

Last developments

MarSP 1º Workshop de Envolvimento de Interessados no processo de Ordenamento do Espaço Marítimo dos Açores

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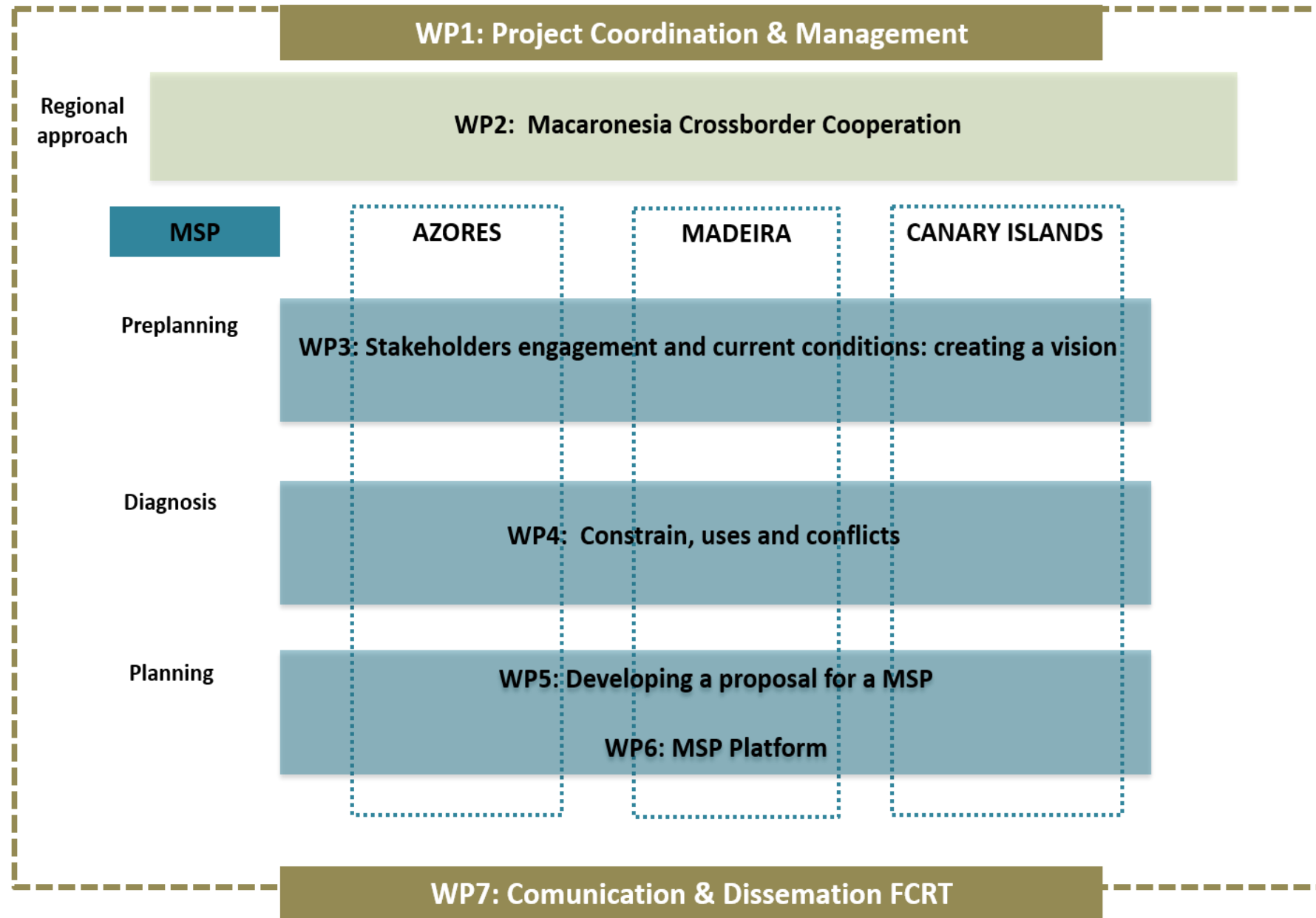


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Macaronesian Maritime Spatial Planning (MARSP)

- WP1: Coordination and Management.
- WP2: Mapping the current conditions and creating a vision for the MSP in Macaronesia.
- WP3: Defining potential marine uses in Macaronesia, dealing with constraints and conflicts while assuring the good marine environmental status.
- WP4: Development of the Marine Spatial Planning processes.
- WP5: MSP Platform
- WP6: Macaronesian Cross-border Cooperation
- WP7: Communication and Dissemination



The 1st workshop of stakeholders involvement - How it worked

- Three meetings were held at the same time:
 - Faial: Amor da Pátria, Horta
 - São Miguel: Nonagon, Lagoa
 - Terceira: Centro Cultural e de Congressos de Angra do Heroísmo
- A dataset of stakeholders was prepared and 253 invitations were sent.



