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Communication, Networking and Future Events

- FEAD published a Press release and position to the EP Report on the EU ETS revision. Read the paper [here](#).
 - FEAD would like to thank everybody for attending our biennial conference last week on the 2nd of June and helping us to mark our 40th anniversary with great success!
 - For more detailed information and conference slides/video/photos please [visit our website](#).
 - FEAD will speak at the [EUROBAT annual forum](#) on 24 June.
 - FEAD will give a political statement at a DUH webconference on the EU Batteries Regulation (date in June/July tbc).
 - SAVE THE DATE for a public, hybrid event on the Waste Shipment Regulation organised by FEAD, with MEP Rapporteur Pernille Weiss and DG ENVI Head of Unit on Waste, Mattia Pellegrini: **11th July, from 13h00 to 14h30, Brussels**.
 - FEAD presentation at the ECR Expert Class ADR in Osnabrück (DE), 5 July 2022.
 - CAObH/ FEAD event in Prague (CZ), 22 September 2022
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Ongoing Surveys and Consultations

- **Household waste collection during the COVID-19 pandemic:**
 - IWMA, FEAD's Irish member is asking for our support to demonstrate that a fully privatised model of household waste collection benchmarked very well against other models managed by the municipalities during the COVID-19 pandemic.
 - Therefore, we ask for your support to provide any data, reports or media articles on the performance of household waste collection in your own Country during the pandemic. Please send everything to paolo.campanella@fead.be
 - **FEAD feedback:**
 - On request by our Italian members, FEAD submitted [feedback](#) on the Italian proposal for a Decree on "Inert waste from construction and demolition activities and other inert waste of mineral origin", to DG GROW.
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Monitoring of EU Institutions

Life of EU institutions

- **EU Council:**
 - The Environment Ministers' meeting on 28 June. The extension of the ETS to roads and buildings, is one of the hot topics. France suggests that the auctioning of emission allowances under this second ETS should not start until 2027, one year later than the Commission.
- **ETS:**
 - Coordinators of the different political groups debated at length on 13 June on the procedure to be adopted to relaunch the negotiations on the ETS. They chose to take back all the amendments adopted on 8 June in plenary, before the final rejection of the report.

- **Circular economy package:**
 - The final meeting of the College of Commissioners before the summer break will take place on 13 July, and not on 27 July, as indicated in the provisional calendar of meetings of the College of Commissioners.
 - This change in the timetable suggests a postponement of the presentation of texts initially scheduled for adoption on 20 and 27 July. This is the case for the second package on the circular economy, which has already been cut by one piece due to the negative opinion given in mid-May by the internal review committee on the draft revision of the packaging directive.
 - The other initiative of this package, a communication on biobased, biodegradable and compostable plastics, would thus also be postponed to the autumn.

 - **Climate package:**
 - According to the Council agenda, no less than seven general guidelines (agreement between States) are expected on 28 June in Luxembourg on the texts of the climate package: On the carbon market review (ETS), the aviation ETS, the carbon market stability reserve, the effort sharing regulation (ESR), the natural carbon sinks regulation (Lulucf), the CO₂ from cars and the Social Climate Fund.

 - **New Regulatory Framework for Batteries:**
 - On 13 June 2022, a Council Official clarified that co-legislators are provisionally expected to hold a second round of interinstitutional negotiations on 29 June 2022.

 - **Waste Shipment Regulation:**
 - Environment Ministers are scheduled to meet to discuss the state of play on the file during the Environment Council to be held on 28 June 2022.
 - ENVI Committee MEPs amendments were **published**, negotiations for compromises just started.
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Press Review & Reports

- **Plastics Recyclers Europe - Plastic recyclers in Europe struggle to get enough plastic waste**
 - What happens with the collected waste? Low available volumes of sorted plastic waste are negatively impacting the operations of plastics recyclers across Europe creating an obstacle to achieving the EU targets.
 - Read the full article [here](#).
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Webinars & Conferences

- **EP Intergroup event: Compost and Digestate in the Circular Bioeconomy: Healthy Soil for Healthy Life**
 - The EP Intergroup will have a Webex event on the 30 June 2022 at 15.00 CEST, to discuss the need for a renovated attention to soil quality, soil health and soil fertility at national, regional and European level in relation to the Soil Health Law, the Common Agricultural Policy and the initiative on Sustainable Carbon Cycles in relation to a circular economy in Europe.
 - Register [here](#).
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