

## Westminster Food & Nutrition Forum policy conference

Tackling food waste in households, industry, and agriculture - next steps for policy coordination, targets, implementation, and innovation in packaging

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> February 2022

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- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Daniel Zeichner MP**, Shadow Minister for Food, Farming and Rural Affairs
- 9.05 **The landscape for food waste in the UK, priorities for addressing challenges across the system, and progress in taking forward the Food Waste Reduction Roadmap**  
**Dr David Moon**, Head of Strategic Projects, WRAP  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 Break
- 9.35 **Next steps for tackling household and industry food waste - encouraging behaviour change, engagement with industry and retail, and improving consistency in local collection, recycling, and waste management services**  
**Dr Emma Keller**, Head of Sustainability, Nestlé UK & Ireland  
**Sarah Mellor**, Head of Sustainable Consumption & Production, Greater Manchester Combined Authority (GMCA)  
**Ali Moore**, Head of Communications and Behaviour Change, ReLondon  
**Dr Adam Read**, External Affairs Director, SUEZ Recycling & Recovery UK  
**Keith Warren**, Chief Executive, Foodservice Equipment Association  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.30 **Chair's closing remarks**  
**Daniel Zeichner MP**, Shadow Minister for Food, Farming and Rural Affairs
- 10.35 Break
- 10.45 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Baroness Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville**, Liberal Democrats Lords Spokesperson (Environment, Food and Rural Affairs)
- 10.50 **Coordinating food waste policy and reduction strategies across the food chain with wider decarbonisation targets**  
**Lord Deben**, Chairman, Climate Change Committee  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.15 Break
- 11.20 **Reducing waste in agriculture - supporting sustainable farming practices, improving resilience in the sector, and latest developments in repurposing agriculture waste**  
**Mike Greetham**, Chief Executive, The British Institute of Agricultural Consultants  
**Dr Ifeyinwa Kanu**, Chief Executive, IntelliDigest  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.50 **Innovation in packaging - safeguarding, shelf life and new materials, improving recycling methods, moving away from single-use design, and the role of taxation and a DRS in supporting plastic waste reduction**  
**Dr Lucy O'Shea**, Senior Lecturer in Economics, University of Bath; and Member, Resources and Waste Targets Expert Group (RWTEG), Defra  
**Dr Sally Beken**, Knowledge Transfer Manager - Polymers, Knowledge Transfer Network (KTN); and Fellow, Institute of Materials, Minerals and Mining (IOM3)  
**Skye Oudemans**, Senior Sustainability Executive, Plastics & Packaging, Food and Drink Federation  
**Rob Thompson**, Packaging Manager, Co-op  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.35 **'Policy action on food waste prevention'**  
**Dawn Woodward**, Deputy Head Resources and Waste, Defra  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster Food & Nutrition Forum closing remarks**  
**Baroness Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville**, Liberal Democrats Lords Spokesperson (Environment, Food and Rural Affairs)  
**Michael Ryan**, Deputy Editor, Westminster Food & Nutrition Forum