

# HOW ARE WE INVOLVED

NEB of the Mountains – 29.11.2022

- We organized a NEB Festival event in South Tyrol
- We are an official NEB Lab
- We will be opening to international stakeholders

BEAUTIFUL SUSTAINABLE TOGETHER



## **MAIN CHALLENGES**

Lack of coordination /perspective in funding lines

Difficulties in re-thinking already planned projects to fit them in the NEB frame

No clear and well defined concept of what is NEB\*

Difficulties in co-financing at the regional level

## **EXPECTATIONS**

#### Policy:

- Clarification from the European Commission on its expectations (short/long term).
- A medium and long-term strategy/action plan from the European institutions.

#### **Activities:**

- Face-to-face workshops for NEB Labs to discuss challenges and objectives

## **FUTURE PLANS**

#### Policy:

- Successfully influencing policies at local/regional level in different areas
- Being able to effectively communicate what the NEB is to citizens through local/EU projects

#### **Activities:**

- Developing local and transnational collaborative projects within the existing WGs:
  - Sustainability and affordable housing
  - Creative Industries and inclusive society
  - Circular Design and Bio Economy
  - Digital transformation for the common good
  - Valorization of sustainable and beautiful built environment
  - Design and Art of Education
  - Design and Art of Democracy
- Further explore different aspects of the NEB (potentially with new WGs)



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- 2023 Developing first pilot project:
  - January: project development with the local partners, stakeholders involvement. steering committee
  - February/March: workshop and events with experts and citizens
  - April: applying for funding
- Further explore different aspects of the NEB (potentially with new WGs)



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# **COORDINATORS**

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