

NeoN CHARTER

Mission



We are an informal platform for sharing and collaboration among civil society organisations networks of active citizens. We interconnect organisations working in different fields and formats in order to strengthen pluralist democracy, resilient civil society and sustainable living.

Vision



We want a healthy and diverse society, caring for vulnerable groups and nature. Society in which common challenges are openly tabled, a constructive debate about their fair solutions is conducted among different visions and views of all stakeholders, where the rule of law is respected and public institutions are accountable for their actions to citizens.

Impact



We create a space to quest for and promote common solutions in a spirit of respect, fairness and solidarity - we strengthen ties with stakeholders and collaboration among organizations and networks. We draw attention to cases in public decision-making where these mentioned principles are at risk or violated. We defend these principles by dealing with responsible actors in relevant areas or by pursuing information activities.

Ways of Working



These are indeed the involved networks, organisations and working groups who are in the driver's seat for common actions. They bring expertise, their own capacity and accountability for the results. Their representatives make collective decisions in the Backbone Team. Through NeoN, we continuously monitor the context, reflect on our collective impact and strategically plan common priorities. NeoN is a living organism that responds to changing situations. We build mutual trust which also implies that each involved network and organisation is free to engage (also partially) in common actions in respect to their own views, initiative and means.

Resources



NeoN is primarily based on mutual support and energy, activity and knowledge, which we share voluntarily. We are motivated by a common vision, shared principles and results of collaboration.

Engagement



We are open to looser or closer engagement of any network that actively promotes the same vision and the same principles of collaboration.

