




BREAKFAST AT SUSTAINABILITY'S



The Liaison Office of the Autonomous Province of
Bolzano/Bozen - South Tyrol is pleased to host
the **10th Breakfast at Sustainability's (B@S)** organised by
ICLEI – Local Governments for Sustainability and
Deutsche Umwelthilfe e.V.

- **Small informal meetings** hosted by Bxl representations of regional & local governments.
- Topics address **sustainable urban development**, essential to public authorities - from climate change to waste management, from land use, social responsibility, water, transport, energy and many more.
- **Financing and action are always core elements!**
- **Approach:** Breakfast, short expert input, followed by moderated interactive discussion.

Topic: **Capitals of Biodiversity – European municipalities lead the way in local biodiversity protection**

Venue: Liaison Office of the European Region Tyrol-South Tyrol-Trentino
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 Metro Malbeek-Malbeck station

Date: 24 November 2011 (9:30 am – 12:30 followed by networking lunch)

Agenda:

09:30 Welcome Coffee & Croissants

10:00 **Welcome**

From biodiversity policy to local implementation

- **Introduction to topic** – Hans FRIEDERICH, IUCN's Regional Director for Europe (Facilitator)
- Janez POTOČNIK, European Commissioner for the Environment
- Isabelle DURANT, MEP, Vice-President of the European Parliament (video message)
- Holger ROBRECHT, ICLEI, Director Sustainability Management
- Questions to the panel

10:45 **Award Ceremony of European Capitals of Biodiversity**

- Honouring European Capitals of Biodiversity 2011

11:00 **Urban biodiversity protection in Europe**

- **Introduction to the project** – Silke WISSEL, Deutsche Umwelthilfe
- **Local action in five European Capitals of Biodiversity 2011** – presented by city representatives
- **Panel discussion**

12:30 Sustainable networking lunch with wine from South Tyrol

To register (free of cost)
please email the ICLEI Brussels Office at brussels-office@iclei.org
by 18th November 2011

