

# Final info-days

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### Introduction

The Final info-day Report presents the results of the three Croatian pilot sites within the CHANGE WE CARE project which were implemented to develop specific instruments and measures for the Pilot Sites, addressing local environmental and socio-economic priorities. This Report contains brief review of three info-days held to summarize activities in Croatian pilot sites Neretva River, Jadro River and Kaštela bay and Nature Park Vransko Lake. Info days are presented through photos, presentations, signature lists and agendas.





## Neretva River info-day



In the Opuzen City Hall, on November 26 th 2021. final info day for pilot area Neretva Delta was held. The Goals of the event are:

- Promoting and informing stakeholders on the results of the CHANGE WE CARE project
- Presentation of the results of research of the Delta Neretva pilot location
- Presentation of the impact of climate change on Delta Neretva
- Presentation of Adaptation Plan of Delta Neretva























During the presentations, the impact of climate change on the Neretva Delta areas was highlighted with a focus on the area's biodiversity. The study 'Research on physico-chemical factors as a potential drivers of climate change in the ecological network River Neretva Delta (HR5000031)' presents the results of research on physico-chemical factors as potential climate change drivers in the protected ecological network River Neretva Delta (HR5000031), in the period July 2020- June 2021, as a basis for comparison with historically available data, and determining the impact of physico-chemical changes, mainly temperatures and salinity, on the recent status of the native ecosystems.

During this event, measures and activities to achieve the stated objectives were presented. In addition, some amendments and additions to plan were made during the presentation, as reflected in the final version of the adaptation plan. It was concluded that it is important to involve a wide range of stakeholders, in particular representatives of local self-government units, in realization of the adaptation plan.

The key result of the CHANGE WE CARE project for the pilot area of the **Neretva Delta** is the Adaptation Plan presented as part of the Final Info Day in Opuzen. The development of the Adaptation Plan was preceded by the development of four studies in cooperation with the University of Dubrovnik:

- Research of physico-chemical factors of climate change,
- Mapping of all target fish species,
- Research on the socio-economic status of the main stakeholders in the fisheries sector and
- Preparation of the Fisheries Economic Study.



In addition to the research results, an important part of the methodology of the Plan is a participatory approach in which three workshops were conducted in Metković, Ploče and Opuzen.

### 3. Jadro River info-day



Due to the covid-19 health crisis and imposed measures that limit organisation of number of participants, the project team decided to organise info day for pilot area Jadro River and Kaštela bay online.

An online event was announced on facebook page Change we care -Croatia.

Link:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1gu0uBcUjNiT-mEXPGO9lLbO87y824RCM/view?usp=sharing

Link za uključenje u ZOOM ONLINE događaj je:

Join Zoom Meeting <a href="https://zoom.us/j/94728024022?pwd=c1NZdXdTNIFvdmsvOWdTL0syUXN6Zz09">https://zoom.us/j/94728024022?pwd=c1NZdXdTNIFvdmsvOWdTL0syUXN6Zz09</a>

Meeting ID: 947 2802 4022

Passcode: 775601









Pozivamo vas sutra, 30.11. na završni INFO DAN projekta Change We Care. Idemo ONLINE, preko ZOOM platforme s početkom u 11:30 sati. Voditelj projekta, Mili Novak (JU RERA S.D.) i voditeljica tima za izradu Plana prilagodbe na klimatske promjene za područje rijeke Jadro i Kaštelanskog zaljeva, Martina Baučić, (FGAG) sutra će iznijeti rezultate projekte uz projekcije video spotova s pilot područja.

Veselimo se i vašem sudjelovanju.

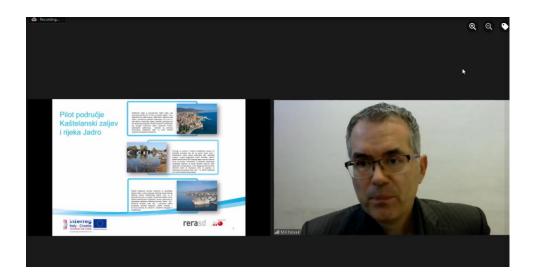
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## Završni INFO DAN projekta CHANGE WE CARE









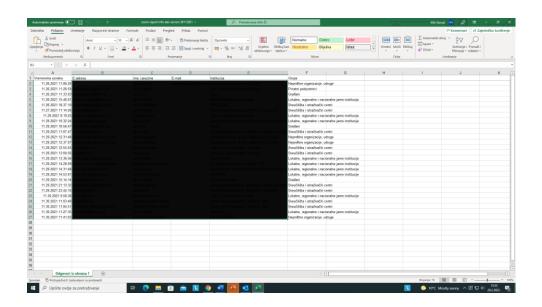






There were 32 participants according to zoom report.







### ZAVRŠNI INFO DAN PROJEKTA CHANGE WE CARE AGENDA

Online 11:30 – 13:00 sati

30. studenoga 2021.





