

Casalvecchio Siculo Municipality (Italy)

Town Twinning project - Description

“Solidarity in time of crisis: citizens ask for renew the values of Europe”

Casalvecchio Siculo Municipality (IT) promoted a Town Twinning between different municipalities and Organizations from Italy, Malta, Spain, Slovakia, Poland and Latvia.

The project titled “Solidarity in time of crisis: citizens ask for renew the values of Europe”, the venue was Casalvecchio Siculo from 15 to 21 January 2020, intended to develop new practice, policies and tools related Solidarity in time of Crisis and to create a strong and lasting relationship, in order to found a structured long-term solution to the common matters.

The idea from which the project was born is the grundnorm of EU, which is Solidarity, in order to improve the permanent and annual priorities of Europe for citizens programme reflecting on the concept of Solidarity, the added value of EU intervention, and its decisive role when national responses are insufficient.

The project brought together citizens, local, regional and European politics, experts and representatives of the third sector, foundations, and the most relevant stakeholder to discuss and compare, each of them debating around one specific resource essential for the good understanding of Solidarity.

The sign of brotherhood Oath was an occasion to create a long lasting cooperation and a solid friendship and to assure that the citizens will feel more European.

In the work program scheduled different activities using new and innovative working methods: meeting, workshop, public debates, seminar, brainstorming, exchanges of opinions, discussions and comparison, Intercultural evenings, visits and other activities that will be opportunities for communication, including different target group and the most relevant stakeholders, local authorities and civil society organizations, by promoting intercultural dialogue, knowledge and values, constructive comparison of views and mutual enrichment.