49 stakeholders allowed to participate – 20% of the sent invitations

The workshop

1st activity - Cloud of words:

Qual é a primeira palavra que lhe ocorre quando se fala em Ordenamento do Espaço Marítimo?
(máximo três envios)

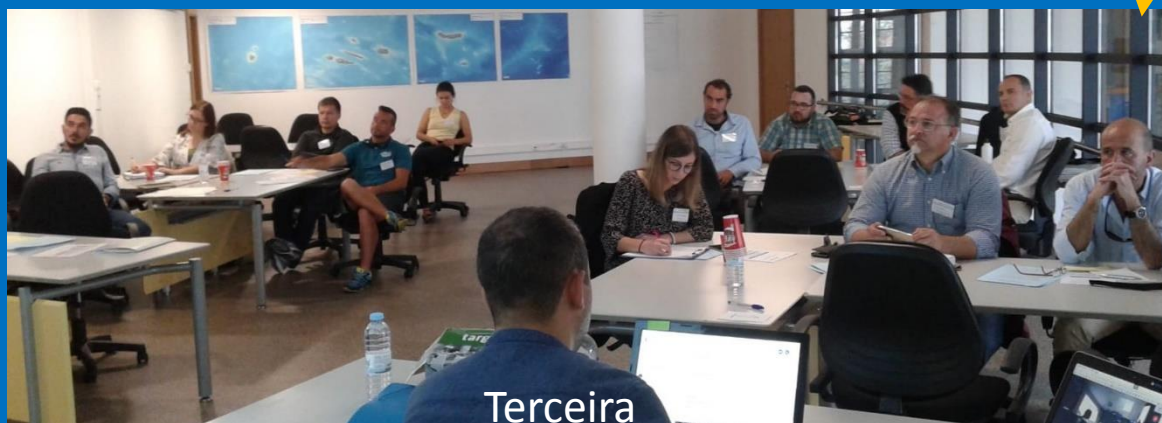


ADD RESPONSE

Other topics discussed:

- Stakeholder involvement;
- Flexibility and long-term adaptation;
- Importance of defining a good vision for MSP;
- MSP must integrate diferente scales (costal, oceanic, etc.)
- Future generations;
- Education;
- Heritage dimension;
- Sports.

Meetings: searching for a MSP vision



Faial: Espaço Marítimo dos Açores maximiza o potencial na gestão adaptativa dos objectivos de desenvolvimento sustentável entre as dimensões económicas, sócio-cultural e ambiental onde existe respeito, espaço para todos os utilizadores e uma regulamentação e implementação eficiente.

Terceira: Gestão sustentável e harmónica dos recursos apostando desde já na educação ambiental e escolar.

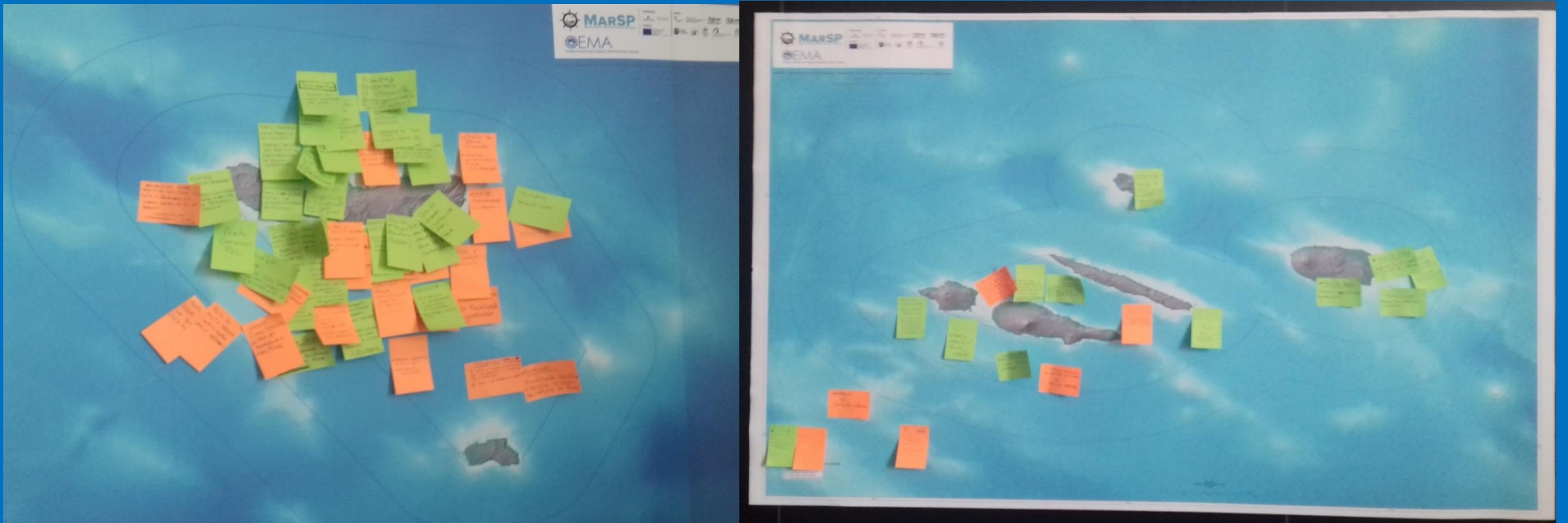
São Miguel: O OEM promove e consolida a posição geoestratégica da Região. O Mar dos Açores cumpre o seu potencial de desenvolvimento socioeconómico, bom estado ambiental, fruição e salvaguarda dos valores naturais para as gerações vindouras com o envolvimento da sociedade Açoriana.



