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SETÚBAL - BETWEEN A RIVER AND A MOUNTAIN



PROGRAM “OUR NEIGHBORHOOD, OUR CITY”

TERRITORY OF BELA VISTA

ALAMEDA DAS PALMEIRAS

FORTE DA BELA VISTA

QUINTA DE SANTO ANTÓNIO

MANTEIGADA

153 BUILDINGS
1 592 HOUSES
(73.5% municipal
ownership)
5 769 RESIDENTS

TARGET

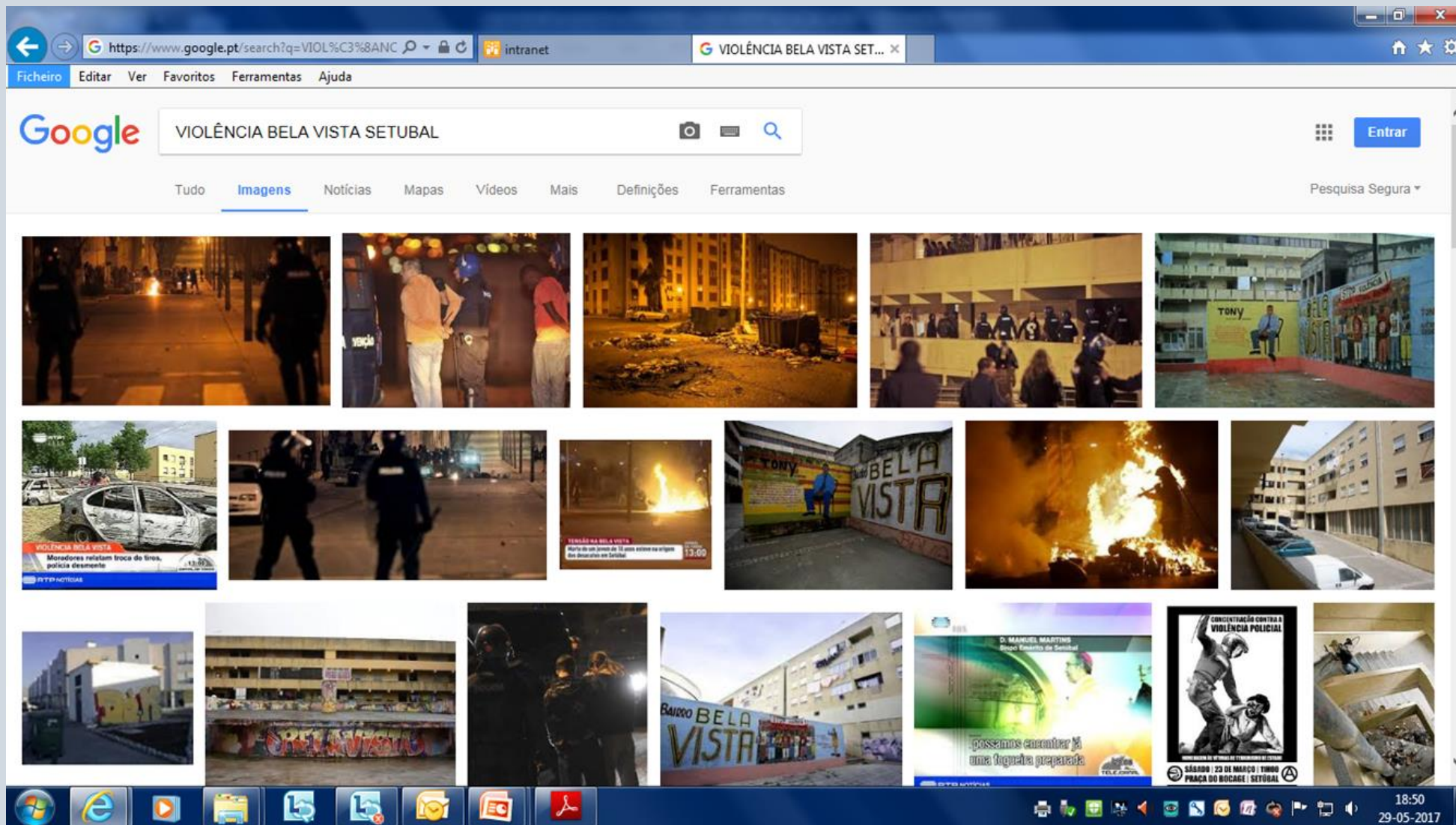
RESIDENTS

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

S. SEBASTIAN PARISH

OTHER LOCAL INSTITUTIONS

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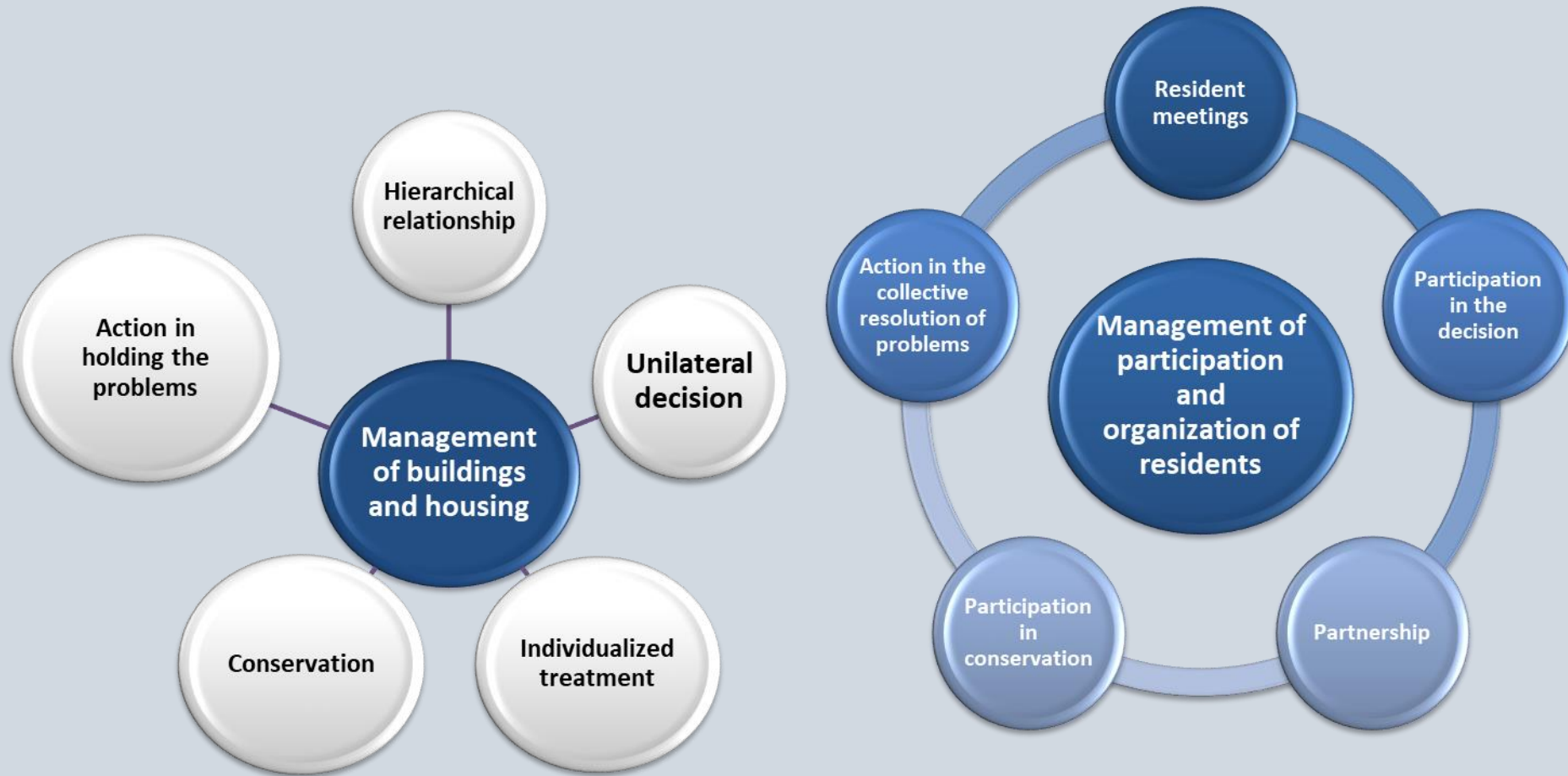
The screenshot shows a Google search results page for the query "VIOLÊNCIA BELA VISTA SETUBAL". The browser's address bar shows the URL "https://www.google.pt/search?q=VIOL%C3%A7%C3%A3O+BELA+VISTA+SETUBAL". The search results are displayed in a grid of images. The images include:

- Police officers in uniform on a street at night.
- People standing on a street at night, some appearing to be in a discussion or conflict.
- A street scene with debris and a fire in the background.
- A group of people gathered on a street, possibly a protest or a public event.
- A person sitting on a bench in front of a building.
- A car with a shattered window, with a news caption: "VIOLÊNCIA BELA VISTA Moradores relatam troca de tiros, polícia desmente".
- Police officers in uniform on a street at night.
- A fire burning in a street.
- A person sitting on a bench in front of a building with graffiti that says "BELA VISTA".
- A large fire burning in a street.
- A street scene with a building and a car.
- A building with graffiti that says "BAIRRO BELA VISTA".
- A person sitting on a bench in front of a building.
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The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the system clock as 18:50 on 29-05-2017. The taskbar also contains icons for various applications, including Internet Explorer, VLC media player, File Explorer, and Adobe Reader.

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CHANGE IN THE STRATEGY OF THE MUNICIPALITY



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PRINCIPLES

