



NEWSLETTER N° 222 - 10 JUNE 2025

Brussels was buzzing this week, and not just because of the pollen. While Green Week took centre stage, MEPs in the ITRE Committee stayed busy too, adopting a draft motion for a resolution on the Clean Industrial Deal.



Clean Industrial Deal: On 3 June, MEPs in the ITRE Committee [adopted](#) a draft motion for resolution on the Clean Industrial Deal.

Waste Framework Directive: On 04 June, FEAD, in cooperation with EuRIC, RREUSE, MWE, European Environmental Bureau, Zero Waste Europe, ECOS, and the T2T Alliance, published a [joint letter](#) addressed to MEPs, urging them to bring the vote forward before the summer break.

Single Market Strategy: On 25 June, a public [hearing](#) for the Single Market Strategy will

take place in the European Parliament.

International carbon credits and EU climate targets - At a glance: The European Parliament's Think Tank has [published](#) a 'At a glance' document on the International carbon credits.

Updating the EU's Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) to the Paris

Agreement - At a glance: The European Parliament's Think Tank has [published](#) a 'At a glance' document on 5 June on the NDCs.

Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) - Eunomia report: On 3 June, the association ECommerce [published](#) a study carried by Eunomia on the EPR in PPWR, batteries and WEEE.

Critical Raw Materials - Commission strategic projects: On 4 June, the European Commission [published](#) a list of 13 strategic projects outside the EU which concern strategic raw materials essential for electric vehicle, batteries and battery storage, like lithium, nickel, cobalt, manganese and graphite.

Emissions Trading systems - European Commission Communication: On 4 June, the European Commission published a [Communication](#) on the total number of allowances in circulation in 2024 for the purposes of the Market Stability Reserve under the EU Emissions Trading System.

Taxonomy - Omnibus Delegated Act: Thirty industrial lobbies (including Cefic, BusinessEurope, Digital Europe, Eurocommerce, Eurométaux and WindEurope) are urging the Commission to relax the provision paragraph f) bis of Appendix C of the taxonomy in a [joint letter](#) published on 3 June.

Implementation of the Directive on Protection of Environment through Criminal Law: On 4 June, the Committee on Legal Affairs, with the support of the Directorate for Relations with National Parliaments (DG PART), organised an [Interparliamentary Committee Meeting](#) (ICM) on 'Implementation of the Directive on the Protection of the Environment through Criminal Law'.

European Water Resilience Strategy: On 3 June, the European Commission [published](#) the European Water Resilience Strategy.

European Water Resilience Strategy - reactions: [EurEau association](#) and the [Living Rivers coalition](#) (composed of the WWF, the EEB, the European Rivers Network and more) stated in press releases that the Water Resilience Strategy is missing necessary targets.

REACH revision: On 26 May, 20 scientists sent a [letter](#) to Ursula von der Leyen, Commission President, and Commissioners Stéphane Séjourné and Jessika Roswall on the revision of REACH.

PFAS - letter: On 03 June, doctors, nurses, people working in the healthcare sector, and experts on PFAS sent a [letter](#) to Ursula von der Leyen, Commission President, and Commissioners Stéphane Séjourné and Jessika Roswall, to express their concern about the impacts of PFAS exposure on the health of EU citizens and to support the universal PFAS restriction.

Micro4Biogas: On 28 May, after four years of research, the EU-funded Micro4Biogas project concluded with a meeting in Aras de los Olmos (Valencia, Spain), publishing a [press release](#) and sharing advancements in microbial biotechnology and anaerobic digestion.

Climate-ADAPT Platform: On 23 May, the European Climate Adaptation Platform Climate-ADAPT was made [live](#). It is a partnership between the European Commission and the European Environment Agency (EEA).

RREUSE, ECOS and EEB's stance on derogations to the apparel and footwear destruction ban: On 3 June, RREUSE, together with ECOS and the EEB, [published](#) a joint position paper on the European Commission's proposal to ban the destruction of unsold apparel and footwear.

Fast fashion - BEUC complaint against Shein: On 5 June, BEUC, with 25 members from 21 countries, filed a [complaint](#) with the European Commission and [European consumer protection authorities](#) against SHEIN for its use of deceptive techniques.

