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Rural and urban challenges in developing regional zero-pollution plans

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11 June 2021 | 10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. CEST (Central Europe Summer Time).

Online (*link to join available to registered participants*)

Registration link: <https://europa.eu/lxr89kC>

Brief description

This event wishes to debate the challenges that exist in the development of local and regional plans aimed to achieve the zero-pollution ambition, aware of the difference existing between the rural, urban and peri-urban contexts.

This session - organised as partner event of [the Green Week 2021](#) - is an opportunity to reflect on the potential solutions that cross-border EU regions, such as the EU region Tyrol/South Tyrol/Trentino, should be aware of, and how EU consultative body, such as the European Committee of the Regions (CoR), could support this process towards zero-pollution cross-border regions.

Welcome

- **Arno KOMPATSCHER**, President of the Autonomous Province of Bolzano/Bozen-South Tyrol and Regional Councillor, Italy

Moderator

- **Denise GODINHO**, Communications Director, European Environmental Bureau

Policy context

- **Representative**, DG Environment, European Commission (*tbc*).

Sharing their experiences

- **Herbert Dorfmann (IT/EPP)**, Member of the European Parliament;
- Member of the European Committee of the Regions (CoR) (*tbc*);
- **Maria Paola COCCHIERE (IT/PES)**, Member of Varese city council, Italy & participant of the Young Elected Politicians (YEPs) programme of the European Committee of the Regions;
- **Peter AUSTIN**, Planning Advisor at the City of Oslo & member of EUROCITIES.

Q&A with audience

Closing remarks

Denise GODINHO, Communications Director, European Environmental Bureau