

## NEWS

### **Women Network accompanies residents in Barcelona Metropolitan Area to learn more about their neighborhood**

Representatives of the METROPOLIS Women International Network and the Secretariat General participated in an activity called Jane's Walk on 9 May, organized by Col·lectiu Punt 6 in the La Mina neighborhood of Sant Adrià del Besós, in the Barcelona Metropolitan Area. Accompanied by members of the Association of Residents, they got a first-hand look at the urban transformations that have been underway for years, designed to improve quality of life for residents of La Mina, a neighborhood stigmatized for drugs affecting it socially, economically, culturally, territorially and in terms of employment.

"Jane's Walk is a series of walking tours around the neighborhoods that allow participants to connect with their community and neighbors, closing social and geographical gaps and creating a space where cities can discover themselves. Jane's Walk began in 2007 in cities in North America and other cities around the world have gradually joined this initiative." Col·lectiu Punt 6.