

16th Meeting of the Stakeholders' Group for the Cross-border Region of "Prespa"

24 February, 2017, Hotel "Milenium Palace", Ohrid, Macedonia

PROGRAMME

- 10:00 – 10:30 **Arrival of the participants and welcome gathering**
- 10:30 – 10:45 **Welcome speech**
H.E. Stojan Karajanov, Ambassador of the Republic of Macedonia in the Republic of Albania
Ms. Viola Bogdani, President of SHG "Prespa" Cross-border Region
Mr. Naume Tashovski, Vice President of SHG "Prespa" Cross-border Region
Mr. Damjan Surlevski, Project Manager in SWG
- 10:45 – 10:50 **Introduction to the programme**
Ms. Bojana Jovanovska, Regional Manager of "Prespa" Cross-border Region
- 10:50 – 11:10 **Overview of the activities within the EU project "Fostering regional cooperation and balanced territorial development of Western Balkan countries in the process towards EU integration"**

Mr. Damjan Surlevski, Project Manager in SWG
- 11:10 – 11:40 **Overview of general and future activities related to implementation of ABDA in "Prespa" Cross-Border region (period December 2016 – February 2017)**
Discussion on finished and upcoming calls for project proposals in the "Prespa" cross-border region, with an overview of IPA CBC

Ms. Etleva Thimo, Regional Coordinator of "Prespa" Cross-border Region
- 11:40 – 12:00 **Coffee Break**



- 12:00 – 12:30 **Discussion about future activities related to implementation of "People to People" actions in "Prespa" cross-border region**
Overview of the preapproved "People-to-People" activities:
- *Improvement of waste management systems in the cross-border region of Prespa*
 - *Outdoor camp Lagadin*
 - *Agriculture Cooperatives in the Prespa Region - Workshop*
- Ms. Bojana Jovanovska, Regional Manager of "Prespa" Cross-border Region*
- 12:30 – 13:00 **Informative session on the outcomes of the Second call of the ABD Grant Scheme within the LEIWW project**
Ms. Bojana Jovanovska, Regional Manager of "Prespa" Cross-border Region
- 13:00 – 13:30 **Conclusions and future activities**
- 13:30 – 15:00 **Lunch**
- 15:00 **Departure of the participants**

