

### LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

#### Always on the front lines

We have proven it yet again: we are and do public service, which is essential to ensure that the most vulnerable persons have a decent life with opportunities. We are now faced with

a new social crisis that threatens to be even more exclusionary, unjust and unequal than the one in 2008, and we social entities have to roll up our sleeves and get down to work.

We at the Table will continue to demand fulfilment of social rights to ensure that nobody is left behind, and we will continue to call for all the tools that social entities need to be stronger. In 2019, we have developed 5 regional barometers, we have fostered internationalisation, we have forged new alliance with the Forum of Local Union Members and with the United Table in Defence of the Social Sector, and we have worked on the future Law on the Social and Solidarity Economy and on the 4th Support Plan. We have also developed electoral proposals and organised the first debate with all the mayoral candidates in Barcelona, and we have brought issues to the table like the difficulties of quaranteed income; energy poverty; school bullying over sexual orientation, identity and/or gender expression; and the need to have interoperable data on the public agenda. Furthermore, we have promoted training and seminars, developed a proposed code of ethics and improved internal participation. The goal of all these actions is to be better prepared for times like now, which require us to be even more imaginative, innovative and efficient than ever. During the COVID-19 emergency, we have managed to readapt to meet people's needs quickly and nimbly, and I am confident we will continue to do so when faced with the new challenges to come.

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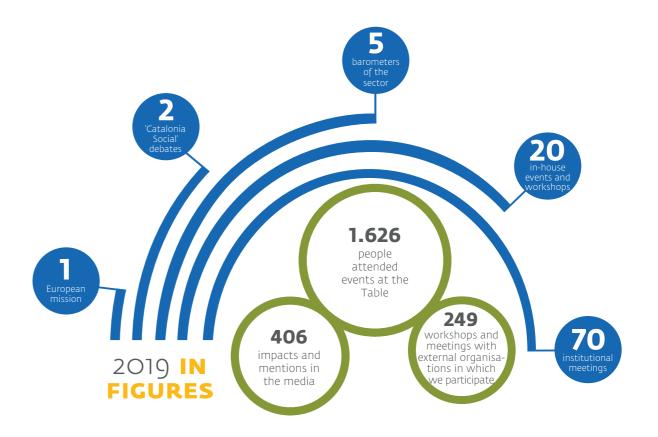
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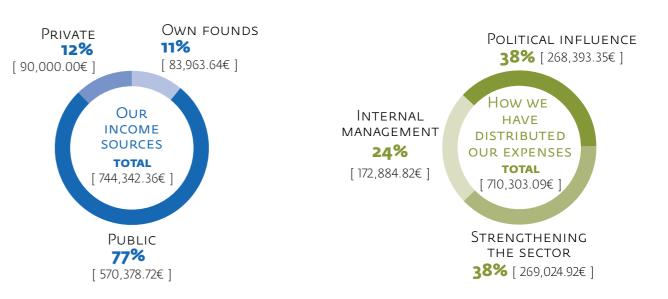
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### **ECONOMIC** REPORT

in order to include all sensibilities and an ethical perspective



## IN OUR LOBBYING

# WHAT HAVE WE ACCOMPLISHED?

### TO DEFEND SOCIAL RIGHTS

- Guaranteed Citizen Income Government Commission Labour, Economic and Social Council of Catalonia Strategic Social Services Plan Institutiona Human Rights Plan of Catalonia meetings and
- Urban Agenda of Catalonia in bodies and City Council (Barcelona Town Hall)

Citizen Agreement (Barcelona Town Hall)

 Social and Solidarity Economy City Strategy Appearances in Parliament draft law on service contracts





participation

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projects





WE ARE WORKING

THIRD SECTOR

TOWARDS A MC







26 communicative

impacts

Professional Association of Economists of Catalonia









SECTOR ON THE

POLITICAL AGENDA

Municipal

elections

## STRENGTHENING AND



Analysis of relations between the local world (town halls, **Social Sector** county councils and provincial councils) and social entities.

Analysis and knowledge of investment in social policies in the regions

Use to lobby the local administrations 5 regional barometers in Barcelona, Lleida, Girona, Tarragona and Central Catalonia

NEW

WE ARE GENERATING A USEFUL TOOL WHICH CONTRIBUTES TO CO-PRODUCING LOCAL SOCIAL POLICIES



We are renewing our partnership with IVALUA to continue to offer tools and training to social entities. ■ training seminars analysis of advice

■ development of a *toolkit* 

WE ARE HELPING ENTITIES BECOME MORE EFFICIENT

## **IMPROVING** THE THIRD SECTOR



Internationalisation : Development of a lobby in institutions and bodies, especially at European level, to represent and strengthen the sector, identify sources of financing and foster networking with other European agents.

