







## SAFRANBOLU

Member of GCoM Member

**MLGP4Climate platform** 



### **POPULATION: 70.043 (2023)**

### **GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION OF SAFRANBOLU**



City AREA: 1000 square kilometers

LEADING ECONOMIC SECTORS IN SAFRANBOLU





TOURISM

**AGRICULTURE** 

**ENERGY PRODUCTION** 

MAIN SOURCES OF ENERGY





SOLAR POWER



**HYDROPOWER** 

## BLACKSEA REGION, TOTAL AREA: 18. 000 square km



## Joined Global Covenant of Mayors iniciative

2024





MOBILITY PATTERNS





In Safranbolu, private vehicles dominate daily commutes, causing significant congestion, especially during peak hours. Public transport options, including buses, are available but limited, leading to a reliance on cars. To improve sustainability, the municipality is expanding public transport services and developing cycling infrastructure to reduce traffic and enhance air quality, aiming for a more eco-friendly urban environment.

#### **KEY INTERESTING FACTORS**

Cultivation of saffron
Tourism
Historical Sites



KEY AREAS FOR COOPERATION

Renewable Energy
Sustainable Agriculture

Eco-Tourism

## C TO

#### TOPICS OF INTEREST:

Business Models and Financing Schemes:

Financing Sustainability Projects

Safranbolu signed the Global Covenant of Mayors in 2024 and is preparing its Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan (SECAP) to enhance energy efficiency and reduce emissions









# Commitment to Sustainable Development and Innovative Solutions

COLLABORATION

COORDINATING W/ LOCAL STAKEHOLDERS

COORDINATION W/ INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

NATIONAL GOVERNMENT

Safranbolu is dedicated to sustainable development by focusing on reducing emissions and improving energy efficiency. The municipality aims to expand green spaces, enhance waste management, and promote renewable energy sources. These initiatives are part of Safranbolu's broader strategy to foster a livable and eco-friendly environment while strengthening resilience against climate change.

Safranbolu is embracing sustainable energy solutions, focusing on solar power to reduce carbon emissions and support clean energy initiatives. The town also utilizes biomass energy, leveraging local agricultural waste. These efforts align with Safranbolu's commitment to eco-friendly practices and sustainability, contributing to a greener future.

#### **POTENCIAL AREAS**

REDUCING EMISSIONS

SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

SOLAR POWER



## **Implementation of Sustainable Projects**



Sustainable Agriculture Project (2022)



**Sustainable Tourism Project (2022)** 



Hilal Yılmaz Ersoy

Project Expert

**Cultural and Social Affairs Directorate** 

hilalyilmaz80@gmail.com

www.safranbolu.bel.tr

instagram.com/sadranbolubld/





@eu4energytransitiontr



@eu4energytransitiontr



@EU4EnergyTR



