

27/01/2022Public Waste Agency of Flanders (OVAM) - Circular FlandersBE-C[C53]-R[R-509]Launch of Steering Group of Circular Flanders**Ter info en herinnering – mijlpaal en verificatiemechanismen Q4 2021:****Milestone:**

*Steering group for the governance of Circular Flanders appointed and Roadmap and Work Agendas for guiding circular economy projects and the development of strategic levers adopted*

**Verification mechanism:**

*Summary document duly justifying how the milestone (including the relevant elements of the milestone, as listed in the description of the milestone and of the corresponding measure in the CID annex) was satisfactorily fulfilled.*

*This document shall include as an annex the following documentary evidence:*

1. *Copy of official document on the establishment and composition of the steering group.*
2. *Copy of adopted final versions of roadmap and work agendas.*

**Evidence provided:**

Evidence added to this summary note regarding the fulfillment of this milestone:

- VR 2020 1007  
MED.02401BIS\_een\_transversale\_werking\_voor\_de\_circulaire\_economie\_van\_vlaanderen:  
The decision of the Flemish government (10/07/2020) establishing the mandate and composition of the Steering Group
- SG V 20-12-01: the first meeting report of the Steering Group (01/12/2020)
  - o SG P 20-12-01 - Presentatie in de vergadering: powerpoint presentation
- SG D 21-11-29 Uitgeschreven visie 2050 met toekomstbeelden (005): Text version of the Roadmap
- SG V 21-12-06: meeting report of the Steering Group
  - o SG P 21-12-06: powerpoint presentation (06/12/2021) which approved the content of the Roadmap
- The website providing more details on the Work Agendas: <https://vlaanderen-circulair.be/nl/topics>

**Detailed justification:**

- The decision of the Flemish government (10/07/2020) officially establishes the renewed governance of Circular Flanders with Roadmap, Work Agendas, strategic levers and Steering Group. The first meeting of the Steering Group took place on December 1<sup>st</sup> 2020 as illustrated by the accompanying meeting report and powerpoint presentation, further detailing its composition and modus operandi.

- The text version of the Roadmap details its content as approved by the Steering Group on 06/12/2021. The final edition is now being prepared for publication with additional imagery. The official public launch is planned for April 2022.
- The Work Agendas are a continuous work in progress and thus hard to pin down in a single document. The webpage on the Work Agendas of the website of Flanders Circular (<https://vlaanderen-circulair.be/en/approach>) offers an overview per topic:
  - o Bio-economy: <https://vlaanderen-circulair.be/nl/onze-aanpak/werkagenda-s/bio-economie>
  - o Circular construction: <https://vlaanderen-circulair.be/nl/onze-aanpak/werkagenda-s/circulair-bouwen>
  - o Chemistry/plastics: <https://vlaanderen-circulair.be/nl/onze-aanpak/werkagenda-s/chemie-kunststoffen>
  - o Manufacturing: <https://vlaanderen-circulair.be/nl/onze-aanpak/werkagenda-s/maakindustrie>
  - o Food chain: <https://vlaanderen-circulair.be/nl/onze-aanpak/werkagenda-s/voedselketen>
  - o Water cycles: <https://vlaanderen-circulair.be/nl/onze-aanpak/werkagenda-s/waterkringlopen>

The Work Agendas are continuously scrutinized by the Steering Group as demonstrated in the meeting reports.