### TURNING COMMITMENT TO PRACTICE

## INVITATION

to a macro-regional civil meeting

# BUDAPEST 29 February-1 March 20224

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#### Host organisation European House Budapest

Venue

### **Ibis Styles Budapest Center**

1074 Budapest, Rákóczi út 58.



This is Mission 1, a promising starting event of the New Year when representatives of civil society organisations from the Danube (EUSDR) macro-region and beyond join forces in the Hungarian capital to put into practice their commitment to assist the creation of an EU macro-regional civil strategy.

This is not a one-off event: it was preceeded by the successful holding of the First Macro-Regional Citizen Agora (Budapest, 7-8 December 2023) and will be followed during the year by similar meetings, missions in the other macro-regions. This inclusive process with a bottom-up character aims to create a strong and sustainable civil pillar for the EU macro-regional civil strategy.

#### **Draft Programme**

Thursday, 29 February 2024

Morning	Arrival of international participants Registration and light lunch
14:00	Opening
14:10-18:00	Discussion and adoption of the 2024 civil society workplan promoting the EU macro-regional idea Ways of engagement. Setting up of a macro-regional civil network
Evening	Networking dinner

#### Friday, 1 March 2024

- 10:00-13:00 Towards the 5th Report of the Commission on the implementation of EU macro-regional strategies. A civil contribution
  Safeguarding European democracy and values. Civil actors from the macro-regions for the success of the 2024 EP elections
   13:00-13:30 Conclusions and closing
   13:30-14:30 Lunch
- 15:00-18:00 Discover the European and human face of Budapest. A joint programme

Saturday, 2 March 2024

Morning Departure of international participants

Please register <u>here</u> by 26 February 2024