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A CINEMATOGRAPHIC SCENARIO FOR THE 2ND LEG OF THE 1000 MIGLIA 2021

The city of Grosseto, among the novelties

June 17 2021 – After leaving the warmth of Versilia, the cars of the **1000 Miglia** are expected for lunch in Piazza Ponte Giorgini in Castiglione della Pescaia. The route will offer participants a breathtaking view of the medieval village before a brief and well-deserved stop.

Today's second iconic leg is characterized by locations made famous in some of the most important films in the history of cinema. Castagneto Carducci and Massa Marittima were crowded and enthusiastic. In the first location the cars also crossed the straight stretch of Viale dei Cipressi, made famous by Carducci as well as one of the scenarios went down in history in the colossal "Quo Vadis" with the unforgettable Robert Taylor. The crews will then move on to the Romito coastline in the province of Livorno following the footsteps of the film "Il Sorpasso" by Dino Risi.

The caravan continues in the afternoon towards the capital **passing through Grosseto**, **which for the first time welcomes the regularity race**. Before arriving in Rome, the cars will drive along Lake Bolsena, passing through Viterbo and Ronciglione, a regular appointment of the most beautiful race in the world.

"The inverted direction is only one of the novelties of the 1000 Miglia 2021" comments Alberto Piantoni, Managing Director of 1000 Miglia srl "we continue the objective of making Italy known in its entireness, and for this reason we have decided to bring the historical re-enactment of the race to some cities that have not yet been crossed, such as Grosseto."

Even today the cars are accompanied by summer temperatures, a further obstacle for the drivers to face.

An exceptional participant is the Chairman of Stellantis John Elkann accompanied by his wife Lavinia Borromeo: "Returning to the 1000 Miglia has given us a great feeling: it's been exciting to cross the packed squares and experience all the fans' enthusiasm. The performance of our Alfa Romeo 1900 Super Sprint has also been amazing: we held nothing back to get to the Parma time check on time. Then, on the Cisa Pass, we witnessed some

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of the most breathtaking views and the most enjoyable roads; arriving on the Viareggio seafront was incredible too. It's the most beautiful race in the world in the most beautiful country in the world: we like to think that the great turnout is a sign of optimism and the recovery, as well as one of passion for Alfa Romeo."

The German Robert Michel, on board the car S.I.A.T.A Daina Gran Sport Spider of 1951 number 184, accompanied by the navigator Alexander Kopf, is at his first 1000 Miglia and he express all his emotion: "We have followed the 1000 Miglia for over 22 years and this is our first edition in which we compete. It's a crazy experience, seeing these wonderful Italian landscapes, the people waving along the route, we really didn't expect it. Today is much tougher than yesterday because it's a 14-hour race."

At the end of leg 27 of Lago di Massaciuccoli, Andrea Vesco with Fabio Salvinelli are leading driving the car Alfa Romeo 6C 1750 Super Sport of 1929 number 43.

To follow the race route Sector 4 – Bibbona – Castiglione della Pescaia

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