## ESG on CROSS BORDER PROTEST and PETITION

The cross border protest which took place in La Linea by La Plataforma por el Estudio Epidemiologico saw support from at least 400 people from towns around the Bay, including Gibraltar.

Short speeches were made by the three elected speakers, from Verdemar, a poet from San Roque, and Ernest Teuma, an ESG executive committee member. The ESG had also been able to secure the participation of the highly talented local musicians who were able to help make an occasion of the event.

The event goes down as another step in the communities struggle to persuade authorities to do more for the environmental health of the region and to acknowledge that serious problems do exist.

A petition calling on La Comision Mixta to fulfil its pledge to jointly fund a rigorous, independent epidemiological study will continue to run until such time as its is considered that most, if not all people, who want to sign it will have had a chance to do so.