Forza D'Agrò Municipality (Italy)

Town Twinng project - Description

"Over the Walls: Citizenship open to welcome Migrants"

Forza D'Agrò Municipality promoted a Town Twinning between different municipalities and Organizations from Italy, Hungary, Spain, Romania, Bulgaria, Slovakia, and Latvia.

The project is titled "Over the Walls: Citizenship open to welcome Migrants", the venue of the event will be Forza D'Agrò from 15 to 21 May 2022 with the aims to overcome stereotypes about migrants by deconstructing past and present stigmatization processes and promoting tolerance and respect for common values, to create a more correct perception of citizens of Third Countries by citizens of EU.

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 on specific resource essential for the good understanding the topics related Human rights and Migrant's inclusion in our society.

The migratory processes that, especially from the Mediterranean area, have been affecting Europe for some time, represent a decisive challenge for our continent, and for the lives of its inhabitants. Europe is essentially facing a crossroads: it can risk a real dissolution, or it can try to renew its common identity by proposing itself to the world as a possible model of peaceful and inclusive democracy.

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 have been opportunities for communication, including different target group and the most relevant stakeholders, local authorities and CSOs, by promoting intercultural dialogue, knowledge and values, constructive comparison of views and mutual enrichment.