

Citizens' Assembly on Biodiversity Loss
Meeting 1: 14th May 2022

From 10 a.m. Registration, photographs, coffee

11 a.m. Members introduce themselves at their roundtables (*private session*)

11.20 a.m. **Introduction by Chairperson**, Dr. Aoibhinn Ni Shuilleabhain

The Biodiversity Crisis

11.30 a.m. **Video presentation by Professor Robert Watson**

11.50 a.m. **Roundtable discussion** (*private session*)

12.10 p.m. Q & A with the Expert Advisory Group

12.45 p.m. **Lunch**

Introducing Biodiversity in Ireland

1.45 p.m. **This is Ireland Video**

1.50 p.m. **Roundtable discussion** (*private session*)

2.20 p.m. **Ireland's Land and Marine Biodiversity:**
Dr Ferdia Marnell, NPWS & Prof. Tasman Crowe, UCD

2.50 p.m. **What does Biodiversity do for us in Ireland?**
Prof. Jane Stout, TCD

3.05 p.m. **Q & A**

3.20 p.m. **Roundtable Discussion** (*private session*)

3.50 p.m. **'Look at Nature Around You'**
Ella McSweeney, RTE

4 p.m. **Conclusion by Chairperson**