

18th EUROPEAN WEEK of REGIONS and CITIES

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Welcome to the workshop “Local action for biodiversity”

- Please rename yourself indicating your name and country (e.g. Paolo Rossi IT)
- Please keep your microphone muted
- Questions can be written at any moment in the chat in three languages, no other interaction is foreseen
- Choose a channel for language: EN – FR – ES

Bienvenue dans l’atelier “Action locale pour la biodiversité »

- Merci de vous renommer en indiquant votre nom et votre pays (exemple : Paolo Rossi IT)
- Gardez votre microphone coupé
- Les questions peuvent être posées à tout moment par écrit dans le « chat » en trois langues, il n’y aura pas d’autre forme d’interaction
- Choisissez un canal pour l’interprétation dans votre langue : EN – FR – ES

Bienvenidos al taller “Acción local por la biodiversidad”

- Por favor, renómbrese en la plataforma, indicando su nombre y su país (por ejem.: Paolo Rossi IT)
- Mantenga su micrófono inactivo
- Las preguntas pueden ser formuladas en todo momento por escrito a través del chat en las tres lenguas del taller. No se realizará ningún otro tipo de interacción.
- Escoja un canal para la interpretación en su lengua: EN-FR-ES



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Local action for biodiversity

DG MARE - FARNET Support Unit

22 October 2020. 11h30-13h



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Aims of the workshop:

- Illustrate the importance of acting at the local level for enhancing biodiversity
- Underline that local action for biodiversity can combine sustainability with economic development
 - Job creation
 - Increased income
 - More sustainable and competitive local Small Scale Coastal Fleet, etc.



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CLLD

Community-Led Local Development

**TERRITORY
PARTNERSHIP
LOCAL STRATEGY**

FLAG

Fisheries Local Action Group



What is FARNET? www.farnet.eu

Transnational seminars



Effective local projects for a sustainable Mediterranean and Black Sea

At the initiative of DG MARE, the FARNET Support Unit is for the first time in an online format organising its 11th transnational seminar for FLAGs from the Mediterranean and Black Sea. It will focus on some of the common challenges faced in these sea basins such as the viability and sustainability of fisheries, aquaculture and tourism in Mediterranean and Black Sea.



Better local strategies around the Baltic and Inland Seas

FARNET transnational seminar for Baltic and Inland Seas



Smart coastal areas: Resourceful

Tuesday, 2 April, 2019 - 09:00 to Thursday, 4 April, 2019

FARNET's 8th transnational seminar took place for FLAG managers to explore ways in which their FLAG can be more resourceful and innovative. It was an opportunity for FLAG managers to share their imaginative ideas to tackle existing challenges. It was also a chance to look at the future.



Converting a former mining area into a recreational and professional space for fisheries

17/09/2020

Germany , Promotion, Tourism, Circular economy, Society and culture, Infrastructure

Supported by the South Leipzig FLAG, the dynamic redevelopment of former coal mining area into recreational and professional 'fishing base' will improve fisheries production and further develop local tourism in the Störmthal lake region.

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Reinstating wetlands and pike spawning grounds on the Stockholm archipelago

04/09/2020

Sweden , Tourism, Environment, Water quality, Integrated coastal management, Infrastructure

To restore natural balance to ecosystems on the Swedish archipelago, the Stockholmsbygd FLAG has supported an initiative aimed at reinstating coastal wetlands in an effort to increase pike stocks. Key predators in the Baltic, pike are essential to maintaining biodiversity and healthy waters in the area.

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Transferring CLLD to Tunisian fishing communities

10/07/2020

Italy , Pesca-tourism, Governance, Complementary funding, Cultural heritage, Education and training

An Italian FLAG and its partners access funds from EASME Sustainable Blue Economy call to support fishing communities in Tunisia develop their capacity to implement community-led local development (CLLD).

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Reviving the fisheries sector by promoting direct sales

09/07/2020

France , Aquaculture, Business support, Promotion, Short supply chains, Fisheries, Society and culture, Cultural heritage, Education and training

To support the economic revival of the local fishing sector, the FLAG of the Hauts-de-France region have launched a weekly column of direct sales.

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**Local Action for Biodiversity
Summary programme**



11h30: EU Biodiversity Strategy for 2030 - Bringing nature back into our lives European Commission. Mr Fabio Pirotta (DG ENV) and Ms Dovile Vaigauskaite (DG MARE)

11h40: FLAG's actions contributing to the European Green Deal and the EU's 2030 Strategy for Biodiversity. Janne Posti, Senior Fisheries Expert, FARNET Support Unit.

11h50: Questions and Answers.

12h05: Project presentation. Reinstating wetlands and pike spawning grounds on the Stockholm archipelago. Thomas Hjelm, Stockholmsbygd FLAG, Sweden.

12h15: Project presentation. Delfines de Tramuntana
Buscar sinergias con el sector pesquero para observar la interacción con los delfines del Alt Empordà. Francesc Galí Llorens, Costa Brava FLAG, Spain.

12h30: Project presentation. 'Tarta-Tur': Protecting turtles and dolphin in the Northern Adriatic Coast. Mr Paolo Valeri, FLAG VeGAL, Veneto, Italy.

12h45: Questions and Answers

13h: End of workshop.

