

ENRD Thematic Group on European Green Deal in Rural Areas

Second meeting - Webinar

Agenda

10 December 2020

The meeting will focus on effective approaches to support the transition to fully sustainable practices in agriculture and forestry, and analyse how the future CAP could best be used to upscale them. The programme will be built around experiences from the Rural Development Programmes, as well as other relevant initiatives such as the LIFE programme, Horizon 2020 projects, or national, regional or local initiatives.

The meeting will highlight, among others, approaches that deliver simultaneously on various Green Deal and CAP objectives on eg. biodiversity, water and soil management, climate resilience and economic and social sustainability. These experiences may be linked to disseminating practices such as agroforestry, sustainable forest management, preserving biodiversity on agricultural land, effective nutrient management, Integrated Pest Management, low input farming and management practices, integration of landscape features into the farmed environment, or practices contributing to climate change adaptation or mitigation through farming, livestock management, or forestry.

The attention will be on success factors of initiatives that have succeeded in upscaling and disseminating such practices, including through results-based payment schemes, advice, networking or collective and territorial initiatives.

Aims

- To identify the smartest ways to replicate or upscale effective approaches under the future CAP, including by combining pillar 1 and 2 interventions.
- To provide inputs to a factsheet on possible approaches to green interventions in the CAP Strategic Plans.





Timing ①	10 December 2020 Preliminary Agenda Items
13.30 -14.00	Registration – meeting room open
14.00 – 14.15	ENRD CP: Opening and objectives of the day
14.15 – 14.45	 Examples of national approaches contributing to Green Deal and Farm to Fork targets Organic agriculture in Estonia - Elen Peetsmann, EE National nutrient recycling action plan, Finland – Marko Mäki-Hakola, FI Sustainable use of pesticides in Italy – Danilo Marandola, IT Questions from the audience
14.45 – 15:30	Success factors of promoting the transition to sustainable farming and forestry practices Facilitated group discussion Group 1: High-diversity landscape features and agroforestry Introductory presentation: Euridice Leyequien, FarmLife project, NL/BE Group 2: Extending sustainable forest management Introductory presentation: Silvère Gabet, RENFORT - National Forestry Network, FR Group 3: Territorial transition to biocontrol / Integrated Pest Management Introductory presentation: Vicente Dalmau Sorli, Biocontrol successes in Valencia, ES Group 4: Conservation agriculture Introductory presentation: Danilo Marandola, Adoption of conservation agriculture scheme in Puglia, IT
15.30 – 15.45	Break
15.45 – 16.15	How to support the success factors by CAP interventions? Facilitated group discussion
16.15 – 16.45	Wrapping up: Key opportunities for the CAP Strategic Plans Joint discussion
16.45 – 17.00	Conclusions and closing of the meeting