The EU's climate action strategy - Briefing: On 28 May, the European Parliament's Think Tank published a [briefing](#) on the EU's climate action strategy.

The 28th Regime: a new legal framework for innovative companies: On 5 June, the Committee on Legal Affairs organised a [workshop](#), titled: The 28th Regime: a new

legal framework for innovative companies.

Energy Taxation Directive (ETD): On 4 June, during the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs Ordinary [meeting](#), MEPs resumed their debated on the [draft report](#) (dated 5 May) on the ETD.

FEAD POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS | CIRCULAR ECONOMY ACT



SCOTLAND TO PIONEER CIRCULAR CONSTRUCTION HUB MODEL TARGETING £67 MILLION INVESTMENT

EU must heed scientific advice, Ribera says as 2040 row deepens

Parliament's industry committee backs EU clean growth strategy

EU seeks new import fee on e-commerce packages



FEAD mentions in the press:

Retema: [Europa al borde del colapso circular: el sector del reciclaje de plásticos y textiles exige una intervención urgente](#)

Klimat: [Biodopady to wyzwanie dla Europy. Ambicje nie idą w parze z realizacją](#)

Contexte: [Face à l'augmentation du nombre d'incendies, le secteur des déchets plaide pour une meilleure gestion des batteries au lithium](#)

Resource: [Circular economy needs enforcement not just ambition](#)

EUWID: [Escalating battery fire risk threatens Europe's waste management sector](#)

Resource: [The Circular Economy Act must be bold! Europe's resilience depends on it](#)

EUWID: [EuRIC and FEAD present recommendations for planned EU Circular Economy Act](#)



On 10-12 June 2025, Waste Management Europe's expo will be taking place in Bologna, Italy. The Waste Management Europe 2025 Exhibition and Conference promotes cutting-edge thinking in applying innovative solutions to some of the world's greatest challenges.

By connecting global experts in waste management, recycling, reuse and circularity, WME 2025 catalyses the acceleration of positive change and inspires both individuals and organisations to improve their own strategies and implementation.

[Find out more](#) about the event and register!



Gruppo Marazzato, in collaborazione con **Eni**, ospita una giornata interamente dedicata alla transizione energetica in tutte le sue forme.

La giornata si svolgerà nella cornice dello showroom di Stroppiana, sede della **Fondazione Marazzato** e della collezione di **mezzi storici** fondata da Carlo Marazzato: un simbolico **collegamento** tra i grandi successi industriali di un tempo e le nuove sfide dell'approvvigionamento di energia pulita e sostenibile.

Il giornalista **Roberto Sposini**, chief mobility di LifeGate, ci condurrà nella discussione di **istituti** universitari e di ricerca, **istituzioni** ed **esperti** del settore su diversi argomenti: **comunità energetiche**, **energia nucleare**, **biocarburanti**, produzione di **energia dai rifiuti** e **nuove sfide** della **transizione energetica**.

L'evento, grazie alla partnership con LifeGate, sarà ad **impatto zero**.

[Compili il form](#)* inserendo i suoi dati: la aspettiamo l'11 giugno dalle ore 09.30 presso la Fondazione Marazzato - S.P. 31 KM 11 (VC).



**E-Waste World | Battery Recycling | Metal Recycling | ITAD & Circular Electronics
Conference & Expos 2025** in Frankfurt this 11-12 June!

With code SPE15 you can get 15% off the conference.

E-Waste World: <https://ewaste-expo.com/register-to-attend/>

Battery Recycling: <https://batteryrecycling-expo.com/register-to-attend/>

Metal Recycling: <https://metalrecycling-expo.com/register-to-attend/>

ITAD & Circular Electronics: <https://itad-expo.com/register-to-attend/>

Parliamentary Breakfast

**EU Circular Economy Act:
How to create well-
functioning markets for
secondary materials?**

Date: June 12, 2025
Time: 8:15 – 9:30 CEST
Format: Online and in-person

ecopreneur.eu
BNW
Bundesverband
Nachhaltige
Wirtschaft e.V.

