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Sustainable "Passive" Strategies to Improve Resilience and Comfort in Urban Areas: The Role of Construction Materials and Citizens Involvement

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Urban areas are facing numerous challenges related to changing climate conditions, population growth, and land consumption. Many strategies are being studied to mitigate such challenges: Among them, "passive" ones allow mitigation without consuming additional energy, i.e., by exploiting the intrinsic performance of buildings and urban elements themselves or by involving citizens in adaptation and sustainability actions.

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