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## 7<sup>th</sup> EUROPEAN SOIL PARTNERSHIP PLENARY ASSEMBLY

THURSDAY 10 SEPTEMBER 2020

9:00 – 17:30 (Zoom meeting)

*Chair: Elena Havlicek, FOEN Switzerland*

*Secretariat: Marc Van Liedekerke, European Commission – Joint Research Centre*



### DRAFT AGENDA

#### 09:00 – 11:00

1. Opening of the session and adoption of the Agenda 15'
  2. Overall ESP report 15'
  3. ESP sub-regional SP reports (EASP, AlpSP) 30'
  4. Overall GSP report 30'
  5. ITPS report 15'
- time for discussions

#### 11:30 – 14:00

6. European activities: short reports from DG ENV and EEA 30'
7. ESP Pillars (current achievements, future programme) 10' per pillar + 50' discussions
8. NFP/Partner information (if needed) 20'

#### 15:00 – 17:30

9. ESP Implementation Plan (2017-2020; future IP) 60'
10. ESP steering committee (renewal of the chair, vice-chair, secretariat positions) 30'
11. ESP steering committee members (proposal: NFP representative) 30'
12. Conclusions 30'

## INPUT Documents (as available on 9 September 2020)

1	Opening of the session and adoption of the Agenda
2	<a href="#">Overall ESP Report (26-08-2020)</a> <i>by Elena Havlicek, ESP Chair</i>
3	ESP sub-regional SP reports (EASP, AlpSP) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• EASP <a href="#">"The activities of the Eurasian Sub-regional Soil Partnership in 2019-2020"</a> <i>by Pavel Krasilnikov, EASP Secretariat</i></li> <li>• AlpSP <a href="#">"The Alpine Soil Partnership (AlpSP) , Current status and future developments in 2020"</a>, <i>by Borut Vrščaj1, Maria Legner, Thomas Peham</i></li> </ul>
4	<a href="#">Overall GSP progress report</a> <i>Provided b FAO GSP Sec (26-08-2020)</i>
5	ITPS report  <a href="#">"Summary Report on the ITPS activities over 2019-20 in relation to the European Soil Partnership (ESP)"</a> <i>by Rosa Poch, ITPS Chair</i>
6	European activities: short reports from DG ENV and EEA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DG ENV: <a href="#">" EC commitments on soil for EU"</a> <i>by Mirco Barbero (DG ENV)</i></li> <li>• EEA <i>(to be provided by Rainer Baritz)</i></li> </ul>
7	ESP Pillars (current achievements, future programme) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Pillar 1</a> <i>(provided by Violette Geissen)</i></li> <li>• <a href="#">Pillar 2</a> <i>(provided by Arwyn Jones)</i></li> <li>• <a href="#">Pillar 3</a> <i>(provided by Gergely Toth)</i></li> <li>• <a href="#">Pillar 4</a> <i>(provided by Maria Fantappie)</i></li> <li>• <a href="#">Pillar 5</a> <i>(provided by Hakki Erdogan)</i></li> </ul>
8	NFP/Partner information (if needed) <a href="#">2020 ESP Plenary Assembly: Partner Contributions</a> Including contributions from Austria, Germany, Latvia and Switzerland (26-08-2020)
9	ESP Implementation Plan (2017-2020; future IP)  <i>New ESP IP to be elaborated by ESP SC, under new Chair/Vice-Chairs/Secretariat</i>
10	ESP steering committee (renewal of the chair, vice-chair, secretariat positions)
Other Docs	<a href="#">" About a Petition to the European Research Council aimed at increasing Soil Awareness and Research at European level"</a> <i>by Carmelo Dazzi, ESP Vice-Chair</i>