**Event: EU “Circular Economy Act” – How to create well-functioning markets for
secondary materials?**

The European market for recycled material has huge potential. For remanufactured products alone, the market will grow from EUR 31 billion in 2022 to an estimated value of EUR 100 billion by 2030, creating up to 500.000 new jobs. Despite leading on circular economy initiatives, the EU's further progress on the circular economy and related investments are hindered by lack of scale and a unified market for recycled content. Even though the European Commission's “Clean Industrial Deal” recognises the strategic

importance of circularity for maximising the EU's limited resources, reducing dependencies, and enhancing resilience, the transition towards a circular economy is going slow.

On June 12th, the European Sustainable Business Federation – **Ecopreneur.eu** and one of its founding members, the German Sustainable Business Association – **BNW**, organise a **parliamentary breakfast** hosted by **Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy MEP** to facilitate the dialogue between business and policy makers on this crucial topic. Together, we cordially invite representatives from business and industry, EU institutions, civil society and EU member states to discuss about policy measures and mechanisms required to boost the use of recycled content, reuse and innovative waste management practices in a European circular economy: Which policy measures does the Commission propose to help to scale up reuse, remanufacturing and recycling? How will it ensure the free movement of waste for recycling? Will there be legally binding targets for recycled content in new products?

On a discussion panel, Mr Gerbrandy will be joined by the Chair of the European Parliament's internal market committee, **Anna Cavazzini MEP** (Greens), the Taskforce Leader for the CEA in DG Environment of the European Commission, **Florian Flachenecker**, and the Policy Director from our German associate BNW, **Konstantin Litke**. The discussion will be moderated by the Executive Director of Ecopreneur.eu, **Arthur ten Wolde**, and spurred by **questions from the audience**.

The event will be free of charge and accessible both online and in-person.


Registrations: [Event: EU “Circular Economy Act” – How to create well-functioning markets for secondary materials? – Ecopreneur.eu](#)



FNADE Green Week Partner Event : CAN EUROPE REALLY BECOME THE WORLD LEADER ON CIRCULAR ECONOMY?

An open dialogue on key conditions towards a viable recycling industry in Europe.

 **Fondation Universitaire** - Rue d'Egmont 11, 1000 Brussels

 **Wednesday, 25 June 2025**

 **9:00 AM – 11:30 AM**

This event will bring together policymakers and representatives from the waste management sector, who will discuss how Europe can become a global leader in the circular economy.

9:00 – 9:30 Welcome coffee

9:30 – 9:35 Opening remarks by: Alexis Thuau, FNADE representative in Brussels

9:35 – 10:25 Panel discussion with:

- **Stefano Soro**, Head of Unit for Sustainable Products at the Directorate-General for Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs (DG GROW)
- **David Lamy**, Director General R&V France at SUEZ. Vice-President of FNADE and FEAD, the European Waste Management Association
- **Hugo Sancho**, Environmental Policy Advisor at the Permanent Representation of France to the European Union
- **(TBC) Member of the European Parliament or the Committee of the Regions**

- **Jean Paul Judson** : Moderator »

10:25 – 10:55 Questions & Answers

10:55 – 11:00 Closing remarks by: Alexis Thuau

11:00 – 11:30 Opportunity for Networking

Registrations



CONGRÈS FNADE 2025 : Concilier souveraineté, compétitivité et industrialisation verte

Le mardi 1er juillet 2025 de 9h30 à 17h30 aura lieu le Congrès Fnade au Jardin d'Acclimatation.

Des solutions circulaires pour une Europe compétitive.

A l'aube de nouvelles perspectives européennes (Clean Industrial Deal, Circular Economy Act), comment libérer tout le potentiel ressource de nos déchets au service de la souveraineté énergétique et de la compétitivité industrielle ? Comment faire de la circularité un atout de compétitivité ? Une journée de débats pour identifier les leviers de développement de productions locales de matières et d'énergie du secteur déchets en France, en Europe, et pour envisager comment concilier la simplification tout en préservant l'environnement et la santé humaine.

Inscriptions

Better cooperation in the EU in crisis after climate induced events

4th Remembrance Day of the Ahr Flood

” We are pleased to welcome you to our events marking the anniversary of the flood in the Ahr valley. Climate-induced crises are increasingly challenging us – what options do experts from various disciplines (first response, waste, water management, etc.) see for improving acute situations? Is an EU guideline needed?

