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Enviro NI

Green, clean and sustainable local services
(includes APSE Northern Ireland's AGM)



Thursday 6 June

Galgorm, Ballymena, BT42 1EA

Programme

9:30 Registration and refreshments

10:00 **Session One: Chaired by Cllr Terry Andrews, APSE Northern Ireland Chair**

Welcome: Cllr Alison Bennington, Vice-President, NILGA

Rethinking our resources: Measures for climate action and a circular economy in NI

- Embedding circularity in NI and protect our natural resources by growing the circular economy
- Upcoming policy and legislative drivers that are helping us to achieve this
- What this means for NI and how you might be affected by these changes

Rachael Hook, Head of Resources and Waste Strategy, DAERA

SNI – Valuable work and further development

- Opportunities to embed sustainability
- Supporting the public sector and beyond
- Sustainable procurement

Francesca Di Palo, Head of Public Sector Services, Sustainable NI

Audience question and answer session

11:05 Comfort Break

11:25 **Session Two**

Climate Action in Belfast

- Belfast Local Area Development Plan
- Queens Island Decarbonisation Plan
- Five priority decarbonisation projects

Debbie Caldwell, Climate Commissioner, Belfast City Council

Road to decarbonisation

- Where we have we been?
- Where are we now?
- Where are we going?

Jeff Shaw AMSOE AMIRTE, Transport Manager, Ards And North Down Borough Council

Audience question and answer session

12:30 **APSE Northern Ireland AGM**

This short session provides an invaluable opportunity for APSE Northern Ireland to review its activities over the last year. This meeting will also provide a critical role in ensuring that any identified future goals and objectives of the Association continue to be directly linked to the views of the membership moving forward.

12:50 Lunch

13:45 **Session Three**

APSE Energy: Decarbonising council buildings

- Understanding your building stock: Carrying out energy audits
- Improving energy efficiency and renewable energy solutions
- How APSE Energy can help

Charlotte Banks, APSE Energy Principal Advisor

The BIG Tree Project

- What is the Big Tree Project?
- The journey so far
- The future of the Project

Gareth Lennox, Head of Service for Parks and Amenities, and James Rodgers, Project Lead, Lisburn and Castlereagh City Council

Collect, Visualise, Monitor: Using data to encourage energy efficient thinking

- Overview of energy data accessibility/ quality issues
- Energy data collection and processing
- Data visualisation and monitoring energy management dashboard

Andrew Mowat, Energy Policy Officer, and Patrick McCaffrey, Data and Intelligence Officer, Fermanagh and Omagh District Council

Audience question and answer session

14:55 **Closing comments**

15:00 Seminar close

About

Enviro NI

Across Northern Ireland, local councils are leading the way in meaningful and positive action on the environment.

This event, held in collaboration with APSE Energy, is designed to help those on the frontline stay on top of the latest legislative and technological developments. Whether via:

- **Waste management strategies**
- **Investment in renewable energy**
- **Action on biodiversity**
- **Transitioning to alternative fuel fleets**

FREE for APSE Northern Ireland member councils, this seminar provides an excellent opportunity to network with your peers in local government; affording delegates a unique chance to share innovation and case studies in success as well as identify areas for improvement. This event will also incorporate the APSE Northern Ireland Annual General Meeting.

Your free booking includes lunch and refreshments but does not include accommodation. For nearby hotels [click here](#).

Venue information - Galgorm Hotel

Located in Ballymena, Galgorm Resort is easily accessible by road, train or bus.

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Packages Exclusive of VAT

APSE member delegate fee: **FREE**

Non member delegate fee: **£175+VAT**

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