Friday, November 7th 2008, 9.00-13.00

TOWARDS THE SYSTEM FOR A SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Results of the Life IDEMS Project

By Ravenna Municipality, Agenda 21 Office and Environmental Education and Coordination A21 Italy, in collaboration with ERVET Emilia Romagna (Emilia Romagna Valorizzazione Economica del Territorio - Emilia Romagna Economic Enhancement of the Territory)

Programme

9.00 Registration Opens

9.30 Welcome and Introductory Remarks – *Saletta Carlo*, *Councillor for the Environmantal Sustainable Development, Mantova Municipality*

VOLUNTARY INSTRUMENTS AND GOVERNANCE: the context

Chair: *Cancila Enrico* – *ERVET*, *Emilia Romagna Region*, *Economic Enhancement of the Territory*

9.45 Environmental challenges of European Urban Areas: the value-added of integrated approaches – *Garzillo Cristina*, *ICLEI*

10.00 Governance and Local Authorities in Emilia Romagna – *Di Stefano Alessandro*, *Patrizia Bianconi*, *Emilia-Romagna Region*

10.15 New EMAS Regulation - Tropea Valeria, ISPRA (Advanced Institute for the Environmental Protection and Research)

10.30 ISPRA Guidelines on the Environmental Balance of Local Authorities – *Capriolo Alessio, ISPRA (Advanced Institute for the Environmental Protection and Research)*

10.45 Results of activities of the national network for the promotion of Environmental Certification of Local Authorities – *Ottolenghi Marco*, *Technical Secretariat, Tandem Teamwork*

11.00 Peculiarities of Local Authorities in the application of Environmental Management Systems: the approach of a Competent Body - *Stefano Aldini*, *Certiquality*

11.15 Accountability and innovation of environmental policies: adjusting the instruments to guarantee results – *Vaccari Alessandra*, *Indica srl*

11.30 Local Management for Sustainability: the initiative of Coordination A21 Local for the realization of Aalborg Commitment 2 – *Nora Eriuccio*, *Coordination A21 Italy*

VOLUNTARY INSTRUMENTS AND GOVERNANCE: the experiences

Chair: Bratti Alessandro, Member of the VIII Environment Commission of Chamber

11.45 Brief introduction to IDEMS Project and to its results – *Municipality of Ravenna*

12.00 Round table of different Italian and European Urban realities on the outcomes and on the effects resulting from their experiences of implementing integrated management systems – *Municipality of Ferrara – Municipality of Mantova – Municipality of Amaroussion (Greece) – City of Dresden (Germany) – City of Heidelberg (Germany) - Municipality of Vaxjo (Sweden).*

13.30 Closing Session

During the workshop, simultaneous translation service will be available.