

Newsletter

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Dear Reader,

I am very pleased to welcome you to the sixth issue of LIFE+ PERHT Newsletters!

PERHT has completed its second year of activities and achieved a number of intermediate results, which we would like



to share with you through this newsletter. Amona them, the operative installation the three **Bike Stations** that provide secure bicycle parking. Bicycles must be

locked to a rack using a high quality lock. Secure Bicycle parking facilities are locked and accessible only via a

personal access card. The card allows the user access 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Biking is booming in Treviso thanks to expanding network of bike lanes and greenways.















more Treviso peoples discover the joy and efficiency of riding a bike, secure

bike parking becomes increasingly important.

While renewing our warm invitation to follow us through this newsletter, through the project website and any public

project event, we would like to thank you in advance for your kind



interest our PERHT project and for any comment or suggestion you may want to let us have to improve our efforts and work.

Marco Dall'Agnol Mobilità di Marca the PERHT Project Coordinator on behalf of PERHT Consortium

Bike Stations Service

Bike stations are meant to be a safe place to park bikes while own

commuting means transportation. Hence, it comes out that the most convenient place to set up a bike station is near train stations, parkings, etc. Such a facility (which goes by names such as bike stations. bicycle

centers or cycle centers among many others) could be as simple as a lockable





bike cage or shed or as complex as a purpose-built multi-level building: the common purpose is that they provide secure bicycle parking. In terms of secure access to prevent theft or vandalism, a bike station could have on-site staff during the day, and a gate or door secured by key or by electronic card access.

The three bike stations were installed near:



Parking Foro Boario (Stadium area);

• Parking Miani;

The bike stations location has been identified in order to strengthen of intermodal park and ride and, in general, the integration between private transport mode (car) and sustainable mode (use of bikes for individual transport and in the second option in the collective transport).

The use of the bicycle as a mode of individual transport was associated, in fact at design, a competitive rule in comparison with the use of bike sharing. Furthermore the rule of bicycle in the comodality chain was associated, during the A.1 phase, at the execution of last mile movements with transport by private car or by train rather than inter-modality with the urban public transport service.

In detail, the bike station at the Foro Boario parking (Stadium) and parking Miani go just to strengthen the role and, therefore, the level of use of these areas as points of interchange with the private car to reach the city center:



Figure 1. Station FFSS



Figure 2. Parking Foro Boario



Figure 3. Parking Miani

it is noted, in this regard, that the car park at the Stadium is characterized by wide availability of free parking spaces, and at present there are still some availability. In reference to the parking Miani the establishment of a Park & Ride (car - bike) it also, will strengthen the current public





transport service with the ability to serve two types of different users: users who the want to reach final destinations closer or who want to privilege the bicycle can leave their the vehicle in



the bike to reach the Railway Station) or the number of users interested in movina the bike from one location to another.

protected area while in others (longer trips, winter season with the presence of adverse weather conditions, etc.) can use the public transport.

In these two cases, the aim is therefore to bring together the demand for mobility from peripheral areas and suburbs to the city center. This will encourage the modal shift and will increase the bicycle use in the last mile moving from only private vehicles use. This would result in traffic decongestion in the central area and in the immediate nearby.

The bike station that was installed at the Railway Station, rather, serves to promote intermodality between bike trips from the city center and the areas immediately next to the station itself and the rail service and, therefore in this case, we want to answer the question of mobility from the center to the municipalities and surrounding areas (eg commuting from the city for work or study).

From the analysis carried out in the activity A.1 it appear limited in the number of trips that involve more than two vehicles (for example moving car to the parking Miani with subsequent use of

Third Annual Workshop

The third annual workshop of the project Mobility titled "Smart Governance: pianificazione, tecnologie e servizi di mobilità condivisi" was held in Firenze on December 2nd, 2015. The workshop was an opportunity for the presentation of project results promoters (EU-LIFE+ PERHT, EU-ENPI CBC MED RAMUD, AREZZO SMART), policies and initiatives in place in the government of mobility and current and future trends. The workshop was attended by an audience of around 50 participants, representing **Public**

Authorities,
Transport
Operators,
Mobility
Agencies
and ITS
experts
coming



from different Italian Regions. The workshop proved to be a very good opportunity for fostering discussion among the different actors involved and, especially, for creating synergies with different projects and initiatives.









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