

**Date:** October 12<sup>th</sup> 2022

**Time:** 9.30-11.00

**Registration link,** deadline October 11<sup>th</sup> 2022: <https://europa.eu/regions-and-cities/>

## A GREENER FUTURE STARTS IN NORTHERN EUROPE

STRING and the Region of Southern Denmark cordially invites you to join us for a digital European political event about accelerating a clean green economy in Northern Europe. The event is a part of the official programme in the European Week for Regions and Cities.

The event will focus on possible synergies between the European Green Deal and the STRING Green Hub. You will get an introduction to European Commission's overall strategy in the field of green transition and get the opportunity to exchange views on how to set up common targets and joint concrete actions.

### Welcome

Karsten Uno Petersen, Member of the Committee of the Regions, Regional Council, Region of Southern Denmark

### Green Hub – a vision for a greener future in Northern Europe

Speaker: Almut Möller, Staatssekretär, Freie Hansestadt Hamburg  
Thomas Becker, Managing Director STRING Megaregion

### The European Green Deal – possible synergies with initiatives at regional and local level

Speaker: Hans van Steen, Head of Unit, European Commission

### Examples of initiatives contributing to a Green Hub in Northern Europe

- Green Public Procurement – presented by Sadek Al-Amood, Vice chair of the Committee for Regional Development and Transport, the Capital Region of Denmark
- Hydrogen Corridor in Northern Europe – presented by Thorsten Augustin, Managing Director of the Hanse-Office, Land Schleswig-Holstein

### Q&A session

### Closing remarks

Karsten Uno Petersen, Member of the Committee of the Regions, Regional Council, Region of Southern Denmark



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