

Scotland Policy Conferences keynote seminar
Next steps for waste and resources policy in Scotland -
the Circular Economy Bill, tackling food waste, and securing behavioural change

Timing: Morning, Thursday, 18th June 2020

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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Finlay Carson MSP, Deputy Convener, Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee
- 9.05 - 9.30 **Latest developments on the Circular Economy Bill**
Senior speaker to be confirmed
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 - 9.40 Break
- 9.40 - 9.50 **International case study: working towards net-zero waste**
Senior speaker to be confirmed
- 9.50 - 10.35 **Assessing the implications of the Circular Economy Bill and its potential to increase re-use and reduce waste**
Nina Falk, Co-founder and Creative Director, Kalopsia Collective
Morag Garden, Head of Sustainability & Innovation, Scotch Whisky Association
Tim Rotheray, Director of Innovation and Regulation, Viridor
Laura Tainsh, Partner and Head, Environment & Waste Team, Davidson Chalmers Stewart
Senior representative, local authority
Questions and comments from the floor with senior speaker to be confirmed
- 10.35 - 10.45 Break
- 10.45 - 11.10 **Reducing food waste following the Action Plan**
Iain Gulland, Chief Executive, Zero Waste Scotland
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.10 - 11.15 **Chair's closing remarks**
Finlay Carson MSP, Deputy Convener, Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee
- 11.15 - 11.25 Break
- 11.25 - 11.30 **Chair's opening remarks**
Sarah Boyack MSP, Deputy Convener, Local Government and Communities Committee
- 11.30 - 11.50 **Collaboration with private and public sectors to curb waste - going beyond compliance and tackling illegal activities**
Terry A'Hearn, Chief Executive, Scottish Environment Protection Agency
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.50 - 12.00 Break
- 12.00 - 12.10 **Challenges for encouraging and achieving long-term changes in behaviour**
Senior speaker to be confirmed
- 12.10 - 12.55 **Working with consumers and businesses to reduce waste and prepare for the 20p Deposit Return Scheme**
Dave Dalton, Chief Executive Officer, British Glass
Stephen Freeland, Policy Advisor, Scottish Environmental Services Association
Truls Haug, UK Managing Director, TOMRA Collection Solutions
Senior representative, consumers
Senior representative, local authority
Questions and comments from the floor with senior speaker to be confirmed
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Scotland Policy Conferences closing remarks**
Sarah Boyack MSP, Deputy Convener, Local Government and Communities Committee
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Scotland Policy Conferences