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12 May 2017 | Non-governmental organisation (NGO)

[European Sustainable Phosphorus Platform \(Belgium\)](#)

The possible presence of pharmaceuticals in processed sewage biosolids and animal manures is a significant potential obstacle to the Circular Economy for nutrients (recycling to agriculture of phosphorus, nitrogen, other nutrients) and to the return of carbon from these sources to soil (...)

10 May 2017 | Academic/research institution

[University of Gothenburg, Sweden, Centre for Antibiotic Resistance Research \(CARE\) \(Sweden\)](#)

It is positive that the draft roadmap clearly includes risks concerning discharges from manufacturing and antibiotic resistance development. Not only is antibiotic resistance development the largest recognized human health risk associated with pharmaceuticals in the environment, managing such...

8 May 2017 | Non-governmental organisation (NGO)

[Senior Corporate Silver Spoon, Environment and Nature Association \(Hungary\)](#)

Dear Lady/Sir,

Responding to the roadmap described below, I will give the following answer: The best strategy is to create a flexible approach to the natural environment that is environmentally friendly.

The decision makers adapt flexibly to the environment, not just to the natural...

5 May 2017 | Academic/research institution

[Leupahan Universisty Lüneburg \(Germany\)](#)

Risk assessment should include products of incomplete degradation/mineralisation in the environment and/or sewage treatment as it has been found that some may be even more toxic than parent compounds. Most of these are formed by advanced treatment/oxidation or by light. However, very often from...

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