

Voluntary Agreements as a policy instrument for food waste reduction

REFRESH Policy Working Group

19 June 2018, 9:00-17:00 | AMS Institute, Mauritskade 62, 1092 AD Amsterdam

Agenda

9:00	Registration and welcome coffee/pastries	
9:30	REFRESH team	Participant welcome and speed dating
9:45	REFRESH team, pilot leaders	Objectives of the day, state of play of 4 REFRESH pilots (NL, ES, HU, DE)
10:45	Networking break	
11:15	Pilot leaders, participants	Break-out session 1: interactive Q&A discussion with pilot leaders on barriers and drivers identified through their on the ground experience
12:00	Participants	Wrap up and feedback from discussions
12:15	REFRESH team	Case study: Successes and limitations of the UK's Courtauld Commitment Voluntary Agreement
12:30	Lunch catered by Taste Before you Waste	
13:45	AMS Institute	Case study: Examples of food waste initiatives in Amsterdam and their relevance to Voluntary Agreements
14:00	REFRESH team, Member States	Simulation of practical application of the Blueprint as a tool to implement Voluntary Agreements in Member States
15:00	Networking break	
15:30	Pilot leaders, participants	Break-out session 2: Blueprint testing within Member States
16:30	Participants, REFRESH team	Wrap up and feedback from discussions Closing remarks