R2 AM22: Climate Adaptation Is Justice: Care for Europe's Vulnerable Territories

Proposers DWARS

Motion text

From line 98 to 100:

- ~~Support for resilient buildings and settlements through the **retrofitting of homes and public infrastructure** for energy efficiency and climate adaptation, using locally appropriate materials and designs;~~
- Integration of binding climate adaptation criteria, including passive cooling, nature-based solutions such as green roofs, flood resilience, water management, and the use of locally appropriate and low-impact materials adapted to territorial condition into existing EU **renovation and housing policies**, prioritising essential infrastructure in vulnerable rural, mountainous and inland territories.

Reason

The EU already supports this through for example the Energy Performance of Buildings Directive (EPBD) and the Renovation Wave, however it is mostly directed at climate mitigation, and does not consider adaptation criteria.