

## Long-Term Partnership Agreement

### Article 1 – Nature of the agreement and parties to the agreement

The following document serves to detail how the partnership of the EU co-funded project “Web Accessibility and Other Initiatives for Persons with Disabilities in EU in Pandemic and Other Crisis Times” will continue to cooperate in the long-term. As well, it describes how the partnership will further engage citizens in democratic processes, increase citizen involvement in local actions, and volunteer to prepare and implement actions that benefit the community. The project partners will work on improving the project results, will exchange experiences and best practices among each other, as well as include any future partners on new actions through networking, joint events, conferences, and training programs. In this way, the project partners will work together to enhance social inclusion, especially the role of citizens in the development of their own communities through volunteering actions for persons with disabilities.

The parties of this agreement are as follows:

**Regionalna Razvojna Agencija Srem doo**, Glavna 172, 22400 Ruma, Serbia, Registration number: 20645750, represented by the Director Mr Milan Mirić;

**Centar za odgoj i obrazovanje Tomislav Špoljar**, Jurja Križanića 33, 42000 Varaždin, Croatia, Registration number: 72349131925, represented by the Director Mr Marin Vučić;

**Sveučilište u Zagrebu, Fakultet organizacije i informatike**, Pavlinska 2, 42000 Varaždin, Croatia, Registration number: 02024882310, represented by the Dean Full Prof. Nina Begičević Ređep, Ph.D.

**Chance-Association for People with Intellectual Disabilities**, Pirin 2, 2760 Razlog, Bulgaria, Registration number: 101603550, represented by the Chairwomen Ms Pankova Lidia;

**Mestská část Praha 9**, Sokolovská 324/14, 18049 Prague 9, Czech Republic, Registration number: 00063894, represented by the Mayor Mr Jan Jarolím;

**TMP Društvo za zaposljavanje slijepih i slabovidnih lica d.o.o**, Ramiza Salcina 2, 71000 Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Registration number: 065-0-Reg-12-002447, represented by the Director Mr Rebić Veselin;

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**Red Cross Sremska Mitrovica**, Arsenija Čarnojevića 17, 22000 Sremska Mitrovica, Serbia,  
Registration number: 101965319, represented by the Chairwoman Ms Tatjana Jovančević;

**Brcko District of Bosnia and Herzegovina**, Bulevar mira 1, 76100 Brčko, Bosnia and Herzegovina,  
Registration number: 4600082130006 , represented by the Mayor Mr Esed Kadric;

**Centar za ekonomsko unapređenje Roma**, Miloša Obilića 45, 22000 Sremska Mitrovica, Serbia,  
Registration number: 28055277 , represented by the Chairwoman Ms Sladjana Teodorović;

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## Article 2 – Networking themes included in the agreement

As this project was prepared for the call for proposals “Europe for Citizens; Strand 2: Democratic engagement and civic participation” of the Europe for Citizens Programme action “Networks of Towns “, the partnership will continue to promote the themes and priorities identified in this call as well as other important themes identified during implementation.

The central themes identified and included in the agreement include:

- Communities response to rights of persons with disabilities in times of crisis;
- Promoting and improving digital content accessibility for persons with disabilities in almost all aspects of life (learning, public content, entertainment, professional development and employment, etc.);
- Continuing to organize workshops, presentations, conferences & site visits, creating new ties & demonstrating good practice through networking;
- Discussing the global nature of pandemic and any kind of crisis that affects all citizens but especially persons with disabilities in terms of accessibility or any other issue;
- Education for public, private and NGO sector during crisis, building solidarity in times of crisis;
- Developing accessibility actions for civil society, education for volunteers, what the EU agenda means for persons with disabilities;
- Volunteering to address the needs of persons w/disabilities, civil protection volunteering, promoting accessibility issues in the pandemic and other emergency situations;

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- Informing and engaging citizens from different generations in democratic processes concerning rights of persons with disabilities;
- New concepts for persons with disabilities, going forward with new and innovative solutions and actions;
- Enhancing the capacities of citizens (and other target groups actively involved in civil society) to organize and lead actions as volunteers and community leaders;
- Improving education and training programmes and approaches regionally so that they promote citizen engagement for persons with disabilities;
- Creating the conditions for social inclusion in European communities in line with the principles of the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights;
- Enhancing citizen involvement in actions that combat climate change and promote sustainability;
- To enhance citizen awareness and understanding about fundamental European values such as diversity, mutual understanding, solidarity and social inclusion;

### **Article 3 – Means of networking between partners on the defined themes**

The means of networking and further cooperation between the partnership include the following:

- Participation in events organized by the partners in their regions
- Transfer and exchanges of know-how by participating at seminars, conferences and workshops organized by the partners in their regions
- Collaborating with other projects of similar nature (resulting in mutual benefit for all partners taking part in the collaboration),
- Cooperating on the development of new projects and actions that build on the results of the project “WAI4PwDs”.

