



ACTIONS TAKEN YEAR 2012

INSTITUTIONALS CONTACTS AND RECRUITMENT OF MEMBERS

During 2012 and after the changes as a result of the most recent general elections, the work of the network intensified to recompose political alliances and so that the governing bodies could get to know and to take into account cork-producing territories.

In addition to meetings with deputies and senators at a state level and direct contact with associations in the sector and related to it, we would highlight two meetings and the repercussions that they could have at a European level: the first of them took place with Joana Agudo, a member of the European Economic and Social Committee (EESC), who stated that this body is evaluating the documentation on the decision that the European Parliament and Council must approve regarding the new uses of land and its emissions and in which, for the moment, cork oak forests are not listed as a specific ecosystem; thus opening a line of work for the Network. The second meeting was with the Euro MP, Ramon Tremosa, who expressed his availability and commitment to the sector but urged those who attended the meeting to forge a close collaborative, working relationship.

- Mr. Pere Maluquer, senador de Convergència i Unió
- Mr. Germán Puebla, Director General de IPROCOR
- Mrs. Sònia Martínez, Alcaldesa del Ayuntamiento de La Jonquera
- Mrs. Concepció Veray, diputada del Partido Popular al Congreso por Girona
- Mrs. Iolanda Pineda, senadora del Partido Socialista de Cataluña (PSC)
- Mr. Miquel Rafa, Director del área Territorio y Paisaje de la Obra Social de CatalunyaCaixa
- Mrs. Laia Ortiz y la Mrs. Teresa Jordà, diputadas en el Congreso por Iniciativa per Catalunya Verds y Esquerra Republicana per Catalunya, respectivament
- CIREM (Centre d'Iniciatives i Recerques Europees a la Mediterrània)
- Mr. Quim Gubau, técnico de la Associació de Gestors Forestals de las Gavarres
- Parque Natural Tajo Internacional
- Câmara Municipal de Santa Maria da Feira y Centro Tecnológico da Cortiça – CTCOR
- Editorial Gavarres
- Mr. Carvalho, representante de AMORIM, y Mr. Soler, gestor forestal local
- ICTA, Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona

- Mrs. Joana Agudo, miembro del Comité Económico y Social Europeo (CESE)
- Red de Juderías de España - Caminos de Sefarad
- Reunión con el Consejero de Agricultura y los Directores Generales de IPROCOR y de Medio Ambiente y de Incentivos Agroindustriales de la Junta de Extremadura.
- EUROCAT, programa de trabajo del espacio catalán transfronterizo
- Mrs. Carme Ribes, Secretaria General de RECEVIN y Mr. Josep Maria Albet i Noya, Presidente de la Denominación de Origen Penedès
- Fundación VIMAR
- Comune di Calangianus
- Mr. Tremosa, Europarlamentario
- Consell Comarcal del Alt Empordà
- Mr. Alejandro Cercas Alonso, Europarlamentario
- Socios portugueses de RETECORK



- Jornadas Técnicas del Espacio Catalán Transfronterizo



- Mr. Miguel Pinilla, Alcalde del municipio de Sestrica y Mr. Juan C. Martínez, Secretario de la localidad.
- Premio Gla d'Or otorgado por la patronal catalana del corcho, AECORK



- Comune di Monti y la Associazione Nazionale Comuni Italiani (ANCI)