

## Interim report 02

Organization: Civic association Pronatur

Project reference: SSFA/2013/Vie06

Total cost of the contract: 20.000 eur

Reporting period: 01.05.2013 – 31.10.2013

In accordance with the articles 1., 2., 3. and 4. of the abovementioned contract, Civic association Pronatur carried out activities:

1. Internal management – on the opening meeting of the CNPA UNIT support, which was held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2013, members of the NGO Pronatur dedicated to the task “CNPA Unit support” discussed the current situation, determined mid term objective, defined actions to be undertaken and accordingly divided tasks. Permanent communication with partners from ANPAA (Association of Natural Protected Areas Administrations).
2. Revision of the CNPA documents. Existing documents were revised, mainly: Carpathian Convention, CNPA Medium Term Strategy, CNPA Medium term work plan, as well as documents “Towards a Carpathian Network of Protected Areas, Strategic Action Plan for the Carpathian area, National achievements and challenges to the implementation of the Carpathian Convention.
3. Revision of existing working groups and projects. Active participation at the Working group for sustainable tourism. Direct communication with members of the Working group on Sustainable Forestry.
4. Questionnaire on status of the involvement and needs of local CNPA members. The template for the questionnaire was developed, disseminated. Responses from particular PAs administrations are being gathered. In the next period we will make an evaluation.
5. Encouragement of local CNPA members to contribute actively to the work within CNPA and beyond and in establishment of partnerships. Discussions with CNPA members at different events towards active participation in the CNPA issue.
6. Support in organizing meetings e.g. Meeting World of Carpathians, NGO meeting within the project “Sustainable tourism strategy”.
7. Preparation of the Communication strategy. Discussion on communication strategy with Alparc, with WWF DCP, reviewing existing documents. Review and discussions on possible form and contents of newsletter.
8. Development of project ideas – creation of a database of project ideas following the responses of the questionnaires, discussions with people etc.

All activities worth to 10.000 eur were spent within the 2<sup>nd</sup> reporting period i.e in the financial year 2013.