

Giuseppina Montanari, Councilor for Environmental Sustainability- Rome City Council

Giuseppina Montanari, Councilor for Environmental Sustainability, pointed out how the challenge of environmental sustainability can only be met if cities decide to undertake the goal of becoming sustainable. Investments in cities are needed in order to cut emissions. The “Sustainable Energy and Climate Plan” concerns actions to be taken with regard to buildings in order to help them meet consumption reduction targets, cities are an all-important intersection. And this focus on the environment also generates economic opportunities. The new “green economy” can be a flywheel of major interest for the country’s economic recovery. Willingness to take part in events like today’s in order to work out together the methodologies to be applied was also highlighted.