

Putting resource efficiency back on the agenda



**Friends of
the Earth
Europe**

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Representation of North Rhine-Westphalia, Rue Montoyer 47, Brussels

09:00 - 09:30: Registration and coffee

09:30 - 10:30: Opening - We need to talk about resource efficiency

Chair: Magda Stoczkiewicz – Director, Friends of the Earth Europe

Janez Potočnik – former Commissioner for the Environment

Karl Falkenberg – Director-General, DG Environment

Evita Stanga – Counsellor, Permanent Representation of Latvia to the EU

**10:30 - 12:00: Circular Economy Package -
Is resource efficiency slipping off the agenda?**

Chair: Hara Xirou – Head of Brussels Office, Eunomia Research & Consulting

Werner Bosmans – Resource Efficiency Coordinator, DG Environment

Philippe Lamberts – MEP, Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

Ariadna Rodrigo – Resource Use Campaigner, Friends of the Earth Europe

Ken Webster – Head of Innovation, Ellen MacArthur Foundation

12:00 - 13:00: Lunch

13:00 - 14:30: Land as a resource - An opportunity to gain ground

Chair: Marta Messa – EU Liaison Officer, Slow Food

Jacques Delsalle – Head of Sector Land and Soil, DG Environment

Stephan Lutter – Research Fellow, Vienna University of Economics and Business

Meghan O'Brien – Research Fellow, Material Flows and Resource Management, Wuppertal Institute

Laura Sullivan – European Advocacy Coordinator, Action Aid International

14:30 - 15:00: Coffee break

15:00 - 16:30: Resource efficiency in the European Semester

Chair: Sebastien Godinot – Economist, WWF European Policy Office

Louis Meuleman – Coordinator European Semester, DG Environment

Constanze Adolf – Director Brussels Office, Green Budget Europe

Patrick ten Brink – Head of Brussels Office, Institute for European Environmental Policy

Barbara Helfferich – Director, European Anti-Poverty Network

16:30 - 17:00: Closing

Magda Stoczkiewicz – Director, Friends of the Earth Europe

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