Memorandum of Understanding

Between

Association Femina (Split, Croatia) herein referred as The Coordinator

And

Dugopolje Municipality (Dugopolje, Croatia)

Razvojna agencija općine Dugopolje Odraz (Dugopolje, Croatia)

Tourist Board Dugopolje (Dugopolje, Croatia)

KUD Pleter Dugopolje (Dugopolje, Croatia)

Novaci Municipality (Novaci, Romania)

House of culture of Novaci (Novaci, Romania)

Novaci National Center for Tourist Information and Promotion (Novaci, Romania)

herein referred as The Partners

For Application

To funding the implementation of "International partnership between active and healthy settlements in Croatia and Romania as part of the 30th anniversary of diplomatic relations between the two countries" herein referred to as The project

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) establishes a collaboration partnership in *The* project between the signing organizations

I. MISSION AND PURPOSE

The project aims to contribute to strengthening and raising the quality of bilateral diplomatic relations between the Republic of Croatia and Romania by investing in the reconstruction of two traditional social wells in Dugopolje (Croatia) and Novaci (Romania) and by organizing sports and cultural events in Croatia and Romania intended to get acquainted with the sharing of traditional culture and folklore of the municipality of Dugopolje and the municipality of Novaci.

Together, the Parties enter into this Memorandum of Understanding to mutually collaborate on the implementation of *The project* though strengthening and raising the quality of bilateral diplomatic relations between Croatia and Romania. The partners agree to promote and work towards the establishment of the city friendship between Novaci and Dugopolje that will began through the implementation of *The project* in order to achieve the following objectives:

- To contribute to strengthening and raising the quality of bilateral diplomatic relations between the Republic of Croatia and Romania by establishing a transnational collaboration initiative between these beautiful and traditional communities through joint initiative of Dugopolje (CRO) and Novaci (RO) municipalities.
- To raise awareness on the importance and value of water and positively impact energy efficiency of the water resources in the natural areas of Romania and Dugopolje through reconstruction and revitalization of two historical communal wells in Novaci (RO) and Dugopolje (CRO)
- To establish an intercultural cooperation through development and implementation of cultural and sports exchange events between Romanian and Croatian cultural societies, youth sports clubs and general population of Novaci (RO) and Dugopolje (CRO) areas

II. RESPONSIBILITIES

Accordingly, partners, operating under this MOU agree as follows:

The Coordinator shall undertake:

1. to take all the steps necessary to prepare for, perform and correctly manage the work programme set out in this MOU, in accordance with the objectives of the project as set out in the Project proposal document.

- 2. to send to the Partner a copy of the Funding Agreement of The project and its annexes, concluded with all the involved funding bodies, of the various reports and of any other official document concerning the project;
- 3. to notify and provide the Partner with any amendment made to previously mentioned Funding Agreements
- 4. to define in conjunction with the Partner the role and rights and obligations of the two parties,
- 5. to comply with all the provisions of the Funding Agreements binding the Coordinator to the Funding Body.
- 6. The Coordinator commits himself to carrying out payments relating to the subject matter of the project proposal contract to the Partner according to the funded project proposal.

The Partner shall undertake:

- 1. to take all the steps necessary to prepare for, perform and correctly manage the work programme set out in this MOU and in its annexes, in accordance with the objectives of the project as set out in the Project proposal and the Financing agreements with the financing bodies concluded between the Funding bodies and the Coordinator;
- 2. to comply with all the provisions of Agreement binding the Coordinator to the Funding Bodies:
- 3. to communicate to the Coordinator any information or document required by the latter that is necessary for the management of the project;
- 4. to accept responsibility for all information communicated to the Coordinator, including details of costs claimed and, where appropriate, ineligible expenses;
- 5. to define in conjunction with the Coordinator the role and rights and obligations of the two parties, including those concerning the attribution of the intellectual property rights.
- 6. The partner shall acknowledge the grant support received under the Funding Body in any document disseminated or published, in any product or material produced with the grant support, and in any statement or interviews given, in accordance with the visual identity guidelines agreed between the coordinator and the funding bodies.
- 7. The acknowledgement shall be followed by a disclaimer stating that the content of the publication is the sole responsibility of the publisher and that the European Commission and the funding body is not liable for any use that may be made of the information.
- 8. The Partner shall provide the Coordinator with any information and documents required for the preparation of the final report and, where appropriate, with copies of all the necessary supporting documents completed and signed by the legal representative.

- 9. The Partner shall provide without delay the Coordinator with any information that the latter may request from him concerning the carrying out of the work programme covered by this
- 10. The Partner shall make available to the Coordinator any document making it possible to check that the work programme, as described in the funded Proposal document is being or has been carried out.

The Partner and the Coordinator agree to monitor the progress of the project by the end of the first half of the implementation period providing preliminary documents for preparation of an intermediate report that will be delivered to the financing bodies.

III. COMMUNICATION

Each party will appoint a person to serve as the official contact and coordinate the activities of each organization in carrying out this MOU. The initial appointees of each organization are:

Femina association, Monica Ioanitescu

Dugopolje Municipality, Marija Čipčić

Razvojna agencija općine Dugopolje Odraz, Marija Čipčić

Tourist Board Dugopolje (Dugopolje, Croatia), Tomislav Balić

KUD Pleter Dugopolje (Dugopolje, Croatia), Marijana Botić

Novaci Municipality (Novaci, Romania), Dumitru Leuștean

House of culture of Novaci (Novaci, Romania), Elena Basarabă

Novaci National Center for Tourist Information and Promotion (Novaci, Romania), Răzvan Albulescu

The organizations agree to the following tasks for this MOU:

- 1. To implement The project according to the funded proposal
- 2. To deliver all the activities on the project according to the funded proposal

3. To deliver all the tasks of the project according to the deadlines agreed upon by all the partners and the coordinator.

IV. TERMS OF UNDERSTANDING

The term of this MOU is for a period of 12 months, from the effective date of this agreement and may be extended upon written mutual agreement. It shall be reviewed at least once after half period has passed to ensure that it is fulfilling its purpose and to make any necessary revisions.

Either organization may terminate this MOU upon thirty (30) days written notice without penalties or liabilities.

Authorization

The signing of this MOU is not a formal undertaking. It implies that the signatories will strive to reach, to the best of their ability, the objectives stated in the MOU. On behalf of the organization I represent, I wish to sign this MOU and contribute to its further development.

Coordinator:

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Monica Ioanitescu

President

Date:

24.01.2022.

FEMINA Split

Partners:

Dugopolje Municipality

Perica Bosančić

Mayor

Date: 15/01/2022



Razvojna agencija općine Dugopolje Odraz

Marija Čipčić

Director

Date 15/0

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Tourist Board Dugopolje

Tomislav Balić

Director

Date: 15/01

KUD Pleter Dugopolje

Slavica Plazibat

President

Date:

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Date:

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Novaci Municipality

Dumitru Leuştean

Primar

Date: 15.01.2022

House of culture of Novaci

Elena Basarabă

Director

Date: 15.01.2022

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Răzvan Albulescu

Executive Director

Date: 15.01.2022