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# **STAKEHOLDER CONSULTATION WORKSHOP**

Development perspectives for tourism after the opening of the new border crossing point at the Prespa - Plan to enhance and manage tourist flows

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### INVITATION

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The BorPres project team invites you to participate in the consultation workshop, which will take place on Tuesday 30 May 2023 at 10.30 am. in the Lakeview Hotel & Resorts, Otesevo, (www.lakeviewotesevo.com) with the subject of the **Development perspectives for tourism after the opening of the new border crossing point at the Prespa - Plan to enhance and manage tourist flows.** 

The workshop takes place in the context of the **development of the plan for enhancement and management of tourist flows after the opening of the border crossing,** which is prepared by the Ministry of Interior (Sector Macedonia and Thrace) in the framework of the **BorPres** project "Prespa Lake Area border guard station: Preparatory activities for the establishment of the border crossing point between Greece and the Republic of North Macedonia at the Prespa Lake Area".

The aim of the workshop is to bring together local bodies in order to capture their views and co-design the action plan. This workshop is the second of the two workshops that are planned in the cross-border region of Greece - Republic of North Macedonia.

## **AGENDA**

*10.00-10.30* Reception. Registrations.

#### 10.30-10.40

Welcome and introductory Speech.

Officials and representatives of project partners.

#### 10.40-11.00

Presentation of the scope and central actions of the BorPres project.

Dr Paraskevi Christopoulou, Region of Western Macedonia - Lead Parner.

#### 11.00-11.20

Presentation of the planning for the enhancement and the management of the tourist flows after the opening of the border crossing point.

Dr. Spyros Avdimiotis, Associate Professor, International Hellenic University Greece.

#### 11.20-11.40

Break.

#### 11.40-13.10

Consultation regarding planning to enhance and manage the tourist flows after the opening of the border crossing point.

Coordination: Dr. Spyros Avdimiotis Associate Professor, International University of Greece & Konstantia Dimitrakoudi, Executive of Ministry of Interior (Sector Macedonia and Thrace).

#### 13.10-13.30

Statements. Conclusions.

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For more information on the BorPres project you can visit the project website:

#### www.borpresproject.eu

#### PROJECT PARTNERSHIP

Region of Western Macedonia | Greece Ministry of the Interior (Sector Macedonia and Thrace) | Greece ANKO Western Macedonia S.A. / Organization for Local Development | Greece Ministry of Interior | Republic of North Macedonia