🕒 Thu 03.07.2025, 08:00 o'clock (CEST)
-
Fri 04.07.2025, 09:00 o'clock (CEST)
Registration possible until: 27.06.2025, 23:00 o'clock (CEST)

📍 RheinAhrCampus Remagen
Joseph-Rovan-Allee 2, 53424 Remagen
Germany
University of Applied Sciences Koblenz

4th Remembrance Day of the Ahr Flood

Thu 03.07.2025, 08:00 o'clock (CEST)-Fri 04.07.2025, 09:00 o'clock
(CEST)Registration possible until: 27.06.2025, 23:00 o'clock (CEST)

RheinAhrCampus Remagen

Joseph-Rovan-Allee 2, 53424 Remagen
Germany

University of Applied Sciences Koblenz

[Google Maps](#)

We are pleased to welcome you to our events marking the anniversary of the flood in the Ahr valley. Climate-induced crises are increasingly challenging us – what options do experts from various disciplines (first response, waste, water management, etc.) see for improving acute situations? Is an EU guideline needed?

[Registrations](#)



**15TH INTERNATIONAL EXPERTS' CONFERENCE ENVIROMANAGEMENT
2025 MODERN WASTE MANAGEMENT: Dealing with Crises, and Managing Fire
Hazards**

When? SEPTEMBER 29 – 30, 2025

Where? HOTEL PATRIA ** ŠTRBSKÉ PLESO, HIGH TATRAS, SLOVAKIA**

FEAD members, partners and newsletter subscribers have the opportunity to take advantage of a discount on the current Early-Bird fee of EUR -35 (+23% VAT).

To take advantage of the discount: FEAD-EB25

[Registration](#)

SARDINIA 2025

20th INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON WASTE MANAGEMENT,
RESOURCE RECOVERY AND SUSTAINABLE LANDFILLING
13-17 OCTOBER 2025
FORTE VILLAGE / S.MARGHERITA DI PULA, CAGLIARI (IT)

SCIENTIFIC
ORGANISATION
BY:

INTERNATIONAL
WASTE WORKING
GROUP

iwwg
international waste working group

SARDINIA 2025

20th International Symposium on Waste Management, Resource Recovery and Sustainable Landfilling

13-17 October 2025 / Forte Village Resort, S. Margherita di Pula, Cagliari, Italy

The 20th edition of the Sardinia Symposium will take place at the Forte Village Resort in Santa Margherita di Pula, Cagliari (Italy) from 13 to 17 October 2025.

Sardinia Symposia are a biennial event organized by IWWG - International Waste Working Group, with the scientific involvement of the Universities of Padova (IT), BOKU, Vienna

(AT), Tongji (CN) and the Technical Universities of Luleå (SE) and Hamburg (DE).

The programme will include parallel oral sessions, workshops, discussion forums, poster presentations, a commercial exhibition, outstanding networking opportunities and social events.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Authors interested in presenting their work at the conference must submit an abstract by 17th February 2025 following the instructions available at: [Call for Abstracts](#)

Workshop proposals are also welcome. All details on how to apply: [Call for Workshops](#)

Explore the comprehensive list of [conference topics](#) >>

FEAD is one of the Promoting Bodies of SARDINIA 2025 and a 10% discount on regular entrance fees is reserved for FEAD members. Those interested in attending the conference can redeem the discount by sending an email to info@sardiniasymposium.it with proof of their membership status.

For further information, please visit the official website at www.sardiniasymposium.it or contact the Organising Secretariat at info@sardiniasymposium.it



- **Go to your Member Area** (<https://fead.be/index.php> > “Members Only”)
- **Enter your login and password** (Please ask your login and password to info@fead.be if you forgot it)
- **Go to “Active Files”**. Here you have access to all files followed by FEAD Secretariat.

For further information or enquiries, please contact the FEAD Secretariat at info@fead.be

[View this email in your browser](#)

Copyright © 2025 Fead aisbl, All rights reserved.

You are receiving this email because you opted in via our website.