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Cascinette d'Ivrea

Attendants from Cascinette

Piero Osenga

- . many-years managerial experience in the Olivetti Group as:
 - . Plant Director of the production factories in Italy and abroad (Mexico)
 - . General Manager of some firms of the Group
- . at present Mayor of Cascinette d'Ivrea.

Francesco Terzi

- . professional experience in Olivetti as:
 - . Project-leader in Product Planning Department
 - . Product manager in Marketing Services
 - . Responsible for Special Products
- . at present Member of the Cascinette Council.

Elena Crotta

- . experience as psycologist, with own private activity in Ivrea, and:
 - . Consultant in occupational orienteering and aid to labourless people (projects financed by the European Social Fund)
 - . Consultant for Equal Opportunities actions (training of operators)
 - . Teacher in some regional Schools and Training Agencies
 - . previous experience as Marketing Responsible for Italy in a multi-national informatics firm
- . at present Member of the Cascinette Council.

Mariella Termine

- . Degree in Diplomatic Sciences, and stage periods as a consultant in ONG organizations in the field of international social cooperation:
 - . experience in Senegal within CISV Project (for development of "responsible turism", and for teaching waste management in local schools)
 - . experience in Ireland for financing of programs of cooperative development
- . at present interested in the local Social Aid Society "IN.RETE" in Ivrea.

Introduction

For each area of interest of public life and administration activities, a short list of issues or possible topics for discussion is given, taken from the Program received: every Workgroup can obviously refer to, add or modify this list.

The issues should also be considered as titles for:

- a) actions planned or accomplished by the various Town Councils
- b) areas susceptible of possible future interest or development, that the Town Councils can approach or detail better.

We think that putting together ideas, examples, accomplishments, comparisons, feasibility evaluations concerning these issues, with respect to what Administrations can do or cannot do, can reveal to be generally useful, and specifically useful for our behavior as citizens and as citizens of Europe.

The outcome could then be a direction of actions to be shared by all the Europeans, and can be a way to help ourselves and other people to have a better living.