

EUROPEAN COMMISSION DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR HEALTH AND FOOD SAFETY

Food safety, sustainability and innovation **Farm to fork strategy**

AGENDA

EU PLATFORM ON FOOD LOSSES AND FOOD WASTE (FLW): SUB-GROUP ON ACTION & IMPLEMENTATION

14 October 2024 (13.30-16.45 CET)

DG Health and Food Safety

Online / <u>Webex</u>

Chaired by: Ms Rikke Karlsson, DG SANTE, Ms Eva Sali, COPA, and Mr. Tomas Szuba, Venturis Horeca

13:00-13.30 Technical start (participants connect to the meeting through Webex; technical assistance is provided as needed)

- 1. Welcome and adoption of the agenda
- 2. Optimizing food chain collaboration to prevent food waste, introduction by COPA and a presentation by Filiera Italia
- 3. Recovery of surplus food from the agricultural sector presentation by FEBA and the Lithuanian Food Bank
- Digital marketplace to promote the use of biobased side and waste streams

 presentation by the Finnish Central Union of Agricultural Producers and Forest Owners

Coffee break

- 5. Happy Hours Market a Belgian digital and local marketplace for surplus food
- 6. Recommendations from the Norwegian food waste committee
- 7. Food loss and waste practitioners exchange across EU presentation by Wageningen University & Research
- 8. AOB
- 9. Conclusions and wrap-up