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Eau de Paris Adopts Hexagon Mapping Solution

To Serve as the Technological Foundation for Agricultural Aid Project

PARIS, France, 13 May 2020 – Eau de Paris, France's leading public water company, has partnered with Hexagon to provide the technological solution for the largest agricultural aid project in the country's history. With € 46 million in funding, and more than 200 participating farms, Eau de Paris is revolutionizing the development of agricultural systems by enhancing the protection of the resources in the catchment areas supplying Paris. This marks the first time any French water service has adopted a system of financial aid for agricultural holdings, and with any luck, this project will serve as the model for future cities wishing to follow the company's lead.

Utilizing Hexagon's M.App Enterprise solution, Eau de Paris is able to guide farmers step by step through the process of remaining compliant throughout the length of their contracts (typically six to seven years). This allows the company to both control and manage the agricultural aid they grant as well as evaluate the degree to which farmers meet a series of benchmarks, including: remaining organic, limiting the use of fertilizers and pesticides, and developing grasslands. As a result, Eau de Paris receives – via the M App Enterprise solution – monitoring tables and configured forms, which allows them to study how projects are progressing.

"With a project of this size and magnitude, it is important that we have the right tools to properly monitor our stakeholder's progress," said Célia Blauel, president of Eau de Paris. "By focusing our efforts around mapcentric technology, we can track developments of our farmers in real time."

This partnership is made all the more impressive by the fact that Eau de Paris was working on a four-month timeline to implement a platform capable of integrating farmers' requests as well as supplying alphanumeric and graphic information. The M.App Enterprise solution does just that by providing Eau de Paris & the Agence de l'Eau de Seine Normandie (a financial stakeholder) with maps, dashboards & specific workflows. The solution works by generating a user experience that simplifies the process and allows all parties to focus on what matters most: creating and maintaining sustainable agricultural systems.

With more than three-million daily users and over nine-hundred employees, Eau de Paris required a solution to let them to effectively juggle the myriad of responsibilities they have to their workers, their customers, and the planet. Thankfully, the M.App Enterprise solution provides the company with information they need to ensure this project is sustainable, too. If all goes well, this project could very well spark a revitalization in sustainable farming amongst governments and farmers across France.

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