## **Report of local dialogue** organised by CoR Member **Matteo Luigi Bianchi (IT/ECR)**

## The role of local and regional authorities in the future of the European Union











Organised by	Community of Varese
Partners	VareseNews, Anci Lombardia, Inrete, Glocal+
Date and time of the event	6 November, 2023
Event type	One site
Location(s) of event	Palazzo Estense via Sacco, 5 Varese, Italy
Total number of participants	200
Type of participants	Local authorities and other stakeholders
Name of CoR Members participating	Matteo Luigi Bianchi, Roberto Pella
Name(s) of representatives from other EU institutions	Isabella Tovaglieri, MEP
Name(s) of national ministers participating	Giancarlo Giorgetti, Italy's Minister for the Economy
Name(s) of Young Elected Politicians (YEPs) participating	Maria Paola Cocchiere, Helin Yldiz, Stefano Angei, Christine Grosso

Theme(s) covered during the event	☐ Climate change and the environment
	⊠ Health
	□ A stronger economy, social justice and jobs
	⊠ EU in the world
	☑ Values and rights, rule of law, security
	☐ Digital transformation
	⊠ European democracy
	⊠ Migration
	⊠ Education, culture, youth and sport
	☑ Other ideas – please give details below:
Other ideas	
	Cross-border cooperation with Switzerland
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	2) Better environment transition for our cities
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Recommendations / conclusions from the	3) The importance of cross-border cooperation
debate	
	4) How to find goof legacy for Winter Olympic games
	5) The future of Europe – input from local authorities is essential
Other relevant messages expressed by	
citizens or speakers during the event	The importance and relevance of local authorities
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Hyperlinks to web / press / social media coverage	https://infojuice.media/permalink/uCCqsun0OE#
coverage	









