



EUROVELO NATIONAL COORDINATION PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

Partnership Agreement is made on 15th November 2011 between European Cyclists' Federation and Federazione Italiana Amici della Bicicletta, Via Pietro Borsieri 4/e, Milano 20159, Italia.

1. Name and Business

The parties hereby form a partnership under the EuroVelo project to share overview information and coordinate the development of the European cycle route network, EuroVelo, in Italy.

2. Term

The partnership shall begin on 15th November 2011, and shall continue until terminated.

3. Capital

The capital of the partnership shall be contributed in kind by the partners as follows:

European Cyclists' Federation

- EuroVelo brand
- Route coordination on the European level
- Information on key requirements
- Exchange of experience and Best Practice
- Technical Support
- EuroVelo Communication on the European level
- Lobbying Activities

Federazione Italiana Amici della Bicicletta

- Route coordination on the national level
- Signposting coordination
- Communication on the National level
- Reporting
- Lobbying Activities
- Monitoring
- Network for services
- Public transport connection



4. Profit and Loss

The partners are responsible for fundraising to cover their costs. Net profits generated by the partners will remain theirs and equally any net losses shall be covered by themselves.

It is anticipated that National EuroVelo Coordination Centres / Coordinators will provide a financial contribution towards the central EuroVelo coordination. The financial contribution can either be provided in cash or through a common project application or bid financed from regional, national or European resources.

5. Management Duties and Restrictions

The partners shall have restricted responsibilities in the management of the partnership:

- the ECF's responsibility is limited to the European coordination,
- the National EuroVelo Coordination Centre's / Coordinator's responsibility is limited to the national coordination,
- the National EuroVelo Coordination Centre / Coordinator must follow the EuroVelo standards and guidelines in their work.

6. Voluntary and forced termination

The partnership may be dissolved at any time by:

- the agreement of the partners bilaterally; or
- unilaterally by the ECF (if the ECF is not satisfied with the work of the National EuroVelo Coordination Centre / Coordinator because the actions were not undertaken / not in accordance with the standards or a new, more effective Coordination Centre / Coordinator is established); or
- unilaterally by the National EuroVelo Coordination Centre / Coordinator (if the Coordination Centre / Coordinator is not able to perform the expected activities, or the National EuroVelo Coordination Centre / Coordinator is not satisfied with the work of the ECF)

at which event the partners shall proceed with reasonable promptness to dissolve the partnership. At that point, the National EuroVelo Coordination Centre / Coordinator must stop any EuroVelo Coordination-related activity and submit a final report about the current status of the network to ECF.

7. Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of either partner, the surviving partner shall have the right to follow up the activities described in the current partnership agreement. In cases where the ECF is the surviving partner, the ECF has the right to look for another National EuroVelo Coordination Centre / Coordinator.



8. Arbitration

Any controversy or claim arising out of, or relating to, this Agreement, or the breach hereof, shall be settled by arbitration in accordance with the rules, then obtaining, of the Belgian Centre of Arbitration and Mediation, and judgment upon the award rendered may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. In witness where of the parties have signed this Agreement.

Signature of ECF

Date: 11/11/2011

Signature of Federazione Italiana Amici della
Bicicletta

Date: 29/11/2011