EU GREEN WEEK PARTNER EVENT

Zero Pollution for a resilient Water-Smart Society and Economy

From innovation to implementation: investing in nature through water systems

11/06/2026 | 11:00 - 13:00 CET | Online public event

Welcome and setting the scene: the ZeroPollution4Water Cluster in the European Green Week

11:00 – 11:15

Introduction to the event in the framework of EU Green Week 2026, the ZeroPollution4Water Cluster, and Europe's transition towards zero pollution, water resilience, and a nature-positive economy (Sofia Pachini EC REA, and Andrea Ruini, Water Europe ZP4WC Coordinator)

From knowledge to solutions: the ZeroPollution4Water Cluster as a systemic portfolio

11:15 – 11:35

Overview of how the ZP4WC projects contribute to reducing water pollution and advancing innovative, integrated, and systemic solutions for resilient water systems (Ana Pereiro, Project Coordinator MAR2PROTECT).

Thematic spotlight session

11:35 – 12:05

1. **AQUAMON, Aggelos Gkiokas (TECHNAI, Dissemination Manager)**

From Zero Pollution to urban water resilience: the role of advanced quality monitoring

Exploring how the integration of real-time smart sensing, autonomous robotics, and AI-driven predictive modeling can safeguard urban water quality, prevent infrastructure overload, and build climate-resilient cities.

2. **LIFE PRISTINE, Mireia Marcé Escalé (Project Coordinator)**

From innovation to water reuse and drinking water market

Identification of the different barriers that hinder the transition from pilot to deployment of the PRISTINE solution, how they are being overcome, and how regulation has contributed to bringing the solution closer to the market.

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3. NIAGARA (TBC)

4. **NPower, Miguel Ángel Suarez (CETENMA & NPower Project Coordinator)**

Improving water quality on regional scale trough circular nutrient management

A combination of solutions based on innovative technologies, best management practices and governance measures provides a sustainable and circular management of nitrogen, phosphorus and water, that boosts regional agriculture and protects the environment.

Panel discussion: bridging the implementation gap: scaling solutions emerging from the ZeroPollution4Water Cluster projects from pilots to impact

12:05 – 12:45

Moderator: Anais Baladah (Water Europe)

Panelists:

1. LIFE PRISTINE, Mireia Marcé Escalé
2. NIAGARA, Katerina Panailidou (TBC)
3. NPOWER, Miguel Ángel Suarez
4. D4RUNOFF and WATERSENS, Evdokia Bairampa

Open dialogue and audience interaction

12:45 – 12:55

Questions, reflections, and exchange with participants (Andrea Rubini, Water Europe)

Key takeaways and closing

12:55 – 13:00

Conclusions and next steps (Sofia Pachini, EC REA & Andrea Rubini, Water Europe)