

# **Zero-Emission Inner City Distribution**



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## TransMission Introduction

### •High density multi drop distribution network

- Parcels, Pallets, General Cargo 1 Process
- Overnight pick-up & delivery
- Benelux every day everywhere
- Inner city & High Street
- Business Areas and Home Deliveries
- Lots of Extra Services

### •Customers

- SME Trade & Industry
- Large International companies

### •Figures

- 1.200 staff
- 15.000 shipments/day
- 450 vans & trucks

### •Structure – Family owned

- 11 Depots NL shareholders
- 2 Depots NL owned
- 4 Depots BE partners
- 1 Small Central HQ

### •Quality & Service = Contract

- People with passion en affinity
- 100% Transparant quality
- Flexible en creative



# TransMission Inner City Distribution

### Challenges

- •Traffic Congestion
- Noise
- •Pollution (CO<sub>2</sub> & NO<sub>x</sub>)
- •Safety
- •"Quality of Inner Cities"



**City of Utrecht** 

### **Environmental Zone**

### •The Solution

- •One frustrated entrepreneur
- •In lengthy "working"- group sessions
- •In the right position
- •At the right time









# Concept



- Receiving, cross docking, loading
- On time delivery of shipments
- Collections, returns and empty packaging
- Open EDI to connect multiple supply chains

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- Warehousing for retailers
- Neutral branding to attract all carriers

**Cross Chain Control Center for Inner City Distribution** 









## **Key Success Factors**

Location

- Volume parcels & pallets
- Vehicles
- •High level IT with low level detail
- Sponsor
- Project champion
- Perseverance
- Marketing



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**Integrated Approach Required** 





# Location

## Availability

- •Suitable
- •Costs
- Logistics not sexy
- •Traffic
- Site redevelopment
- Planning Permission





Local Government has task in land use/site planning







#### Heavy loads option:

- Fully electric truck
- 12 5 net
- 15 7 net
- 18 10 net
- Classical design
- Range limits!



# Volume

- 1. Food
- 2. Food services
- 3. Construction
- 4. Waste collection
- 5. Own account
- 6. Parcels/Pallets
- 7. Couriers





Food & food services, construction and waste are the biggest flows



#### **Cargohopper II**

- 75 kms range
- 2,500 kg net payload
- 50 kms/hr speed
- 10 Europallets
- 16 rolcontainers
- 21,5 Cbm
- Width 1,75m

## Vehicles

- Range
- Loading Capacity
- Speed
- Specifications
- Availability
- Regulations
- Exemptions





Milan LEZ : via exempt blue and yellow roads close to inner city

# Maximum range requires proximity to inner city





### **Cargohopper – Cost**

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### Electric more expensive than diesel

**Cost Factor Electric over Diesel** 

#### **Option:**

- Solar Power
- Integrated roof panels
- Loading whilst operating
- Range extension 15%
- Really zero-emission





But highest payload per € investment





### **Cargohopper most efficient**





# Cargohopper – Cost/Benefit Analysis

- Benefits befall to Society
  - Clean where it matters
  - Silent
  - Safe
  - Friendly
  - Huge improvement in living quality
- Extra investment costs need to be offset
- No operational subsidies

### **Local Government Policy**







### Conclusions

- Fulfill Key Succes Factors
  - People, Process, Policy & Technology

•Cargohopper gives best net payload/€

•Solar power option to go the extra mile



•No abstract policy, white paper or vague future



100% Zero-emission Inner City Distribution Is possible – today!





### Thank you

### **Questions?**

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