

## **ADRIPASS PLUS**

# **Integrating multimodal connections in the Adriatic-Ionian region**



## **Second meeting of the ADRIPASS Transnational Cooperation Network**

**9 June 2022**

**Online Meeting (Zoom Platform)**

**INTRODUCTORY NOTE**

The ADRIPASS project focused on analyzing physical and non-physical barriers along the TEN-T transport networks in the EUSAIR area with particular attention posed to the analysis of the Border crossing points in the Western Balkans and to ICT solutions to improve maritime-hinterland multimodality. Following three years of fruitful cooperation among partners, in December 2020 the project was successfully finalized, delivering concrete results supporting the enhancement of multimodal transport in the ADRION region.

Following the approval of the ADRIPASS PLUS capitalization project, a first meeting of the ADRIPASS Transnational Cooperation Network (TCN) took place on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2022 with the aim of updating the long-term strategy for the improvement of the maritime-hinterland connectivity in the Adriatic Ionian region, thus contributing to delivering concrete inputs to reduce cross-border barriers and consequently getting ADRION region more connected.

Based on the feedbacks received by stakeholders during the first ADRIPASS TCN meeting as well as taking into account recent updates at national and transnational level, the ADRIPASS project partners have worked on the update of the transnational strategy to be presented and discussed during the event.

## AGENDA

9.50 - 10.00

**Web connection of participants to the Zoom Platform**

10.00 - 10.10

***Welcome and introduction to the meeting***

Paolo DILENO, Central European Initiative - Executive Secretariat

10.10 - 10.30

**Keynote speech**

***Resilience of multimodal freight transport in the ADRION region: impact and potential mitigation measures in the current international context***

Alain BARON, European Commission, Directorate-General for Mobility and Transport

10.30 - 10.50

***Enhancement of ICT Platforms in the ports of Bar and Koper: powerful tools to improve multimodality and accessibility in ADRION region***

Rade STANIŠIĆ, Port of Bar

Roberto RICHTER, Port of Koper

10.50 - 11.10

**Keynote speech**

***Development of the TEN-T Extension of the Comprehensive and Core Network in Western Balkans and synergies with ADRIPASS***

Matej ZAKONJŠEK, Transport Community Permanent Secretariat, Director

11:10 - 11:30

***The updating of the ADRIPASS transnational strategy for the improvement of multimodal transport in ADRION***

*Introduction and moderation by*

Nebojsa JEVTIC, Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia

11:30 - 12.20

***Stakeholders' feedback on the updated version of the ADRIPASS Transnational Strategy***

Nedim BEGOVIC, Transport Community Treaty Permanent Secretariat

Dimitris KATSOCHIS, Hellenic Chambers & Business Transport Association

Čedomir BOJANIĆ, Slovenian Association of Port Logistics Providers - President

Ante KLECINA, University North and Pro-rail alliance, Croatia

12:20 - 12:30

***Conclusions***

Barbara Di Piazza, Interreg Adrion, Head of the Joint Secretariat

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