



Friday 29 January 2016 from 9:00 to 17:00

Charlemagne building - de Gasperi room, rue de la Loi 170, B-1000 Brussels



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SEPARATE WASTE COLLECTION IN THE CONTEXT OF A CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN EUROPE

Interpretation: English, French, Italian, Spanish, German, Estonian, Slovenian, Danish

Moderator: Katrina Sichel

8:30 Welcome coffee and registrations

Part I: **POLICY: SEPARATE WASTE COLLECTION IN THE CONTEXT OF A
CIRCULAR ECONOMY**

9:00 Welcome and introduction by **Kęstutis Sadauskas**, Director Green
Economy Directorate, DG ENV, European Commission

9:05 Welcome by **Weine Wiqvist**, President Municipal Waste Europe, and
Anna Lisa Boni, EUROCITIES Secretary General

Keynote Addresses

9:20 **Karmenu Vella**, Commissioner for the Environment and Fisheries

9:30 **Domenico Gambacorta**, Committee of the Regions, President of the
Province of Avellino

9:40 *Coffee break*

Part II: **PRACTICE: SEPARATE COLLECTION**

*Moderator: Patrick Hasenkamp, City of Munster, Germany, Vice-
President Municipal Waste Europe*

10:10 **Nicole Seyring**, BiPRO, **Márton Herczeg**, Copenhagen Resource
Institute: Presentation of the main aims and results of the [Commission
Study on separate collection in capital cities](#)

- 10:35 Three examples of separate collection in small to medium towns from the benchmarking of Municipal Waste Europe
 a. Haderslev, Denmark, Laila Skov
 b. Zwolle, the Netherlands, Natascha Spanbroek
 c. Rimini, Italy, Tiziano Mazzoni
 Q&A
- 11:25 Three examples of separate collection in large cities from EUROCITIES members
 a. Milan, Italy, Danilo Vismara
 b. Manchester, United Kingdom, John Bland
 c. Gothenburg, Sweden, Henrik Kant
 Q&A
- 12:15 Panel session: best practice examples from three capital cities
 a. Ljubljana, Slovenia, Janko Kramžar
 b. Tallinn, Estonia, Relo Ligi
 c. Helsinki, Finland, Petri Kouvo
 Q&A
- 13:00 *Lunch break and networking*
- Part III IMPLEMENTATION: DEBATE
- 14:30 Paolo Canfora, Joint Research Centre: BAT for Waste Management, EMAS best practices for the waste management sector
- 14:50 DISCUSSION PANEL 1: How to strengthen local governance for separate collection, recycling and material recovery?

 Jacob Simonsen, MWE - Günther Langer, EUROCITIES - Helmut Maurer, DG ENV - Françoise Bonnet, ACR+ - Emmanuel Katrakis, EURIC, Piotr Barczak, EEB - Henrik Lystad, ECN
- 15:50 DISCUSSION PANEL 2: How can producer responsibility and separate collection support quality recycling and maximising material recovery?

 Nicolas Garnier, MWE - Håkon Jentoft, EUROCITIES - Márton Herczeg, Copenhagen Resource Institute - Joachim Quoden, EXPRA - Michal Len, RREUSE - Antonis Mavropoulos, ISWA - Virginia Janssens, EUROPEAN
- 16:50 Closing statement: Julio García Burgués, Head of Unit Waste Management & Recycling, DG ENV, European Commission
- 17:00 *End of conference*