settlements for all, in support to the implementation of *SDGs* and *New Urban Agenda*, and to create a shared platform for the global stakeholders for the sake of establishing a new win-win partnerships.

Part III: Benefits of Joining the IGMC

- (1) develop the action plans and policy options with measurable goals through the IGMC Standard;
- (2) use the IGMC Standard for assessment and diagnosis, and identify challenges, gaps and opportunities so as to reduce risks and facilitate the effective investment;
- (3) access IGMC data system, learning from each other and comparing with counterparts;
- (4) strengthen capacity building through various trainings, workshops and activities, obtaining professional information;

- (5) obtain demand-oriented solutions and inter-active consultation services to address existing challenges and gaps in certain cities and projects.
- (6) conduct IGMC pilots as appropriate to demonstrate the green transformation;
- (7) build up new type partnerships, and
- (8) enhance the brand value and maximize business opportunities.

Part IV: Services and Activities

Integrate efficient resources and provide valuable services and organize activities for IGMC members:

A. Training

B. Consultation: C. Annual IGMC conference

D. Annual Forum of GFHS

E. Other activities

F. Communication and Advocacy

G. Rating & Certification

Part V: IGMC Pilot Projects

IGMC members can nominate appropriate projects to apply for IGMC pilots. Such projects will be listed as an "IGMC pilot" and able to use IGMC trademark and do publicity once they are approved by GFHS. The planning and design of an "IGMC pilot" must meet the basic requirements of IGMC Standards 3.0, of which principles and concepts should be fully implemented in the whole process. GFHS will organize relevant experts and partners to provide consultation services for the pilots. When conditions permit, the pilots can apply for the rating and certification.

Liuyang Economic and Technological Development Zone joining the “International Green Model City Initiative pilots”



IGMC Symposium



IGMC 3.0 Releasing Ceremony During HIII



Welcome Joining IGMC

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