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Shaping mobility in West Palm Beach

West Palm Beach recently brought together planners, engineers, community leaders, and private-sector partners from across the greater Miami region - all united around one goal: creating a safer, more connected mobility future.

During the Think Bike Workshop, hosted by the Dutch Cycling Embassy, participants sketched bold ideas for cycling infrastructure. On paper, the city began to shift: streets realigned, intersections opened up, and mobility flows became something tangible and collaborative.

That analogue creativity set the stage for the next layer of insight. In the Impact Implementation course, those same sketches were translated into a dynamic digital environment. With support from Scenexus and the predictive-modelling digital twin, the group could immediately explore the effects of different design choices - from congestion and air quality to accessibility and long-term value.

This combination of hands-on design, data-driven modelling and Dutch mobility expertise accelerated alignment among policymakers. Shared scenarios, shared dashboards, and shared understanding helped clarify decisions that would normally take months.

By contributing its integral design perspective and experience in future-proof mobility planning, Movares helped connect inspiration to implementation - showing how thoughtful engineering and advanced modelling can guide cities toward resilient, people-centered mobility systems.

Strengthening Sport and Mobility on Curaçao

In November 2025, Movares took part in the trade mission to Curaçao, combined with the International Sports Week Summit. It was a week in which sport, mobility, and social development took center stage. Curaçao has a strong sports culture but also faces mobility challenges due to growing spatial developments. During the mission, Movares shared its expertise in mobility advisory services and integrated mobility studies to help contribute to sustainable solutions for the island.

For 15 years, Movares has proudly contributed to Curaçao's infrastructure and mobility solutions. We remain committed to creating environments in which sport is not just a form of recreation, but the backbone of healthier and better-connected communities.

The Caribbean Sports Week began with a historic moment: Curaçao qualified for the FIFA World Cup 2026™. In addition, the delegation, together with FDDK, visited various school sports facilities, gaining insight into the link between sport and education on the island.

During the conference, local and international experts came together around themes such as inclusion, sustainability, data, and infrastructure. The presence of ministers from Curaçao and Aruba underscored the importance of a strong sports ecosystem within the Kingdom.

The week concluded with the Special Olympics Kingdom Games, where athletes from the Netherlands and all six islands came together. Movares looks forward to further deepening the valuable conversations and collaborations emerging from this mission.

Advancing Sustainable Mobility Together in Japan

A recent visit to Japan, together with the Dutch Cycling Embassy and the Netherlands Enterprise Agency (RVO), offered a powerful glimpse into the country's growing ambition for active and sustainable mobility. Across multiple cities and conversations, we explored opportunities for long-term collaboration with national ministries, municipalities, and local partners.

The journey began at the World Expo in Osaka, where we joined a panel discussion at the Dutch pavilion alongside Vice Minister Afke van Rijn. It proved an energizing moment of exchange with representatives from government, academia, and the private sector. A second panel with landscape architects deepened the dialogue and helped shape a shared outlook on future mobility.

From Osaka, the delegation travelled to Matsuyama for a third panel session attended by several mayors from Shikoku island. The discussions signaled a noticeable shift in thinking - from car-oriented planning toward people-focused, long-lasting infrastructure that supports livable, sustainable cities.

A bike tour through Matsuyama, part of the city's preparations for hosting Velo-city 2027, highlighted the strong cycling culture already present. The workshop that followed underscored the long-term value of cycle-friendly design and the importance of international knowledge exchange in strengthening healthy, resilient urban environments.