

Preserving biodiversity, landscapes and the quality of air and soils



## Soil Protection and Sustainability in the Danube Region

## Very short Background of the EUSDR

8 EU countries 6 non-EU countries

# The Danube Region



**7.000 species**  
**Wetlands meadows forests**  
**vulnerable areas biodiversity.**  
**Biodiversity natural heritage well-being prosperity**  
**habitats Natura 2000**

# The four Pillars of the EU Strategy for the Danube Region

## Pillar 1: Connecting the Danube Region



## Pillar 2: Protecting the Environment in the Danube Region

PA 4 Water Quality

PA 5 Environmental Risks

PA 6 Biodiversity

## Pillar 3: Building Prosperity in the Danube Region



## Pillar 4: Strengthening the Danube Region



Priority Area  
Coordinators

## PRIORITY AREA 6

Preserving biodiversity, landscapes and the quality of air and soils

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- **including degraded soils.**
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## ACTION PLAN of EUSDR for PA6

### Preservation of biodiversity and landscapes:

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## ACTION PLAN of EUSDR for PA6 (cont.)

### Preservation and improvement of the quality of soils:

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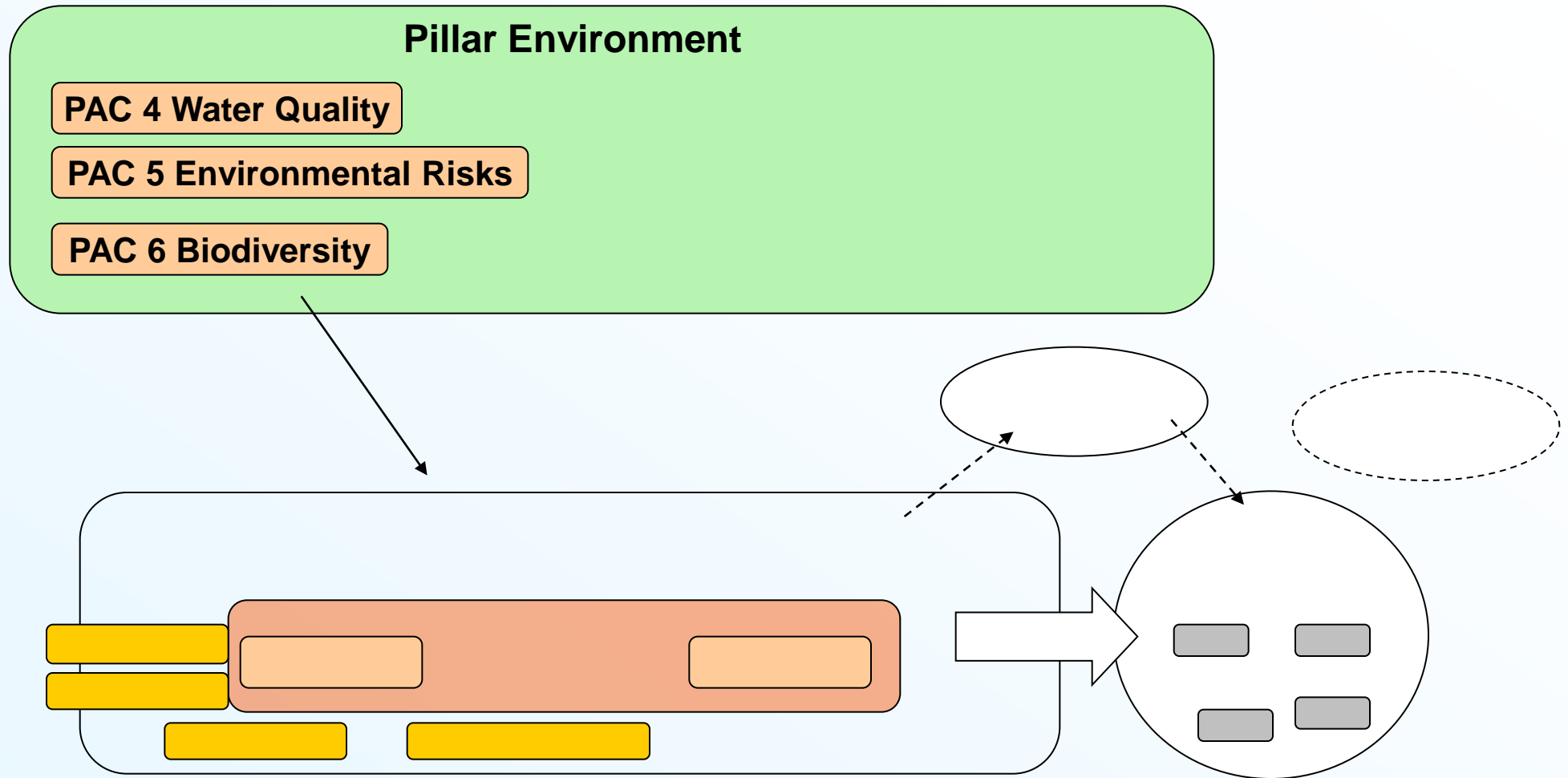
### Improvement of air quality:

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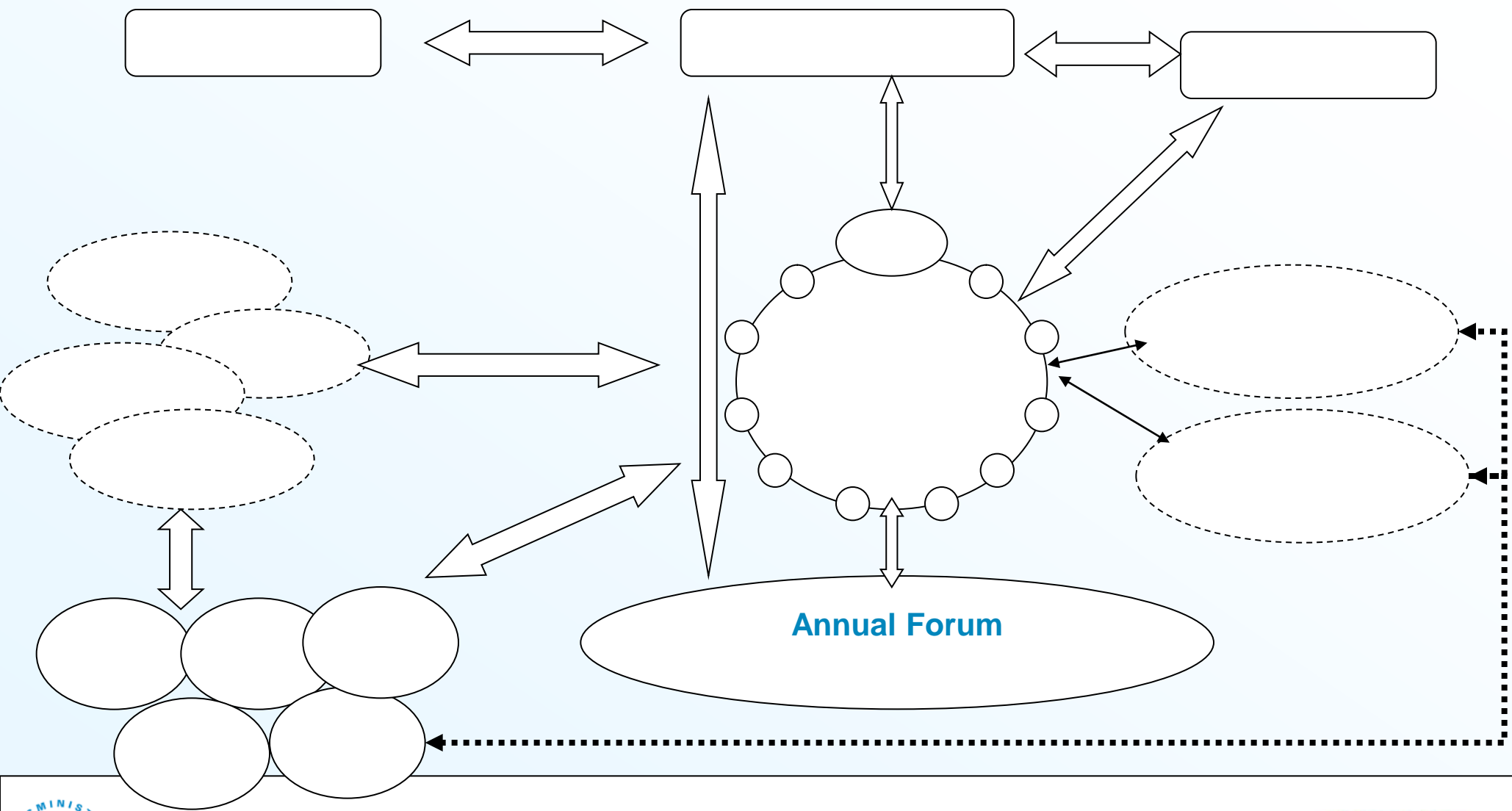
### Education of people on the value of natural assets, ecosystems and the services they provide:

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# Organisation Chart of PA6



# Overall Organisation Chart



## What are the PACs supposed to do?

### • Project Coordination

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### • Horizontal Coordination

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### • Governance and policy level

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## Some reflections, viewpoint from PAC

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