### **Article 4 – EU and international programmes and projects to consider for collaboration**

The partnership agrees that the most effective way of building on the results of the project is through the development of new projects and actions that are co-funded via EU programmes. The EU programmes that best relate to this project are those that focus on social inclusion and all forms of accessibility for persons with disabilities and that can be accessed by all partners.

The programmes that shall be considered by the partnership include:

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- EU community programmes
  - CERV programme – Entities from EU countries are eligible. The Republic of Serbia is expected to sign a memorandum of understanding and be included in the list of eligible countries.
  - ERASMUS + Programme – Entities from EU countries and Serbia are eligible
  - HORIZON Europe – Entities from EU countries are eligible
  - Creative Europe – Entities from EU countries and Serbia are eligible
- Transnational and Interregional programmes
  - INTERREG Central Europe - Entities from the EU partner regions are eligible. Serbia is not eligible. Serbian entities can participate as associates only.
  - INTERREG Danube – All of the countries in the partnership.
  - INTERREG Adrion - All of the countries in the partnership, except Bulgaria can participate in projects. Bulgarian entities could participate as associates only.
  - INTERREG Europe - Entities from the EU partner regions are eligible. Serbia is not eligible
  - European Commission – International Partnerships – Projects target third countries outside the Union, including Serbia, and can include Transnational partnerships targeting third countries.

#### **Article 6 – Closing remarks and Declarations**

Each party to this agreement has provided a declaration stating that it has reviewed the agreement. These declarations are attached to this document. By signing this declaration statement each of the legal representatives of the partner institutions in this project adhere to the articles of this agreement and agree to cooperate further on actions and activities in line with the themes defined in it.

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**Declaration in line with „Article 6 – Closing remarks and Declarations“ of the agreement**


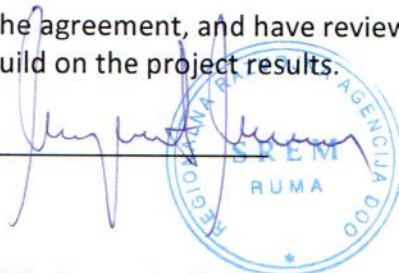
**Regionalna razvojna agencija Srem**

Glavna 172, 22400 Ruma, Serbia, Registration number: 20645750, represented by the Director  
Mr Milan Mirić;

I, Mr Milan Mirić, Director, confirm that our organization has reviewed the contents of the long-term partnership agreement for the project “Web Accessibility and Other Initiatives for Persons with Disabilities in EU in Pandemic and Other Crisis Times”, which is co-financed by the European Union via Europe for Citizens under the grant agreement number 625053-CITIZ-1-2020-2-RS-CITIZ-NT.

We accept the terms of the agreement, and have reviewed its contents. We will work together with the consortium to build on the project results.

Signature of the Director



Mr Milan Mirić

Date and place: 26.02.2023., Ruma, Serbia

**Declaration in line with „Article 6 – Closing remarks and Declarations“ of the agreement**

**Centar za odgoj i obrazovanje Tomislav Špoljar,**

Jurja Križanića 33, 42000 Varaždin, Croatia, Registration number: 72349131925 , represented by  
the Director Mr Marin Vučić;

I, Mr Marin Vučić, Director, confirm that our organization has reviewed the contents of the long-term partnership agreement for the project ““Web Accessibility and Other Initiatives for Persons with Disabilities in EU in Pandemic and Other Crisis Times””, which is co-financed by the European Union via Europe for Citizens under the grant agreement number 625053-CITIZ-1-2020-2-RS-CITIZ-NT. We accept the terms of the agreement, and have reviewed its contents. We will work together with the consortium to build on the project results.


