# Program

#### **THURSDAY 12 DECEMBER**

**Arrival of participants** 

Check-in Hotel

**Presentations** 

20:00 - Welcome dinner

### **FRIDAY 13 DECEMBER**

**08:45** - Transfer from the hotel to Valleta Design Cluster

09:30 - Project presentation

**09:40** - Presentation of the participants

**09:45** - Workshop on practical skills for the promotion of sustainable practices at home and in the community - presentations by representatives from each country:

PORTUGAL – SPAIN – SLOVAKIA – LATVIA – GREECE SLOVENIA – HUNGARY – BULGARIA – ITALY – FRANCE LITHUANIA

13:00 - Lunch at Nenu The Artisan Baker Restaurant

15:00 - Cultural Visits in Valleta:

- · Co-cathedral of Saint Paul
- Upper Baraka Gardens
- Christmas Markets

18:00 - Return to the hotel

20:30 - Dinner

### **SATURDAY 14 DECEMBER**

**09:00** - Transfer from the hotel to Sala Tal-Parrocca in Dingli

10:00 - Opening - Welcome words by:

Mr. Raymond Schembri Mayor of Dingli (Malta) – host partner

Mr. Rui Ventura – Mayor of Pinhel (Portugal) – promoter partner

10:15 - Presentation of Dingli & Malta by Mr. Shawn Tanti, Executive Secretary of Dingli

10:30 - Cooperation and solidarity in the transition towards a sustainable Europe by Ms. Miriam Dalli, Minister for the Environment, Energy and Regeneration of the Grand Harbour

11:00 - Coffee Break

11:30 - Meeting with NGO - Mr. Brendan Tanti - Maltese good practice on the field of sustainability

**12:00** - Cultural visit to the city centre of Dingli - Group Picture

13:00 - Lunch at Kazin Banda

**15:00** - Visiting the historical site of Dingli Cliffs & the ancient capital of Malta, Mdina

**20:00** - Introduction of the next meeting in Alimos (Greece)

21:00 - Dinner

### **SUNDAY 15 DECEMBER**

- · Breakfast at the hotel
- Check-out
- Departure of the participants

## Events

**EVENT 1**PINHEL (Portugal)
18-21 February 2024



**EVENT 4**ALIMOS (Grecia)
24-27 February 2025



EVENT 2
SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA (Spain)
3-6 November 2024



**EVENT 5**BUDAPEST (Hungary)
27-30 April 2025



EVENT 3
DINGLI (Malta)
12-15 December 2024



**EVENT 6**SOFÍA (Bulgary)
15-18 June 2025



### Participating COUNTRIES



GREETINGS PROGRAM EVENTS PROJECT

entire life process of the initiative.

The project will have a strong impact both locally and at the European level, thanks to the cooperation of the participating localities, together with the territory throughout the

ooperation

During each of the events, there will be seminars, round tables, debates on the themes adopted, workshops, conferences with political representatives, case studies, exchange of practices, planning moments for future projects, cultural visits to museums, public entities, social and cultural, as well as foundations and MGOs with social purposes and documentary projections... which will have the objective of raising public opinion on the values of environmental protection, democracy, active participation, solidarity and

In collaboration with 13 entities belonging to 13 different countries of the European Union: Holland, Slovenia, Spain, Italy, France, Malta, Greece, Slovakia, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria, Lithuania and Latvia; The project will be held over a period of 20 months by holding 6 events.

In line with the objectives of the CERV program, the project intends to promote the exchange of good local practices with other European citizens around the thematic proposal through intercultural dialogue, give the opportunity to discover other European realities, reinforce active participation in their peoples and support a society based on European values such as solidarity and cooperation. The strong point of the project is the representation of a current issue, which is key on the EU agenda.

climate and environmental challenges into opportunities.

The "GREEngaged Citizens" Project is an initiative promoted by the Municipality of Pinhel, Portugal, whose goal is to place municipalities and local entities at the center of climate action, transforming



# Partnership



GREECE Dimos Alimou



MALTA Kunsili Lokali Dingli



SPAIN Asociacion Cultural Enrédate



HUNGARY Budapest Fovaros Xiv Kerulet Zuglo Onkormanyzata



THE NETHERLANDS



FRANCE



LATVIA Jelgavas Novada Pasvaldiba



SLOVAKIA Mesto Fil'akovo



BULGARIA Asotsiatsia Za Kulturen Obmen I Razvitie Na Lichnostta Vav Vsyaka Vazrast



LITHUANIA Kauno Tvirtoves Parkas







ITALY

### **Raymond Schembri** Ingli

Sincerely,

Once again, a heartfelt welcome to Dingli! May your time here be both productive and enjoyable, and may this conference pave the way for lasting partnerships and meaningful collaborations.

As you immerse yourselves in these important discussions, we encourage you to explore the unique charm and warm hospitality of Dingli. Our town is steeped in rich history and offers a welcoming environment that we're proud to share with our esteemed guests.



We sincerely hope that this event will serve as a breeding ground for innovative ideas and the exchange of best practices among young leaders, educators, entrepreneurs, and artists from all corners of Europe. The conversations and the bonds that unite us as European citizens. By sharing experiences, engaging in meaningful discussions, and driving collective action, we can work together to make and driving sollective action, and can work a greener and more sustainable place.

sustainability across Europe.

Though Malta may be small, our dedication to the European Green Deal and the transition to sustainable energy is unwavering. We're incredibly proud of the proactive steps we've taken and the strategic initiatives we've launched to position Malta as a key player in promoting environmental

It's a true honor to welcome you all to Dingli on behalf of our wonderful community. As we gather for this crucial conference under the Metwork of Cities initiative, generously supported by the European Commission, we're excited to delve into the critical topics of climate change and sustainable action. This gathering truly reflects our shared commitment to building a better future for our planet.

Dear Esteemed Delegates and Participants,

#### Promoter:



Host:







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### GREENGAGED CITIZENS:

## EUROPEAN NETWORK FOR LOCAL CLIMATE ACTION

**CERV Programme**Network of Towns

**EVENT III**Dingli (Malta)