

European CAP Network Assembly AGENDA 2nd Meeting

5 December 2023

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Brussels







European CAP Network Assembly

The Assembly is the main governance body of the European CAP Network. After its launch last October, 2023 is the first year of the European CAP Network's operation in the 2023 - 2027 programming period.

The objectives of the 2nd meeting of the Assembly are:

- To provide policy updates and an update on the CAP Strategic Plans, and relevant EU and Member State activities;
- To update members about the activities of the EU CAP Network, including the 1st meeting of the Steering Group;
- To discuss the key role of networking related to the implementation and evaluation of the CAP Strategic Plans as well as promoting knowledge exchange and innovation.





| Timing | Agenda item |
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| 8.30 – 9.00 | Registration |
| 9.00 – 9.20 | Welcome and introduction by the Chair, Mario Milouchev, Director D, Directorate-General for Agricultural and Rural Development (DG AGRI) |
| 9.20 – 10.00 | Opening session – policy update by Mihail Dumitru, Deputy- Director General, Directorate-General for Agricultural and Rural Development (DG AGRI) • Q&A |
| 10.00 – 10.30 | Report from the Steering Group to the Assembly on its 1st meeting – Cormac McGann, Assistant Principal Officer, CAP Strategic Plan Division, Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine, Ireland • Q&A |
| 10.30 – 11.00 | Coffee break |
| 11.00 – 11.15 | Adopting the rules of procedure of the Assembly – Tatjana Borbas, DG AGRI • Q&A |
| 11.15 – 12.15 | Update on EU networking activities strands (EU CAP Network) (communication, evaluation, implementation, innovation) – Nicolas Esgain, Hannes Wimmer, David Lamb, Pacôme Elouna Eyenga (EU CAP Network) |
| 12.15 – 12.45 | Updates from the Assembly members on their activities Marianne Selkäinaho, senior officer, rural affairs, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, Finland and Teemu Haihua, director of unit, National Rural Network, Finland Maria Gustafsson, head of network support unit, National CAP Network, Sweden Luis Chaves, Federação Minha Terra, ELARD |
| 12.45 – 14.15 | Lunch Break |
| 14.15 – 15.30 | Interactive session on priority themes for networking |
| 15.30 – 16.00 | Coffee break |
| 16.00 – 16.15 | Summary of discussions. AOB |
| 16.15 – 16.30 | Next steps & end of the meeting |



