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18. – 22. September 2023

Mediterranean Coast and Macro-Regional Strategies Week 2023

Stronger cooperation for better future

Izola, Slovenia

Dear colleagues,

we are pleased to invite you to the eighth edition of the Mediterranean Coast and Macro-Regional Strategies Week, which will take place in **Izola, Slovenia, from 18 to 22 September 2023**.

Traditionally, the event aims to raise awareness of the sea and coast and their natural resources and economic potential, as well as to introduce the risks to which the sea and coast are exposed to due to the natural phenomena and human actions. Organizers are promising numerous interesting activities. The event brings together politicians, decision-makers, experts, civil society and interested public from all levels - local, regional, national and international.

This year's event will strengthen the cooperation between all EU macro-regional strategies to underline that only with cooperation can there be common solutions and common future. The eighth Mediterranean Coast and Macro-Regional Strategies Week will take place on-site in Izola and Portorož, Slovenia. It will be traditionally held in the week leading to the Mediterranean Coast Day, September 25th that is widely celebrated in the Mediterranean countries. September 25th was chosen as the Mediterranean Coast Day to honor Slovenia as the first country in the Mediterranean region, which ratified the Protocol on Integrated Coastal Zone Management (ICZM) in 2009.



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Draft programme:

From 18 to 22 September 2023

18 .9.2023	EUSDR: NC-PAC meeting (closed event, by invitation only)	Portorož
18 .9.2023	EUSALP: Meeting of Action group 7 (closed event, by invitation only)	Izola
19.9.2023	EUSDR: NC-PAC meeting (closed event, by invitation only)	Portorož
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19.9.2023	OFFICIAL OPENING: Mediterranean Coast and EU Macro-regional Strategies Week 2023	Izola
19.9.2023	Facilitating circular economy in EU MRS	Izola
20.9.2023	Informal Meeting of EU MRS Support Units (closed event, by invitation only)	Izola
20.9.2023	Workshop: EU macro-region impact - from where to start?	Izola
20.9.2023	EUSALP Support Steering Group meeting : DAY 1 (closed event, by invitation only)	Izola
21.9.2023	EUSALP Support Steering Group meeting : DAY 2 (closed event, by invitation only)	Izola
21.9.2023	EUSAIR TSG3 WORKSHOP : DAY 1	Izola
21.9.2023	EUROMED and Barcelona Convention – COP23	Izola
22.9.2023	EUSAIR TSG3 WORKSHOP : DAY 2	Izola

! Organizers reserve the right to further modify the programme

Further information about the event will be available on the dedicated website of the EU Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Region (EUSAIR) in the upcoming weeks: <http://www.adriatic-ionian.eu/>.

Organization committee