



## **LONG-TERM IMPACT OF THE 1978 EARTHQUAKE ON THE TOWN OF ALBSTADT, GERMANY**

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25 years ago, an earthquake of magnitude 5.7 occurred in the Swabian Jura in the southwest of Germany, affecting mainly the town of Albstadt, an economical sound municipality of 50000 inhabitants. It will be investigated whether direct impacts of the earthquake are still visible, and to what extent the present townscape may be swayed by measures triggered by the earthquake event.