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## **PREPAIR PROJECT - 2<sup>a</sup> MIDTERM CONFERENCE**

### **THE PO BASIN TOGETHER FOR THE QUALITY OF AIR**

Four years after the start of the project, local authorities of the Po Valley and the Slovenian Environment Agency meet to share scientific studies and capacity building actions undertaken within the PREPAIR project, which will be the starting point for debating about air quality policies and strategies from the European to the local level

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Chairman: Luca Marchesi, Veneto Region

9:30 – 10:00

#### **Welcome Speech**

Minister *Gianpaolo Bottacin*, Veneto Region  
Minister *Irene Priolo*, Emilia-Romagna Region  
Minister *Raffaele Cattaneo*, Lombardia Region  
Minister *Matteo Marnati*, Piemonte Region

#### **Institutional greetings from the City of Venice**

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10:00 – 10:20

#### **The PREPAIR project in the context of the short and long term air quality planning in the Po Valley**

*Paolo Ferrecchi*, Emilia-Romagna Region

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10:20 – 11:30

#### **Evaluation and Monitoring Session**

Introduction by *Marco Deserti*, Emilia-Romagna Region

- PM10 precursor emissions, *Alessandro Marongiu* (ARPA Lombardia)
  - Air quality modelling assessment in the Po Valley, *Michele Stortini* (ARPAE Emilia-Romagna), *Stefano Bande* (ARPA Piemonte)
  - The effect of the COVID-19 lockdown on air quality in Slovenia, *Don Ciglencecki*, *Janja Tursic* (ARSO)
  - Particulate composition in special stations, *Eleonora Cuccia* (ARPA Lombardia)
  - Air quality and COVID, *Arianna Trentini* (ARPAE Emilia-Romagna)
  - The Measures for Air Quality in the Po basin: the results of 2 years monitoring, *Michele Bartolomei* (ART-ER)
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11:45 – 13:30

### **Capacity building actions and raising awareness Session**

*Introduction by Katia Raffaelli, Emilia-Romagna Region*

- Main results of the Transport Pillar, *Milena Orso Giaccone* (Piemonte Region)
- The role of cities, *Cleto Carlini* (Municipality of Bologna), *Silvia Moroni* (AMAT/Municipality of Milano), *Marco Rolando* (Municipality of Torino)
- Agriculture: PREPAIR new tools for the assessment of emissions and improvement interventions, *Matteo Balboni* (Emilia-Romagna Region)
- Main results of the Energy Pillar, *Sara Verones* (Autonomous Province of Trento)
- The actions of the PREPAIR project to promote the correct use of woody biomass for domestic heating, *Alberto Suppa* (Lombardia Region)
- You've got air, a communication campaign to seal the alliance between institutions and citizens, *Marco Ottolenghi* (ART-ER)

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*Chairman: Loris Tomiato, ARPA Veneto*

14:30 – 15:30

### **European and National Actions to improve air quality Session**

*Introduction by Marco Deserti, Regione Emilia-Romagna*

- Zero pollution action plan, *Wilhelmus De Wilt* (DG Environment European Commission)
- The national strategy for improving air quality, *Fabio Romeo* (Ministry of Ecological Transition)
- The Copernicus National mirror service for air quality, *Andrea Taramelli* (National delegate at the Copernicus User Forum UE and Coordinator of National Forum of Copernicus Users)

15:30 – 17:00

### **Round table**

#### ***Air quality: implemented actions and future prospects***

The Regional Environmental Ministers will intervene: Gianpaolo Bottacin, Raffaele Cattaneo, Matteo Marnati, Irene Priolo, Fabio Scoccimarro, Mario Tonina, Erik Lavevaz.

Moderator: *Jacopo Giliberto*, journalist of Sole 24 ore

17:00

### **Conclusions**

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