The Platform for Volunteering in the Balearic Islands (*Plataforma del Voluntariat a les Illes Balears* ), in collaboration with the

Formentera Office of Social Welfare (

Conselleria de Benestar Social

), will host two face-to-face gatherings on the island on 26 and 27 November. The first, geared toward local volunteer groups, is an informative session where attendees will learn about the regulatory requirements under the law and available resources and benefit from a space for joint assessment. The info session will take place 26 November from 4.00pm to 6.00pm in the Consell de Formentera conference room ( sala d'actes

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The second gathering is designed as a basic training session for individuals who have recently started volunteering as part of a programme or are interested in learning about the world of volunteering. That event will be held 27 November from 10.00am to 2.00pm in the same place.

Councillor of Social Welfare Rafael Ramírez encouraged volunteer groups and interested islanders to get to know the world of volunteering and to participate in it. "Volunteering is an active driver of social transformation and we must promote public policies to foment it and spread the word", he said.

To take part or ask a question, contact the Office of Social Welfare at by email at <a href="mailto:immigracio@conselldeformentera.cat">immigracio@conselldeformentera.cat</a> or by phoning 971 32 12 71.

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