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Applicable to the Strand 2 – Measure 2.2 "Networks of Towns"

5 events have been carried out within this project:

Event 1

Participation: The event involved 155 citizens, including 58 participants from the city of Czarna Dabrowka (**Poland**), 21 participants from the city of Tuchomie (**Poland**), 12 participants from the city of Pontgibaud (**France**), 13 participants from the city of Ustka (**Poland**), 16 participants from the city of Lipova-lazne (**Czech Republic**), 11 participants from the city of Morawica (**Poland**), 5 participants from the city of Almuñecar (**Spain**), 19 participants from the city of Marzano Appio (**Italy**).

Location / Dates: The event took place in **Andrychów, Poland**, from 26/07/2021 to 31/07/2021

Short description: The aim of the event was to share experiences and knowledge on volunteering and social engagement, to foster the cross-fertilisation of actions at European level, to exchange good practices, to boost integration and sharing between participants and local community, to foster a sense of European citizenship through integrational activities, to raise the level of debate involving regional/national PA, to directly involve participants through debates.

Event 2

Participation: The event involved 162 citizens, including 46 participants from the city of Czarna Dabrowka (**Poland**), 24 participants from the city of Tuchomie (**Poland**), 13 participants from the city of Pontgibaud (**France**), 23 participants from the city of Ustka (**Poland**), 12 participants from the city of Lipova-lazne (**Czech Republic**), 19 participants from the city of Morawica (**Poland**), 3 participants from the city of Almuñecar (**Spain**), 22 participants from the city of Marzano Appio (**Italy**).

Location / Dates: The event took place in **Czarna Dabrowka**, from 27/09/2021 to 2/10/2021

Short description: The aim of the event was to set a common field of discussion among delegations, allowing to highlight commonalities in the relationship between volunteering organisations and PA, to trigger the reflection on how different levels of authority may act towards given problems, to exchange best practices, to foster the local dimension of the project through integrational activities with locals, to create space for member of the civil society and public authorities to meet and work together, to create group and facilitate an informal environment, to allow the plain exchange of point of views among participants, to foster the multilevel debate on the needs and actions of both sides (PA and organisations), to highlight the need for a more effective communication among all the actors of the civil society, to inform participants of national policies for volunteering.

Event 3

Participation: The event involved 160 citizens, including , including 13 participants from the city of Czarna Dabrowka (**Poland**), 9 participants from the city of Tuchomie (**Poland**), 6 participants from the city of Pontgibaud (**France**), 6 participants from the city of Ustka (**Poland**), 6 participants from the city of Lipova-lazne (**Czech Republic**), 8 participants from the city of Morawica (**Poland**), 4 participants from the city of Almuñecar (**Spain**), 108 participants from the city of Marzano Appio (**Italy**).

Location / Dates: The event took place in **Marzano Appio, Italy**, from 27/02/2023 to 02/03/2023

Short description: The aim of the event was to foster integration among delegates and locals through active participation in the organisation and management of key activities ((logistics, cultural tours, practical activities), to allow partners to exchange experiences, strategies and practices of resilience, to

exchange best practices with local organisations, to strengthen the bonds among participants and between delegates and local citizens, to foster integration, to trigger the reflection on the causes of deprivation of solidarity around Europe, to give space for the effective sharing of experiences, to disseminate SHINE outside the local boundaries, to achieve knowledge of local culture, to create actions for cross-border cooperation among the partners.

Event 4

Participation: The event involved 157 citizens, including , including 16 participants from the city of Czarna Dabrowka (**Poland**), 7 participants from the city of Tuchomie (**Poland**), 7 participants from the city of Pontgibaud (**France**), 9 participants from the city of Ustka (**Poland**), 8 participants from the city of Lipova-lazne (**Czech Republic**), 8 participants from the city of Morawica (**Poland**), 5 participants from the city of Almuñecar (**Spain**), 97 participants from the city of Marzano Appio (**Italy**).

Location / Dates: The event took place in **San Pietro Infine, Italy**, from 04/03/2023 to 10/03/2023

Short description: The aim of the event was to offer training to volunteers, delegates and locals on EU policies for volunteering and funding programmes, to effectively engage participants in writing new project proposals at EU level, to get the participants to know the process of submission of a funding proposal, to produce content and impact outside the boundary of the partnership, to achieve knowledge of local culture and of the functioning of local associations, to exchange practices on the use of EU funding, to foster the use of ITC and innovative techniques for the management of volunteering actions and exchange of experiences, to integrate locals, to allow participants and locals to share their experiences, to create a common scheme at networking and international level to support the innovation and quality improvement inside volunteering associations, to foster the bonding of informal contacts among delegates and locals.

Event 5

Participation: The event involved 256 citizens, including , including 55 participants from the city of Czarna Dabrowka (**Poland**), 44 participants from the city of Tuchomie (**Poland**), 23 participants from the city of Pontgibaud (**France**), 41 participants from the city of Ustka (**Poland**), 24 participants from the city of Lipova-lazne (**Czech Republic**), 35 participants from the city of Morawica (**Poland**), 9 participants from the city of Almuñecar (**Spain**), 25 participants from the city of Marzano Appio (**Italy**).

Location / Dates: The event took place in **Lipnica Wielka, Poland**, from 24/03/2023 to 29/03/2023

Short description: The aim of the event was to offer training to volunteers, delegates and locals on EU innovative tools for solidarity and volunteering, to produce content and impact outside the boundary of the partnership, to foster the integration of delegations and local citizens, to exchange best practices and meet with local volunteers for the cross-fertilisation of practices, to directly involve locals in the management of logistics and activities, to raise awareness of Project's results, impacts, products and outputs among a wider audience, to allow participants and locals to share their experiences, to start together the draft of the project's final report, to lay the groundwork for future initiatives.