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The SERN General Assembly of the associated members, gathered in Rimini on 18th April, approved the proposed members of the new Executive Board and of the Board of Auditors.

Roberta Mori (Province of Reggio Emilia) has been nominated as Chairperson of the Executive Board and President of the SERN network and Li Teske (City of Norrköping) as Vice Chairperson.

The other people composing the group of 22 representatives of the members are: Karen Visani (Rimini Municipality), Elettra Stamboulis (Ravenna Municipality), Gianpaolo Amadori (Bertinoro Municipality), Giovanni Bucci (Forlì Municipality), Gabriele Ferrari (Province of Parma), Luciano Gobbi (Province of Reggio Emilia), Gianluca Manelli (Scandiano Municipality), Mario Marini (Parma Municipality) and Francesco Trivelloni (Union Terre Verdiane) for the Italian members; Gert-Inge Andersson (Trollhättan Municipality), Lisbeth Årgardh (Molndal Municipality), Alex Bergström (Region Västra Götaland), Marie Dahlin (Vänersborg Municipality), Eva Andersson (Norrköping Municipality), Jan Owe Larsson (Östhammar), Kent Ögren (Norrbotten County Council), Jerry Johansson (Arvidsjaur Municipality), Anna Hövenmark (Jokkmokk Municipality) and Åke Eltoft (Boden Municipality) for the Swedish members.

As proposed by the Executive Board, the new approved members of the SERN Board of Auditors are: Mauro Ottavi (AICCRE Emilia Romagna), Paola Zucchi (Meldola Municipality), Ulf Eriksson (Falköping Municipality) and Kenneth Backårg (Boden Municipality) as Chairperson.

A representative of the Region Emilia Romagna will be invited as permanent observer during the Executive Board meetings.