

1st BIOSIRE International Workshop

Collection of Used Vegetable Oil: live experiences around Europe

Heraklion, 10 September 2009

Venue: ATRION Hotel - 9 Chronaki Street, 71202 Heraklion Crete (Greece)

- 09.00 Registration and welcome coffee
- 09:30 Context of BIOSIRE Project and workshop objectives, Natasa Avlijas - Net Engineering SpA
- 09:50 **The Collection and recycling of Waste Vegetable Oil in London and surrounding areas**, Richard Morrow - Uptown Oil Limited (London)
- 10:20 Question and answer session
- 10.30 **Used cooking oil collection in Greece**, Nikos Liapis - ELINOIL S.A (Greece)
- 11:00 Question and answer session
- 11:10 Coffee break
- 11:30 **Used cooking oil demand: from hotels & restaurants to households**, Antonio Reta - Ecorecycling S.L. (Spain)
- 12:00 Question and answer session
- 12:10 **Olivia's Oil**, Serena Rossi, Adriatica Oli (Italy)
- 12:40 Question and answer session
- 13:00 Lunch
- 14:00 **Biodiesel from used cooking oil: a real case**, Sussana Regis - DP Lubrificanti (Italy)
- 14:30 Question and answer session
- 14:45 Conclusions and discussion, chairing Natasa Avlijas - Net Engineering SpA
- 15:30 Coffee break

- 15:45 Panel discussion: collecting cooking oils in the BIOSIRE implementations
Chair: Maarten van Bemmelen (CINESI).
Presentation on issues related to collecting cooking oil and discussion by:
- REAC representative
 - Mallorca representative
 - La Rochelle representative
 - Croatia representative
- 17:00 Short break and start of Site visit
- 19:00 End of site visit
- 20.30 Project dinner offered by REAC

About Heraklion

Heraklion is an attractive Mediterranean city with a rich cultural heritage. The first European civilisation, the Minoan civilisation, flourished on this land 5000 years ago. For centuries it was and still is the metropolis of Crete. Visitors discover many places of interest, and enjoy its cheerful, bustling atmosphere.

Archaeological sites of interest

Knossos Palace

Festos Palace

Gortyna

Monuments

Venetian fortification walls

Venetian Loggia, Town Hall

Basilica of San Marco, originally built by the Venetians in 1239 AD

Morosini's Venetian Fountain- Fountain of the Four Lions, built in 1629 AD, it supplied the water system of the city, built in 1629 AD

La Rocca al mare (Koules), the fortress in the sea, one of the most impressive Mediterranean fortresses

Martinengo Rampart-Kazantzakis's grave, panoramic view of Heraklion

Museums

Archaeological Museum of Heraklion

Historical Museum of Crete, featuring two of El Greco's paintings, a detailed model of Heraklion during the 1600s and Kazantzakis' study room

Natural History Museum of Crete [www.nhmc.uoc.gr]

Nikos Kazantzakis Museum, Myrtia village

Sights

Cretaquarium, Aquarium in Gouves [www.cretaquarium.gr]

Chronakis house

Village of Archanes

Churches

Aghios Minas, Cathedral church of Heraklion

Aghios Titos, one of the most beautiful churches in Crete

Aghia Aikaterini (Church of Sinai), featuring a collection of Byzantine icons of the Cretan School