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Press release

International Event – Ecological Citizenship

Details about the meeting

- Dates of the meeting: 5-8 June 2022
- Where was held: Athens and Fyli, Greece
- Host organization: Municipality of Fyli, Greece
- Whom attended: 26 participants coming from the YES! partnership
- Aim of the meeting: The event aimed to raise awareness on EU Policies and programmes for Solidarity through European and Ecologic Citizenship and sensitize citizens on EU policy-making process and civic and democratic participation at EU level. The training increased ESAs skills and competences for supporting and facilitating the Community Campaigns.
- The agenda (short description) and the speakers/facilitators of the meeting
During the meeting in Fyli, the participants explored the good practices of Municipality of Fyli in environmental issues. For example the innovative project that Fyli produced it is own energy from solar panels and distributed this energy to the most deprived – poorest - households in the municipality. Also the participants had the chance to explore the exceptional natural beauty of Parnitha mountain (destroyed forest by the big forest fire some years ago, will give you the chance to think about our environmental future).
- Topics
On the occasion of the celebration of the “World Environment Day” on June the 5th, the thematic seminar focused on the "Ecological Citizenship for Solidarity" as an opportunity for the project partners to get together and strengthen their community through common learning. The meeting focused on learning and skills development within the field of Solidarity, to enhance the competence of the ESA Participants. Its goal is to inspire the ESAs and encourage their active participation through creation of common learning spaces. Special activities were organized to promote the ecological citizenship.



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