



AGRI-URBAN

European network for the promotion of agri-food employment in small and medium-sized cities

TRANSNATIONAL MEETING

Södertälje, 21 - 24 May 2017

CREATIVE MINUTE





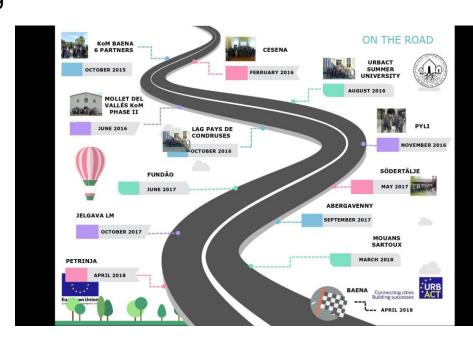


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AGRI-URBAN ON THE ROAD



Just halfway towards our goals following the marked route, the AGRI-URBAN Network (URBACT III Programme) held a transnational meeting in the Swedish city of Södertälje from 21 to 24 May 2017. A turning point in the agenda of this project, the meeting focused on the AGRI-URBAN topics linked to the experience of this city and also put the emphasis on shaping the Integrated Action Plans of all partners of the project with the participation of their respective ULGs











I.1 A LOCAL POLICY COMMITTED TO A HOLISTIC VISION OF THE FOOD SYSTEM

The trip started at the dawn of the 21st century and the Södertälje Diet Unit explained it.















I.2 ORGANIC AND BIODYNAMIC PRODUCTION, SHORT CIRCUITS, SOCIAL INCLUSION

The Lindblom Cafe in Torekallberget serves as a place of inclusion, retraining, language learning, job training, education - using food and agriculture as natural tools. The food is produced locally and organically as much as possible, and cooperation takes place with different suppliers also considered as part of the process.











The Eko-odlarna i Telje project is aimed at refugees with long-term unemployment, to facilitate their integration into the host country as well as their professional rehabilitation. After a period of training, a sustainable social enterprise has been established to produce and sell organic vegetables, offer training to unemployed people and carry out other activities such as honey production, plant nursery, etc.













I.3 AN ANTHROPOSOPHICAL DISTRICT, WELCOME TO YTTERJÄRNA!

Waldorf education, curative pedagogy, culture, anthroposophic medicine, biodynamic agriculture - activities inspired by anthroposophy in Sweden today!











SKILLEBYHOLM

In connection with the philosophy of the district, Skillebyholm is a meeting place and a centre for biodynamic agriculture, education and sustainable development.











NORRBYVALLE

The Norrbyvälle farm has been active over the last thirty years.

At present they have two residences where they offer daily activities for adults, as well as accommodation for young people with neuropsychiatric disorders. His approach is based on the anthroposophical idea of man and the focus of attention is therapeutic training for young people and social therapy for adults.

Read more and enjoy the short introduction to the Study Case created by the AGRI-URBAN

Team in Södertälje









I.4 CREATIVE EMPLOYMENT: UNDER TALLARNA

Skogsbrynet is a border area between forest and society, between nature and culture, where opposites can unite and enrich each other. Five young people have created a cooperative that cultivates land - 1.8 rented hectares belonging to the municipality of Södertälje - where they also offer cultural, social and educational activities. A co-creative learning project.













Miguel Sousa, Lead Expert at AGRI-URBAN has organized two technical sessions aimed at analysing how local groups are functioning in each city, as well as to gather some of the first ideas of action that begin to shape the content of the Integrated Action Plans that each city will design. Here are some results of these sessions (<u>|</u>, <u>|</u>|, <u>|||</u>):











CONNECTIONS BETWEEN CITIES

The exchange between members of the Local Groups of the partner cities, implying work visits in some cases, is offering interesting results. A summary of the content and results of a reciprocal visit by Mouans-Sartoux and Mollet del Vallés was shared with the network.





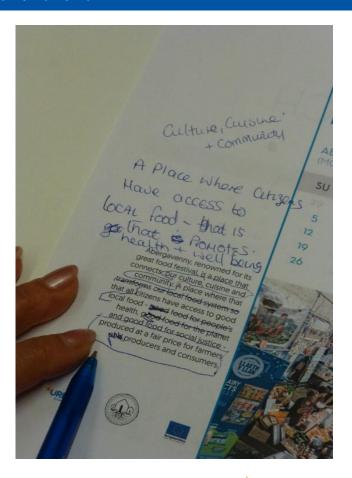






MID TERM REVIEW

During the meeting, two sessions were held on the "Mid Term Review" process that the AGRI-URBAN network is carrying out. The first session was to share the results of the individual survey completed by all partners. The second session was aimed at collecting proposals for improvements and changes that should be incorporated to the management of the project up to its finalisation.









ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The project coordinators conducted a brief session focusing on financial and administrative issues that can be followed at the link below.

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NEXT STOP: FUNDAO

Clara Ramos and Miguel Vasco, on behalf of the city of Fundao, presented the Agenda for the next transnational meeting to be held in this Portuguese city from 8 to 10 June and offered a visual aperitif of the visit.

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