Mission to learn about European funds

Meetings with the **Secretary for** Foreign Action of the Government of Catalonia and with Selveje Danmark, a Danish social entity platform



Workshop with ACCIÓ: 'European funds and programmes for social enterprises'

#### **European elections**

'Europe: The opportunity to quarantee social rights': Debate with candidates in the European Parliament elections

**European Social Services Network congress** 

funding for 11 entities

WE HELP SOCIAL ENTITIES GAIN ACCESS TO EUROPEAN FINANCING We are promoting knowledge of and interaction with european platforms



■ We are creating a mixed commis- ■ We are developing a proposal sion with members of the board adapted to the unique features of directors and the federations that are not board members.

of the Table.



THE GOVERNMENT COMMISSION ON THE GUARAN-TEED CITIZEN INCOME IS ADAPTING THE PROPOSED **REGULATION** TO THE NEEDS OF SOCIAL ENTITIES.

PACT WITH THE GOVERNMENT, LOCAL ADMINISTRATIONS, MUNICIPAL ENTITIES AND THIRD SECTOR TO PROPOSE AN AGREEMENT WITH SUPPLIERS ON THE ENERGY DEBT.

SIGNIFICANT IMPROVEMENTS AND CHANGES IN THE CONDITIONS AND CALENDAR OF SUBSIDIES. especially the ones from DTASF.



**Third Sector** We are assessing the 3rd Support **Plan** with the federations' participation and compiling proposals to **improve the 4th plan**.

actions





■ We are analysing and modifying the **internal rules** to improve the criteria of gender equity, participation dynamics and electoral procedures.

■ We are training one person on the team to serve as the data protection delegate

WE ARE WORKING TOWARDS MORE PARTICIPATIVE AND ETHICAL MANAGEMENT

of entities tercersector.cat/mapa

We are fostering their usefulness by offering open data.

- The data can be downloaded using multiple filters.
- The social entities' products and services are being added and linked with the Barcelona Activa online directory.





### DIGITAL INNOVATION



WE ARE STRESSING THE NEED TO WORK WITH INTEROPERABLE DATA

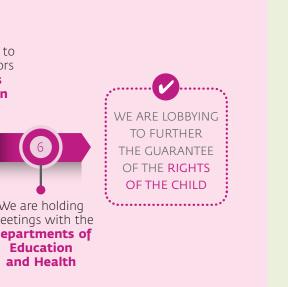
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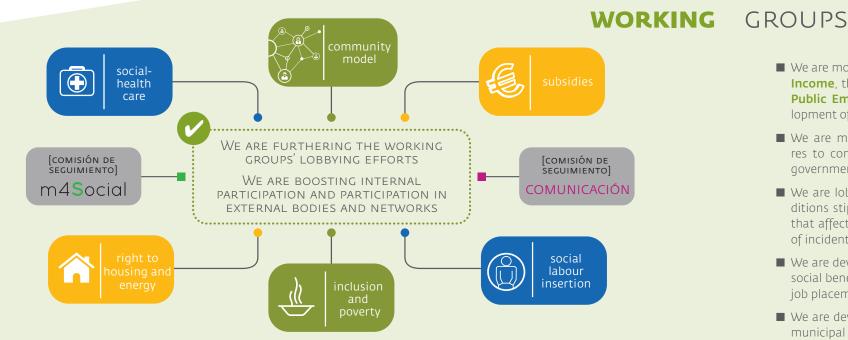


of the Child 30 years later

3 opinion articles







- We are monitoring implementation of **Guaranteed Citizen Income**, the development of the regional agreement of the Public Employment Service of Catalonia and the development of the future **Strategic Social Services Plan**.
- We are monitoring and participating in defining measures to combat **energy poverty** in conjunction with the government of Catalonia.
- We are lobbying to improve the current state of the conditions stipulated in calls for applications for subsidies that affect social entities in order to decrease the number of incidents.
- We are developing **studies** on Guaranteed Citizen Income. social benefits, the subsidy system and market reserves for job placement companies and special work centres.
- We are developing documents on **electoral proposals** for municipal and European elections.



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The Table of Entities of the Third Social Sector of Catalonia is an institution founded in 2003 that brings together and represents 33 federations and large organisations which encompass more than 3,000 social entities which attend to and provide services and support to people. The Table's actions focus primarily on lobbying to defend social rights and strengthen the third sector.



































































Our remembrance of and tribute to Josep Maria Gasol, president of COHABITAC.

The third social sector has lost a tenacious advocate who was firmly committed to defending the right to housing.



In agreement with:





