

# Informe de participación en Green Week 2014

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**Subject: Invitation to the LIFE Waste Platform meeting & Green Week 2014**

Dear LIFE project beneficiary,

The European Commission would like to invite your LIFE project to the Waste Platform meeting and the Green Week 2014.

This year the Green Week will take place on 3, 4 and 5 June in Brussels on the theme "Circular Economy, Resource Efficiency & Waste". During the Green Week, many presentations, discussions and significant networking will take place among various stakeholders interested on waste, resource efficiency and circular economy.

The Green Week event is expected to be visited by more than 2500 people and it attracts the interest of policy makers, academics - researchers, professionals, NGOs, industry, media and the public from all over Europe. Also more than 100 prominent speakers in 32 dedicated sessions covering a wide range of issues (i.e. policy instruments & legislation, SMEs and green economy, funding, best practices, green jobs, international cooperation, sustainable food, new business models, innovative technologies, re-use of CO<sub>2</sub>, marine litter, extended producer responsibility, urban management, etc.) will provide state-of-the-art knowledge and discuss the new trends.

The LIFE programme will participate at the Green Week 2014 with a series of events:

- **LIFE Waste Platform meeting** on 3 June 2014 from 10:00 to 17:00.  
 The objective of this meeting is to bring together (open and closed projects) LIFE+ projects on waste and resource efficiency in order to promote networking, explore synergies, assess policy impacts and present the new LIFE regulation and its various opportunities.
- **LIFE awards ceremony** on 4 June 2014 at 18:30
- **Discussion on LIFE and complementary funding** on 5 June from 11:30 to 13:00  
 During this session we will explore funding opportunities such as the LIFE Integrated Projects and the possibility of complement LIFE funding with other funding sources to implement circular economy projects in the future.

Please note that any open LIFE project is entitled to participate with up to two (2) representatives during the Green Week 2014. The project representatives can be from either the coordinating beneficiary or the associated beneficiaries of the project. They should be well aware of the project activities and outputs as well as the relevant waste and resource efficiency policies and legislation as they might be asked to contribute to

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networking, replication and policy related activities during the LIFE Waste Platform meeting.

The relevant expenses to the Green Week 2014 could be covered from your LIFE project provided that the project is still open in June 2014 and its budget is sufficient to finance all foreseen project activities as well as the costs of participation to the Green Week.

Please note that the most economical means of travel and accommodation should be used by the participants, as stipulated by the relevant LIFE rules. Please also note that the attendance of the Waste Platform meeting, the LIFE awards ceremony and the (previously described) session 6.4 is compulsory in order to claim expenses for the whole duration of Green Week (3, 4 and 5 June 2014).

If you are interested to participate, please contact directly the LIFE Programme external monitoring team (email: [pavlos.doikos@astrale.org](mailto:pavlos.doikos@astrale.org)) providing the project name and acronym, the name(s) of people to participate, their title and function in your LIFE project **by 28 February 2014**. Then a questionnaire will be provided to you. Only when you fill in the questionnaire your participation will be considered as approved and you will be notified accordingly by the external monitoring team. At that time you will also receive along with the Green Week programme the detailed agenda of the Waste Platform meeting.

I look forward to receiving your reply.

Yours sincerely,

Hervé MARTIN

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### Green Week

La Green Week es la conferencia europea más importante sobre el medioambiente, en esta conferencia están representadas organizaciones europeas que trabajan en la política medioambiental o en proyectos relacionados con el tema elegido cada año.

El tema escogido para el 2014, ha sido la "Economía Circular, eficiencia de los recursos y residuos". Es decir, el conjunto de los procesos que intentan tener el mínimo desperdicio posible con el máximo aprovechamiento de los residuos, teniendo una alta eficiencia en el resultado de dichos procesos.

El proyecto ecoRaeE ha participado en dicha conferencia celebrada durante los días 03 al 05 de junio de 2014 en Bruselas, de manera activa facilitando información y documentación del proyecto.



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