“PASSAGE” project - Local stakeholder group meeting

CORFU, Wednesday 19 July 2017

Venue: Region of Ionian Islands, Regional Unit of Corfu
(former Prefecture building, Mantzarou 10 & Samara str.)

AGENDA (draft)

09:15 - 09:30 Registration of stakeholders

09:30 – 09:45 Welcoming speech REGION OF IONIAN ISLANDS

09:45 – 10:00 The regional policies for Climate Change (Strait of Corfu)
Ms Koula KIRIAKI, REGION OF IONIAN ISLANDS

10:00 – 10:15 The regional policies for Climate Change (Strait of Otranto)
Mr Carmelo CALAMIA, PROVINCE OF LECCE

10:15 – 10:40 Presentation of the PASSAGE project: Objectives, Action Plan
Mr Nikolas PETROPOULOS, INNOPOLIS

10:40 – 11:45 PRACTICES AND POLICIES FOR CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PEOPLE:
National Strategy for Adaptation to Climate Change (ESPKA)
Mr Dimitris NIAVIS, MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE DEPT.

The Green Fund of Greece (Prasino Tameio)
Ms Spyridoula NTEMIRI, Climate Change Expert, LIFE GREEK TASK FORCE

Zero Energy Buildings (ZEB)
Mr Aris PAPADOPOULOS, Managing director ZEB

“Green your move” project
Dr Georgios SAHARIDIS, Assistant professor, UNIVERSITY OF THESSALY-DEPT. OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING, Coordinator of GREEN YOUR MOVE project

11:45 – 12:00 Coffee break

12:00 – 12:15 The policy instrument of CBC GREECE-ITALY Programme
Mr George SIMOS, MANAGING AUTHORITY of INTERREG PROGRAMMES

12:30 – 13:30 ROUND TABLE: Reflections towards influencing the CBC for the benefit of the climate and people by Albanian, Italian and Greek stakeholders

13:30 – 14:00 Conclusions

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LIST OF STAKEHOLDERS (indicative)

ITALY
➢ Region Puglia
➢ Euro-Mediterranean Centre on Climate Change (CMCC)
➢ University of Salento
➢ Polytechnic of Bari
➢ City of Lecce
➢ Chamber of Commerce of Lecce

GREECE
➢ Managing Authority CBC GREECE-ITALY
➢ Ministry of Environment & Energy of Greece, Climate Change Department
➢ City of Corfu
➢ Port of Corfu
➢ Port of Igoumenitsa
➢ Airport of Corfu
➢ Technical Chamber of Greece - Corfu branch
➢ Chamber of Corfu
➢ Economic Chamber of Greece – Regional Dept. of Ionian Islands
➢ Green Fund of Greece
➢ Green your move project
➢ ZEB

ALBANIA
➢ AULEDA, Local Economic Development Agency, Vlore

Scope of the stakeholders meeting

The purpose of this meeting is to provide a forum for the discussion of the low-carbon economy related issues in the straits of Otranto and Corfu, in the framework of the PASSAGE project, which is co-funded by the Interreg Europe programme (https://www.interregeurope.eu/passage).

The meeting aims at sharing PASSAGE project with the stakeholders identified in the area of intervention. After the PASSAGE presentation (objectives, methodology, chrono-program) and the introduction of opportunities in the field of low-carbon economy for the maritime regions and the policies for mitigation/adaptation to climate change targeted by the project, a panel discussion will be opened.

The stakeholders will have the opportunity to contribute in creating, alongside the partners of PASSAGE project (Region of Ionian Islands, InnoPolis, Province of Lecce and Regional Council of Vlora), an Action plan which will be developed to influence the main policy instrument i.e. the Cross Border Cooperation GREECE-ITALY Programme, for the benefit of the inhabitants of the straits of Otranto and Corfu.

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