Gaps were also identified, as well as opportunities

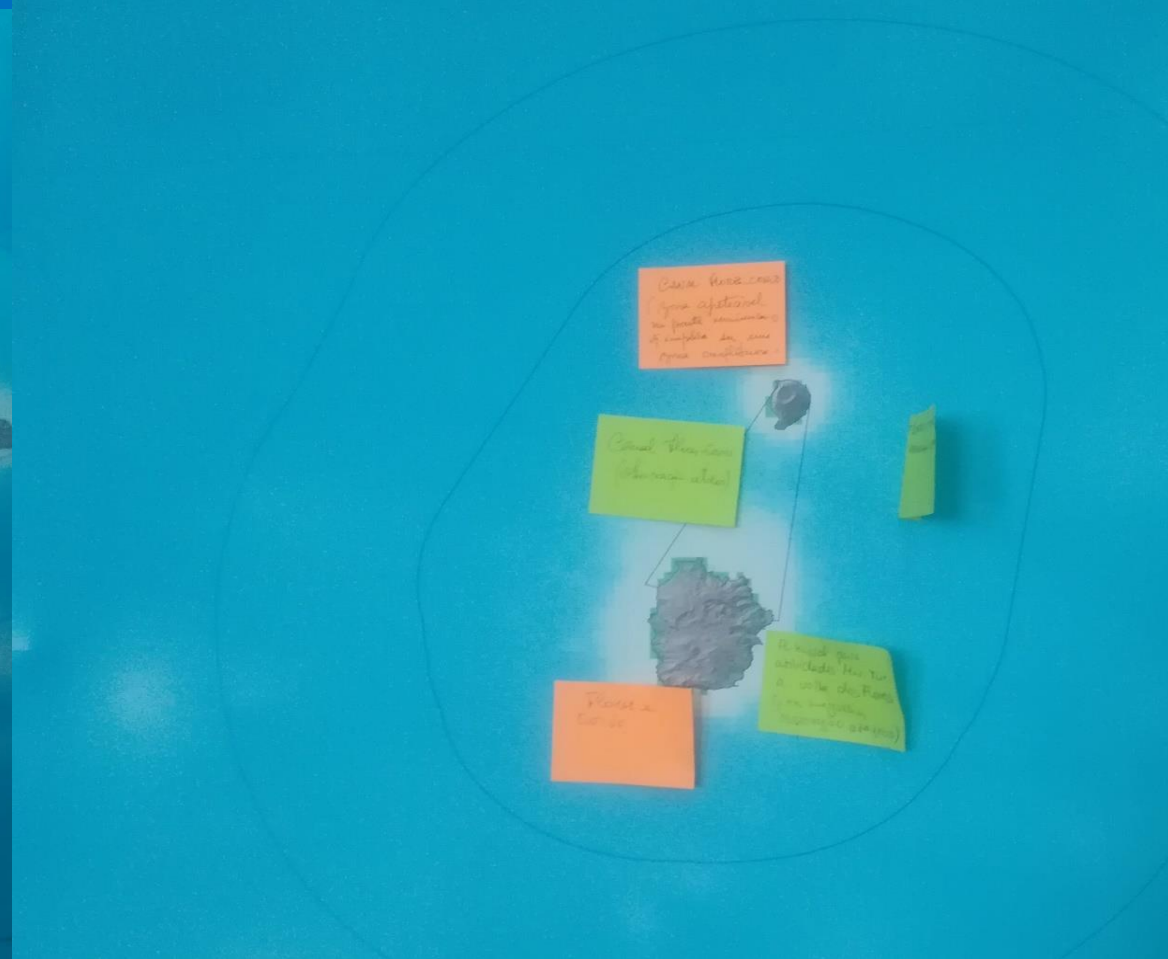
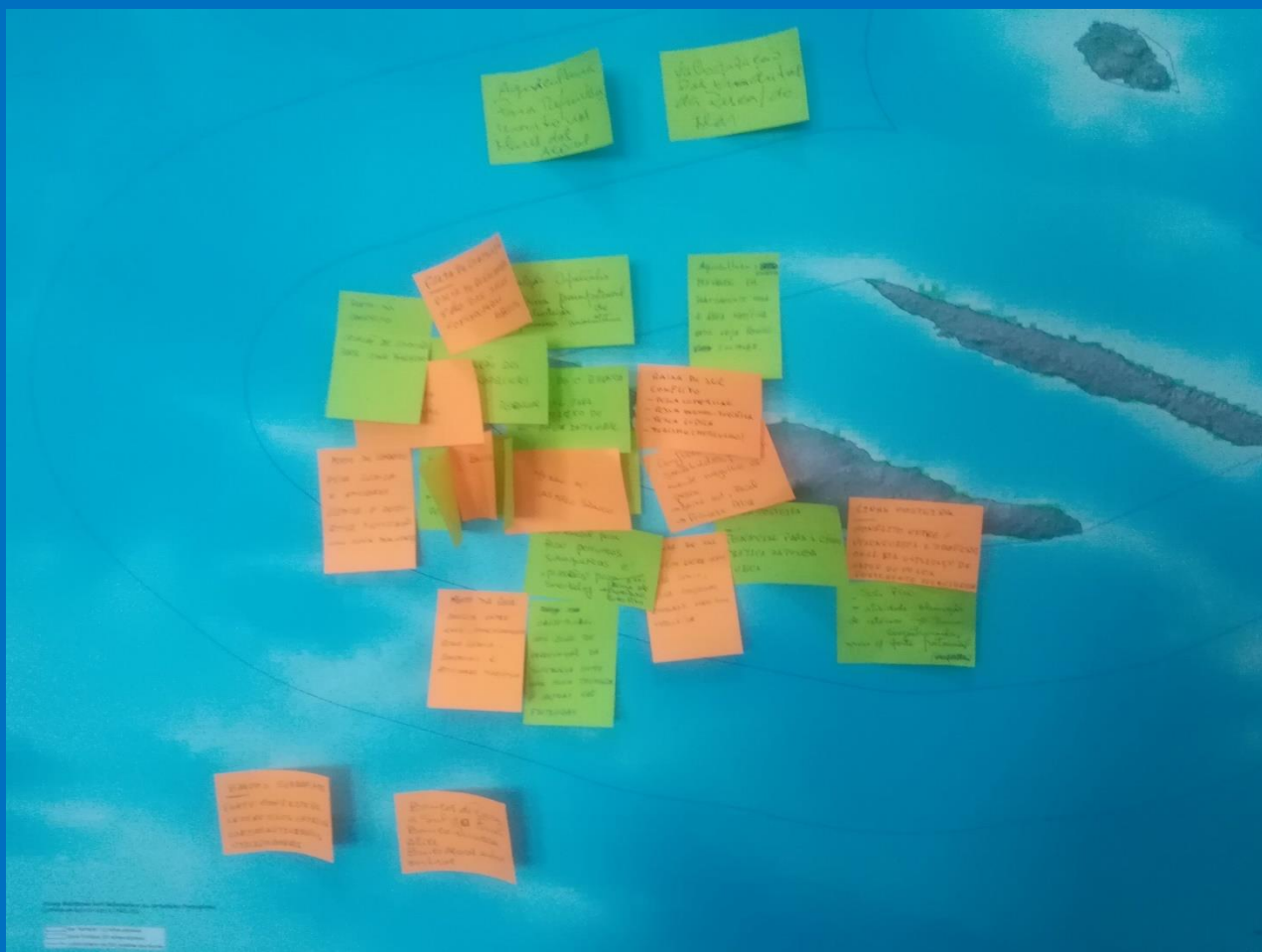
- Some examples of gaps:
 - A need for better communication;
 - More surveillance;
 - Legislation is often complex and difficult to implement;
 - Lack of resources to put the plan in practice;
 - Lack of information and knowledge;

Stakeholders were invited to identify needs and opportunities and space them



São Miguel

Needs and opportunities



Faial

Needs and opportunities



Terceira

An attempt to reach a common vision

A Vision for the MSP (na attempt to integrate the three visions):

The Sea of the Azores cumpre its potential of social and economic development, mantaining its Good Environmental Status, assuring its common use and the conservation of its natural values.

The MSP promotes and consolidates the strategic location of the Azores.

Thanks

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