## RERA | O projektu Change we care

CHANGE WE CARE | RERA | Mili Novak

Info dan| online| 30. studenoga 2021.



## Plan prilagodbe na klimatske promjene za područje rijeke Jadro

CHANGE WE CARE | Fakultet građevinarstva, arhitekture i geodezije| Martina Baučić

Info dan | online | 30. studeni 2021.

European Regional Development Fund







#### ZAVRŠNI INFO DAN PROJEKTA CHANGE WE CARE

30/11/2021					
SATI	RASPORED				
11:30 - 11:45	Registracija sudionika				
11:45 - 11:55	Uvodni film o projektu				
11:55 - 12:05	Ukratko o projektu Change we care				
12:05 – 12:10	Kratki video pilot područja rijeke jadro				
12:10 - 12:20	Izrada Plana prilagodbe na klimatske promjene				
12:20 - 13:00	Rasprava i zaključci				

In pilot site **Jadro River and Kastela bay** the current state of water is bad due to urbanization. Climate change will worsen the situation and increase the risks of floods, droughts, fires and erosion and ultimately increase water pollution in the basin.

The greatest attention should be paid to the collection and treatment of precipitation and wastewater from settlements and industry, and the disposal of all types of waste. In the further development of settlements and infrastructure, it is necessary to apply the concepts of urban design sensitive to water and blue-green solutions. Thus, settlements will be transformed from "hard and gray" to "soft and green" and will become stronger in terms of sustainability and resilience of water resources, biodiversity and human existence. In order to achieve this, the cooperation of all sectors that now manage the catchment area is needed, ie an integrated approach should be applied. Urban development should be accompanied by new concepts, the so-called. smart development and strive to build sustainable and energy efficient urban infrastructure.

During the info day all the project activities were presented as well as two project videos and video of the pilot site Jadro river. The methodology and activities of development of Adaptation plan are presented to all the participants.



During the info day discussion, it turned out that this was a rare opportunity for all stakeholders to express their views and problems. Particularly in the case of the management of the Jadro river basin, where an integral approach is required, and the basin is divided between several administrative units and several sectors.

#### 4. Nature Park Vransko Lake info-day



Info day and successful completion of the project was marked on Wednesday, December 22, 2021. with a presentation of the project results and an exhibition of photographs of flooded meadows in the Nature park and Jasen Natura 2000 site. About twenty participants in this final event of the project were informed about the impact of climate change on five pilot areas in the Adriatic area and in a fruitful discussion commented on the

proposed measures for adaptation to climate change. During the info day the questionnaire has been distributed to the stakeholders to collect information on their satisfaction with information about the project activities.





























#### INFO DAN PROJEKTA CHANGE WE CARE

#### Plan rada

Park prirode Vransko jezero, Maškovića Han,Vrana srijeda, 22. prosinca 2021.

Predstavljanje rezultata projekta i otvorenje izložbe fotografija o poplavnim livadama









#### INFO DAN PROJEKTA CHANGE WE CARE

	22. prosinac 2021., srijeda					
SATI			RASPORED			
11	:	30	Registracija			
11	:	45	Pozdravna riječ, Danijel Katičin, ravnatelj			
12	:	00	Predstavljanje rezultata projekta Change we care, Norma Fressel, voditeljica projekta			
12	:	30	Diskusija, Maja Ćuže Denona, stručna voditeljica			
13	:	00	Otvorenje izložbe fotografija o poplavnim livadama autora Filipa Brale			
13	:	30	Ručak			





Measures to adapt to climate change in the **Vrana Lake Nature Park** resulted from communication with a number of diverse stakeholders and the local community in the process of involving them through three workshops, surveys and interviews. Due to climate change, conventional agriculture in the basin has an extremely negative impact on water quality and the biological diversity of Lake Vrana. Emphasis in the adaptation plan was placed on methods of returning carbon to the soil, by encouraging tillage without plowing with the aim of building humus and the use of cover crops. The plan elaborates in detail the possibilities of implementing pilot measures for carbon farming in the Vrana Lake Nature Park and its surroundings and the conceptual design of Natura 2000 in the area of Jasen for the revitalization of floodplain meadows and extensive livestock on the principle of rotational grazing. Important activities are also education and awareness raising on the possibilities of adapting to climate change in the local community and institutions, and strengthening partnerships for the successful implementation of the plan.



### 5. Conclusion

The main output is a set of Adaptation/management Plans for the Pilot Sites, which are made with the establishment of participatory processes, transparent and common decision practices among an heterogeneous community of stakeholders, scientists, policy makers, technical and administrative operators that provide a relevant legacy for coordinated management actions in a cross-border cooperation perspective.

These three final info days were the opportunity to emphasize the importance of common approach of all stakeholders in management of pilot areas and their adaptation of climate changes.