

# **EVENT FOLLOW-UP REPORT**

Participation to the event "The role of ports in the context of the European Green Deal: concrete results from EU projects" held in Ravenna on May 19th, 2022.





## Event summary

Type of event	Online and physical
Location	Ravenna
Date of the event	12 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Time/Duration	1 hours
Purpose of the event (What was	Highlight the role of ports in the context of the European Green
the objective?)	Deal, promoting the concrete results achieved thanks to EU projects.
Short description of the event (what happened during the	The event was organized in the frameworks of the European Maritime Day 2022 which took place in Ravenna.
event?)	The SUSPORT project was highlighted during the presentation of the "PIXEL" project made by the Port Network Authority of the
	Eastern Adriatic Sea. The presentation was held within the Stakeholder Workshop "The
	role of ports in the context of the European Green Deal: concrete
	results from EU projects" organized by the European Climate,
	Infrastructure and Environment Executive Agency (CINEA). The PIXEL project has been funded by the Horizon 2020
	programme and its main focus was to develop useful tools to
	monitor and organize port operations while reducing the
	environmental impact of port activities, thanks to the extended use of IOT technology.
	As both projects are focused in the environmental sustainability of port-related activities, the Port Network Authority of the Eastern
	Adriatic Sea, LP of the SUSPORT, introduced the scope of the
	project and the preliminary results, highlighting the importance of EU funds to sustain the green activities of ports.
Results/Outcomes of the event	The cross-fertilization workshop highlighted the most important
(What are the takeaways from	challenges that ports are facing to minimize the environmental
the event?)	impact of their activities, sharing best practices and innovative
	solutions that can be adopted in ports. The event witnessed the important role of EU funds in promoting a greener world.
Number of attendees	212 (registered)



Туре	of	stakeholders/target	Research, Marine and scientific institution and academia, por
groups	s that	were represented	authorities and regional and European policy makers.

#### Agenda:

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#### HYBRID STAKEHOLDERS WORKSHOPS

#### ③ 14:00-15:00

- Pala de André Workshop Room 3 (Ground floor)
- 212 participants signed up for this session

#### DESCRIPTION:

For EMD Ravenna we had selected 24 high-quality workshops. They ran in parallel in 6 time slots. This slot included 4 virtual workshops taking place on-site and on Zoom.

> Theme of this parallel workshop: Decarbonisation & Climate neutrality.

It was organized by the European Climate, Infrastructure and Environment Executive Agency.

#### Description of the workshop:

The workshop will present how EU funded programmes, such as CEF, Horizon 2020, EMFF, and LIFE can help position ports as key players in a sustainable blue economy. The workshop will discuss experiences from ports, including members of the North Adriatic Port Association (NAPA), and other successful experiences in the EU.

Speakers:

- Vincent Favrel (Head of Unit CINEA Sustainable Blue Economy)
- Daniele Rossi (President of Ravenna Port Authority)
- · Antonella Scardino (Secretary General North Adriatic Sea Port Authority Ports of Venice and Chioggia)
- Stefano Bevilacqua (Trieste and Monfalcone ports)
- Ana Pinela (Beta-I, coordinator of AspBAN)
- Anne Jensen (European Coordinator for the Baltic-Adriatic Corridor)
- Fulvio Lino Di Blasio (President of NAPA)
- · Huibert van Rossum (Programmanager Energytransition External Affairs, Port of Rotterdam)

#### Moderator:

Sofia Papantoniadou (Project Management Coordinator – CINEA CEF Transport)



#### Photos:



