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## Resource efficiency and circularity: benefits for the public sector

WRAP Cymru and the European Resource Efficiency Centre for Excellence are delighted to invite you to this free event that will enable you to network with colleagues from across the EU, share learnings and discover the many benefits of embedding sustainability into your organisation's procurement practices.

This event will bring together intermediaries, decision makers, buyers and procurement professionals from across the public sector to share learnings from across Wales and the EU to showcase how the public sector can drive demand for and demonstrate principles of circular economy. The workshop will provide delegates with the opportunity to learn how to adopt sustainability, circularity and resource efficiency principles in their working and organisation's practices.

#### What will it involve?

Delegates will benefit from interactive workshops that set out the strategic and commercial benefits that can be gained through prioritising resource efficiency, circular economy and sustainability when procuring goods and services. Roundtable discussions will also provide the opportunity to discover the ways in which innovative approaches to procurement can enable organisations to meet goals set out in the Wellbeing of Future Generations Act 2015 and other strategic/legislative aims.

The event will be chaired by Head of WRAP Cymru Carl Nichols; other speakers will include Dr Mervyn Jones (Sustainable Global Resources Ltd.), Cuno van Geet (Rijkswaterstaat), Dr Andy Rees (Welsh Government), Rebecca Jones (Swansea Council), and Michael Mcleod (UniGreen Scheme).

### Why should you attend?

- · Free to attend
- Learn how to adopt sustainability and resource efficiency principles in your working and organisation's practices

- Hear examples of best practice showcasing how cost savings and wider organisational benefits have been achieved through innovative procurement
- Networking opportunities
- Lunch and refreshments provided

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