



Dar Chaabane El Fehri : 24/01/2024

## Supporting Message

Within the framework of the openness of the municipality of Dar Chaabane El Fehri to global and local initiatives keen on transparency and the values of good government, and in the context of our pledges within the local program for open government. We affirm our desire, as an active administration, and civil society that support municipal work, to nominate for the Global Initiative for Open Government Partnership with the aim of developing the capabilities of our municipality and training our agents and advisors with the aim of developing and improving our performance in the field of open government and bringing information closer and making it available to the citizen through various means, including digital platforms, social media platforms, and direct meetings.

**In Charge Of Running The Municipality**

**Hassene Jerbi**

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To Whom It May Concern,

When eight governments and nine civil society leaders launched OGP in 2011, no one expected it to reach its current size and scope. However, over the last ten years, OGP has grown in ways that have exceeded expectations. Therefore, as a civil society leader, I would like to recommend Dar Chaaban Elfehri Municipality for membership at OGP. In fact, Mr Hassene Jerbi, who has been in charge of the Municipality administration since May 2023, has been working hard to promote open governance as well as participative democracy. During that time, officers at the municipal administration have worked hand in hand with civil society leaders, and have proven themselves to be extremely skilled in several areas of local governance, and have been motivated to carry out certain improvements and changes. As a matter of fact, officials from the municipal administration and members and some civil society leaders have taken part in OGP Week events, public debates, workshops, webinars, training sessions, web events and meetings, concerning "Access to Information". Geographic Information System or GIS, communication with citizens and local community, as a whole, through social communication networks and specialized digital platforms. Therefore, we would like to carry on working harder and harder aiming to co-creating more ambitious reforms that will tackle the most pressing challenges, especially on the local level.

It is with great pleasure that I write this letter of recommendation on behalf of such a deserving municipality. Please, if you require any further information, do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely, Rafik MAJDHOUB