Košice: Government approved EUR 60 mill. from eurofunds for the European Cultural Capital project

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EUR 60 mill. from eurofunds will be used for execution of the investment projects European cultural capital (ECC); a new priority package will be created within the operational programme. The resources will be allocated from 5 operational programmes. This was the decision of government. František Knapík, mayor of Košice sees this as excellent news as ECC is not a project only of the city but also of the entire region. "The most significant projects include reconstruction of barracks to culture park, reconstruction of amphitheatre, old swimming-pool, city park, Moyzesova park, St. Agnes cathedral as well as construction of Blue park nearby the river Hornád. Košice self-governing region has prepared 2 large investment projects - Ostrov kultúry (Island of Culture) for EUR 10 mill. and Terra incognita for EUR 1,75 mill.

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