

CF-meeting 23.11.2022 - Discussions starting slide
Towards a proposal for a EU Soil Health Law
(inclusively implementing the EU STS for 2030)

- **“SOIL HEALTH” – is it a deeply transformative concept?!**
 - Windows-of-opportunity
 - Challenges
 - Concerns
- **Soil Health Certificates & Passport excavated soils**
 - Pros & Cons
- **CLM 2030 & Circularity**
 - (y)our ideas

Raise your voice, do story-telling

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(CF-meeting 23.11.22 – session 2: overview discussion results)

- **summarising workshop „findings“ for conveying “key messages“** (*referring to societal challenges: Biodiv, CE, Climate*)
 - (if available: referring & attaching side materials, e.g. land stewardship)
- **Call for**
 - **instructing & developing common understanding and processes**
 - Starting point to develop joint approaches and guidelines
 - **diffuse pollution should be addressed**
- **EU SHL & existing EU legislation – enabling good interfaces**
 - see next slide

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EU SHL & existing EU legislation – enabling good interfaces

Bases on identification (work by EC) of inter-faces between different existing EU legislation and SHL proposal, consider their legal adaptations through the SHL (amending provisions) or include clear reference to them in order to:

- 1) avoid overlapping legislations; (e.g. Water and Waste Framework Directives; CAP)
- 2) rectify contradictory disposals (+ examples)
- 3) complete legal gaps; (+ examples)
- 4) centralise soil concepts in SHL to ensure overall coherence.



If such issues are not handled (at minimum) at least at the beginning of SHL official discussions, problems might pop up later (too late) and decrease support for the SHL.