

# Support Scheme for Renewable Heat (SSRH) Information Seminar

Tuesday, 10 March | 1.30pm  
Teagasc, Ballyhaise, Co. Cavan

Wednesday, 11 March | 1.30pm  
Teagasc, Moorepark, Co. Cork

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The SSRH was approved by the Government in December 2017 and has been developed to increase the use of renewable energy in the heat sector by circa three percentage points.

Phase two of the scheme was officially launched on June 4<sup>th</sup> 2019 by Minister Richard Bruton TD. After a long gestation period this important incentive is now live. The SSRH is very relevant to the poultry, pig and horticulture sectors in Ireland.

The current flow of queries on the SSRH shows that there is a knowledge gap around the practical engineering applications which are allowable within the regulations. Teagasc and SEAI have organised two “hands on” seminar’s on the practical application of the SSRH to biomass boilers. There will also be a presentation and discussion on the relevance of solar PV to agricultural sectors.



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## Programme

The seminars will cover the principles of biomass heating systems. Aspects considered will include:

- Interpretation of eligibility rules for biomass boilers
- Biomass resources and sustainability criteria
- System quality and performance
- How the reduction in the farm's carbon footprint could be of advantage in the market place
- Consideration of payback on the investment

## Seminar speakers include:

- Ray Langton  
*SSRH Program Manager at the Sustainable Energy Authority of Ireland*
- Tom Houlihan  
*Teagasc Forestry Specialist*
- Mark Hanly  
*Greengrove Wood Energy (Woodchip Suppliers)*
- Barry Caslin  
*Energy and Rural Development Specialist, Teagasc*
- Conor Casey  
*Towards Zero Carbon*
- Pat Smith  
*Local Power*
- Robert Goss  
*Solar Electric Ireland*

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