

Valdobbiadene · Veneto · Italy 30<sup>th</sup> September 2022

## **MEMORANDUM**

# PROMOTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

We, the undersigned Organizers of amateur cycling events:

Mr. Massimo Stefani, Prosecco Cycling Valdobbiadene · Italy

Mr. Andrew Gould, Bike New York · U.S.A. Deputy of President and CEO, Mr. Ken Podziba

Mr. David Bellairs, Cape Town Cycle Tour · South Africa

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WHEREAS on the part of all interested and involved Subjects, emerged the will to continue and develop a common and shared path on the above issues, including definition of roles, coordination and collaboration fields between Organizers, Public Administrations, Companies, Individuals and Riders;

EVALUATED the objectives of the path started within Prosecco Cycling - and now shared by Organizers and Public Administration - represented by Veneto Region and City of Valdobbiadene in the specific case of Prosecco Cycling - all of them beeing entirely part of the Sustainable Development Project, as they operate at level of:

### economic aspect:

Development of policies concerning seasonal balancement of the offer and further attraction of tourism demand, competitiveness of the territories and development of operational business opportunity and employment for Inhabitants;

## social aspect:

Development of interactions and synergies in the hosting Communities, involving even the weakest Groups, as well as increasing the level of participation and active involvement of the same Communities in the tourist, recreational and productive spots;

## - finally, environmental aspect:

promoting and facilitating Green Mobility through the conservation and enhancement of specific components and the overall dimension of Environmental Resource; promoting and developing aspects related to activities, culture and traditions of hosting Communities as well as actively contributing to the reduction of CO2 emissions;

HAVING REGARD TO the proposal of guidelines drawn up by the Organising Body of Prosecco Cycling;

CONSIDERING this proposal as valid and, at the same time, a true approach in the direction each Organizers will apply to respective Event

### ALL THIS BEING SAID

subscribe this Memorandum together with the annexed guidelines, expressly recognising its value and role as a programmatic and guiding Act.

**BIKE NEW YORK** 

Mr. Massimo Stefani PROSECCO CYCLING

Mr. David Bellairs CAPE CYCLE TOUR



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