

# HOW MUNICIPALITY CAN COOPERATE WITH LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS?

## Fritidsbanken - Region Dalarna, Sweden

At Fritidsbanken everyone can borrow sports equipment for free, ensuring children of all socio-economic groups are able to enjoy sport and outdoor activities. The organisation started as a small NGO but is now spread across all of Sweden, thanks to the support of organisations like the Swedish Sports Confederation that helped them grow nationwide. The brand is owned by the national NGO but local organisations are members and often run in partnership with the local municipality that provides premises and funds the day-to-day activities.

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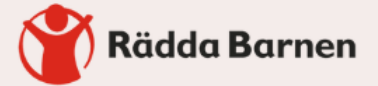


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## Rädda Barnen - Region Dalarna, Sweden

Rädda Barnen provides their expertise to Region Dalarna to ensure children's rights are protected. They contribute with their competence to ensure that the Convention on Children's Rights is being implemented in the Region.

The organization helps Dalarna to develop models for non-profits to ensure Dalarna is the best youth region in Sweden.



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## Ung Företagsamhet - Region Dalarna, Sweden

Ung Företagsamhet is partnering with Region Dalarna in implementation of the strategy “Dalarna- Sweden’s best region for youth”. Region Dalarna aims to create more job opportunities for young people and Ung Företagsamhet contributes to this goal by strengthening the entrepreneurial ability of youngsters and showing that self-employment could be an alternative.



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## Community Food Bank, Aglantzia Municipality, Cyprus

The establishment of the Community Food Bank was a clear indication of how the public and private sector felt about their fellow citizens who had been most struck by the economic crisis. In a well-organized response to the crisis, a number of businesses and neighborhood shops sprung to sell their products on a non-profit basis.



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## The Cyprus Institute, Aglantzia Municipality, Cyprus

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed by the Cyprus Institute (Cyl) and the Municipality of Aglantzia to cooperate in common areas of endeavour and to plan and organise initiatives that enhance the standard of living in the area, including numerous initiatives to advance green development and knowledge society.

The Municipality will be able to coordinate activities and events under its auspices and use the scientific know-how for its future plans, which will be extremely good and advantageous for both parties.



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## Nicosia Municipality Multifunctional Foundation, Cyprus

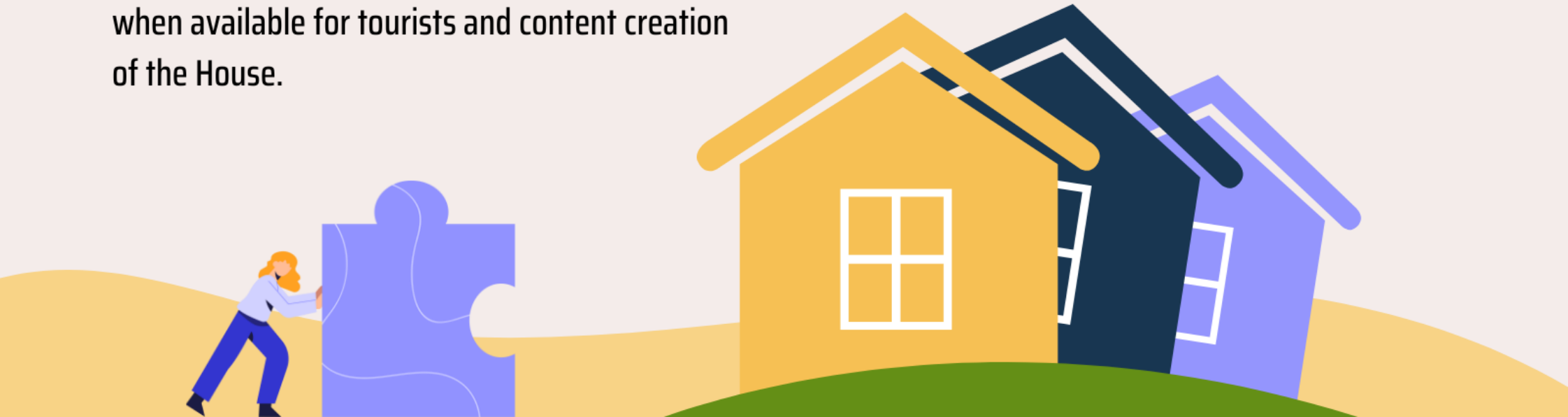
Solidarity Network Nicosia In Action is a project supported by the Municipality of Nicosia and it's main goal is providing social services that would help Cyprus' most disadvantaged people and to become the country's premier center for social service delivery. The project's overall objective is to provide Nicosia's marginalized and disadvantaged people the tools they need to participate in society and become active.



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## Livonian House of the People - Talsi county, Latvia

The Livonian House of the People is a collaboration between the municipality and local associations. The Livonian House of the People has cooperation agreements with Association "Domesnes" and the Livs' Union. On the basis of the agreement, the associations can use one room each in the House in exchange for their own time, when available for tourists and content creation of the House.



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## Dundaga Tourism Information Centre - Talsi county, Latvia

Dundaga Tourism Information Center is a municipality established institution that cooperates with non-governmental organizations. Together with NGO "Visvīdāle" it has set up a tourism information stand in a small village called Vīdāle. Dundaga Tourism Information Center often cooperates with NGOs in tourism related projects to ensure the information about tourism objects is up-to-date.





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## Talsi Business Club - Talsi county, Latvia

Talsi municipality cooperates with NGOs by organizing and financing children's and youth camps.

Another great cooperation example is with Talsi Business Club to offer young people visits at various companies and institutions within the framework of Career Week.



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**NGO "Lietuvos moksleivių sąjungos Trakų raj. mokinių savivaldų informacinis centras" - Trakai District Municipality, Lithuania**

The cooperation does not always have to start with a huge project. A good example how municipality can support organizations in it's district, is to give souvenirs as prizes for events created by NGOs.



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**NGO "Aukštadvario maltiečiai" Trakai District Municipality, Lithuania**

The NGO organised community event of the project "Development of Aukštadvaris Youth Competences" in 2021 and the employees of Trakai municipality assisted with human resources and gave outdoor furniture for this event.



**Maltiečiai**



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## NGO "Patirčių slėnis" - Trakai District Municipality, Lithuania

NGO "Patirčių slėnis" is supervised by the Trakai District municipality - Trakai municipality has chosen to support local organizations to ensure they have all the resources to do good for the district.



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## Human Power Hub - Municipality of Braga, Portugal

Municipality of Braga through Municipal Social Innovation center "Human Power Hub" created acceleration, incubation and scaling programmes for new social enterprises to appear.



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## Youth participatory budget - Municipality of Braga, Portugal

The Youth Participatory Budget is a fund specifically designed for the youth organizations to be able to organize the activities they see as needed and wanted by the youth sector of Braga.

There is a fund of 75.000 € and youth organizations can request up to 25.000 € for their activities, that shall be given upon being one of the most voted by the youth of Braga.



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## Municipal Youth Council of Braga - Municipality of Braga

The Youth Council of Braga is a structure ran by Youth organizations with the support of the youth department of municipality and it promotes the dialogue and debate among organizations to come up with a more impactful programme for the youth sector of Braga.

Also it promotes the exchange of infrastructure, equipment and staff among organizations to further support their needs.