All the actions must be carried out by the residents.

It should lead to the participation in the decisions, promoting autonomy, responsibility and collective growth



GOALS

Initiate processes of participation and development of actions that promote the organization of groups, reflecting their collective interests.

Involve the residents in the decisions and tasks concerning their execution.

Establish leaderships and promote popular mobilization (collective empowerment)

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- Organize groups of residents as basic requirement of participation
- Accomplish actions with real objectives and common interests of the residents
- Sharing tasks and responsibilities between residents and local authorities
- Promote actions that generate collective organization skills
- Empower groups to face collective problems
- Mobilize the community for decision-making
- Develop leadership in the residents
- Recognize community values



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5 YEARS OF PROGRAM IMPACTS:

- Education/training
- Health
- Environment
- Economy
- Culture
- Security
- Sports
- Community



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QUALITATIVE RESULTS IN THE RELATIONSHIP OF THE COMMUNITY AND IN THE RELATIONSHIP OF NEIGHBORHOODS / CITY

IN THE COMMUNITY RELATIONSHIP

improvement of the residents' self-confidence

Improvement of life among residents and the community relationships

Leadership consolidation

IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD / CITY RELATIONSHIP

New approach between the municipality and the neighborhoods

Improvement of the image of the Neighborhoods



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EDUCATING CITIES AWARD 2018 – INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF EDUCATING CITIES



Citizen education through participation

49 cities competed, 12 countries, 3 continents - 62 applications

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Thank you for your attention!

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