



France-Monaco cooperation

The Principality of Monaco and the Metropole Nice Côte d'Azur wanted to set up a **specific cooperation programme in digital innovation and economic development**. This was formalised by the signing a cooperation framework agreement on 24 June 2015 during the Innovative City trade show in Nice.

The cooperation areas in this **Framework Agreement** concern:

- ♥ Digital cross-border development and the necessary infrastructure to deploy it
- ♥ Testing and researching Smart City solutions,
- ♥ Developing both the economy and appeal of digital urban areas.

Ongoing projects:

- ♥ **Building a secure cross-border Super-Fast Broadband (SFB)** between the Metropole Nice Côte d'Azur's data-centre and that of the Monaco to facilitate trade, particularly for operating shared-interest data warehouses
- ♥ **A bilateral agreement** of programmes focusing on **implementing the SFB connection** must be in place by the first half of 2017
- ♥ **An experiment in the mobility sector**, currently under development, to counter to the problem of daily commuting traffic between the two territories but also to manage tourist traffic and the increase in the fleet of logistics vehicles (exponential growth with the development of e-commerce). This experiment aims to be operational in the medium term. **The first project** will be to implement an app for motorists, as a **'real-time mobility companion'**

Objectives:

- ▶ **Create a permanent, secure digital link between the two territories**
- ▶ **Strengthen the digital appeal of these two territories**
- ▶ **Improve the quality of journeys on the road system between Metropole Nice Côte d'Azur and**

Key figures

5 Different ways commuting between Nice & Monaco (car, carpooling, 2 wheels, train, bus)



37 Km of fibre optic cables will be laid between Nice & Monaco



> 40 People from the 2 local authorities working together on **4** workshops **2** working groups

Schedule

2017

Year end

Mobility experiment – Mobile app as a deliverable

2nd quarter

Installing a cross-border SFB link;



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