





The experience of the City of Rome: the pilots in three Districts





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Three Pilot initiatives as a model of governance for UPAs - Urban and Peri-urban Agriculture.

Roma developed the *Regulations of Urban Gardens* (24th of July 2015).

Three pilots have been implemented in the Northern, Eastern and Southern area of Rome, a metropolitan city with 2.800.000 inhabitants.







Villa Glori pilot site – District 2

This pilot is located in the Municipal Green Park of Villa Glori – Northern area of Rome.

Total surface approx **1,000 sqm**., divided in 7 small plots, from 25 sq.m to 35 sq.m

The Charity Association of Caritas manages the area, including the Centre for A.I.D.S. and Alzheimer patients.

Purpose of the pilot is "therapeutic" and promotes social inclusion among the patients, the local associations and the schools.







Villa Glori pilot site – District 2



Capitalisation event on the 21st of September 2016 with students from Temple University of Philadelphia (USA)







Valle dell'Aniene pilot site – District 4

The pilot area is located in the **Eastern urban area of Rome**, within the Natural Reserve of Valle Aniene.

Total surface is 11,740 sqm.

The purpose of the pilot site is twofold:

- ✓ environmental recovery
- ✓ social initiatives

The pilot includes **64 individual plots of 60 sqm each**, plus recreational and rest areas and is managed by the association "Insieme per l'Aniene Onlus".







Valle dell'Aniene pilot site – District 4









Casal Brunori pilot site – District 9

The pilot area is located in the **Southern urban area of Rome**, with a surface of **13,500 sqm**.

The site hosts approximately 100 individual gardens of 36 sqm each for 150 citizens, plus recreational and rest areas.

The "Vivere In ... ONLUS" association manages the area.

Agreements with two local high schools, Regional Health Unit, "La Terra dei sogni" association, Scout groups, volunteers of civil protection, and Parishes and the Caritas centre "Emporio Caritas parrocchiale", to provide them with agricultural produce for needy families.

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Casal Brunori pilot site – District 9









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The targets set have been fully reached.

SIDiG-MED confirms that a local participatory process constitutes a value in terms of good practices, and a model to be adopted for other urban areas and not only in Rome.

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