Signature of the Director

Mr Marin Vučić

Date and place: 26.02.2023., Ruma, Serbia

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**Sveučilište u Zagrebu, Fakultet organizacije i informatike,**

Pavlinska 2, 42000 Varaždin, Croatia, Registration number: 02024882310, represented by the  
Dean Full Prof. Nina Begičević Ređep, Ph.D.

I, Mrs Nina Begičević Ređep, Director, confirm that our organization has reviewed the contents of the long-term partnership agreement for the project “Web Accessibility and Other Initiatives for Persons with Disabilities in EU in Pandemic and Other Crisis Times”, which is co-financed by the European Union via Europe for Citizens under the grant agreement number 625053-CITIZ-1-2020-2-RS-CITIZ-NT. We accept the terms of the agreement, and have reviewed its contents. We will work together with the consortium to build on the project results.

  
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Signature of the Director

Mrs Nina Begičević Ređep

Date and place: 26.02.2023., Ruma, Serbia

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**Chance-Association for People with Intellectual Disabilities,**

Pirin 2, 2760 Razlog, Bulgaria, Registration number: 101603550 , represented by the  
Chairwomen Ms Pankova Lidia;

I, Mrs Pankova Lidia, Director, confirm that our organization has reviewed the contents of the long-term partnership agreement for the project “Web Accessibility and Other Initiatives for Persons with Disabilities in EU in Pandemic and Other Crisis Times”, which is co-financed by the European Union via Europe for Citizens under the grant agreement number 625053-CITIZ-1-2020-2-RS-CITIZ-NT. We accept the terms of the agreement, and have reviewed its contents. We will work together with the consortium to build on the project results.

  
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Signature of the Director

Mrs Pankova Lidia

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**Partnership Statement in line with „Article 10 – Final Provisions“ of Annex the Partnership Agreement**

**Městská část Praha 9**

Sokolovská 324/14, 18049 Prague 9, Czech Republic, Registration number: 00063894 , represented by the Mayor Mr Tomáš Portlík

I, Mr Tomáš Portlík, mayor of Městská část Praha 9, confirm that our organization has reviewed the contents of the Annex of partnership agreement for the project “Web Accessibility and other Initiatives for Persons with Disabilities in EU in Pandemic and other Crisis Times- WAI4PwDs, reference 625053-CITIZ-1-2020-2-RS-CITIZ-NT which is co-financed by the Europe for Citizens Programme, Strand „Democratic Engagement and Civic Participation,“ measure „Networks of towns.“ We accept the terms of the agreement and will work together with the partners to implement the project.

This document has been printed and signed as nine (9) originals.

Signature of the Mayor of Městská část Praha 9

Mr Tomáš Portlík

Date and place: 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2022, Prague



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Ramiza Salcina 2, 71000 Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Registration number: 065-0-Reg-12-002447, represented by the Director Mr Rebić Veselin;

I, Mr. Rebić Veselin, confirm that our organization has reviewed the contents of the long-term partnership agreement for the project “Web Accessibility and Other Initiatives for Persons with Disabilities in EU in Pandemic and Other Crisis Times”, which is co-financed by the European Union via Europe for Citizens under the grant agreement number 625053-CITIZ-1-2020-2-RS-CITIZ-NT. We accept the terms of the agreement, and have reviewed its contents. We will work together with the consortium to build on the project results.



Signature of the Director

Mr. Veselin Rebić

Date and place: 26.02.2023., Ruma, Serbia

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Arsenija Čarnojevića 17, 22000 Sremska Mitrovica, Serbia, Registration number: 101965319,  
represented by the Chairwoman Ms Tatjana Jovančević;

I, Ms Tatjana Jovančević, confirm that our organization has reviewed the contents of the long-term partnership agreement for the project “Web Accessibility and Other Initiatives for Persons with Disabilities in EU in Pandemic and Other Crisis Times”, which is co-financed by the European Union via Europe for Citizens under the grant agreement number 625053-CITIZ-1-2020-2-RS-CITIZ-NT. We accept the terms of the agreement, and have reviewed its contents. We will work together with the consortium to build on the project results.

  
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Signature of the Director

Ms Tatjana Jovančević

Date and place: 26.02.2023., Ruma, Serbia

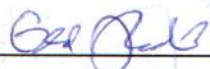
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Bulevar mira 1, 76100 Brčko, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Registration number: 4600082130006 ,  
represented by the Mayor Mr Esed Kadric;

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represented by the Chairwoman Ms Sladjana Teodorović;

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