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## **PRESS RELEASE**

## WeGenerate Fellow Cities have been selected

Following the call launched by the project earlier this year, the cities of Cartagena, Kadıköy, Liepaja, Szombathely and Zagreb are the five WeGenerate Fellow Cities.

In response to the WeGenerate Call for five Fellow City positions, the project received 26 highly-qualified applications from 16 different countries.

After a thorough examination of all applications, Cartagena (Spain), Kadıköy (Türkiye), Liepaja (Latvia), Szombathely (Hungary) and Zagreb (Croatia) are now a part of the WeGenerate Community, participating as part of the **Fellow Cities Exchange Programme.** They will play an important role as active contributors and early adopters of new people-centred neighbourhood regeneration innovations being implemented in the WeGenerate Demo Cities. Through online exchanges and capacity building sessions, as well as during in-person Study Visits to each Demo City, they will be better able to understand and contextualise the WeGenerate solutions for their city for future implementation.

A dedicated Replication team — composed of experts from the WeGenerate consortium – will work with all WeGenerate Cities to produce an **Urban WeGenerate Guidance Package and Replication Roadmap**, featuring each Fellow City.

The Fellow Cities Pre-Boarding Meeting will be held in late September 2024, followed by an in-person Study Visit and On-Boarding in Cesena in October.

WeGenerate - Co-creating people-centric sustainable neighbourhoods through urban regeneration is a Horizon Europe Innovation Action seeking to infuse the elements of people and co-creation in the urban regeneration processes. The project is based on the journeys of four neighbourhoods and their communities located in different parts of Europe: Bucharest (Romania), Cascais (Portugal), Cesena (Italy) and Tampere (Finland). To learn more about WeGenerate, visit our website!

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