

**Agenda for a Meeting of the Cross Party Group on Food to be held at 6pm on  
Wednesday May 23rd 2018 in Committee Room 5**

The meeting will be chaired by Mark Ruskell MSP

1. Apologies for Absence
  
2. Minutes of the last meeting (March 28th)
  
3. Matters Arising

\*The theme for the CPG Food for the whole year is Good Food Nation. All topics at meetings have this as a backdrop.\*

4. **Minimising Food Waste and Opportunities**

There will be short presentations from:

- **Introduction and scene setting** -Iain Gulland, CEO, Zero Waste Scotland
  
- **Manufacturers**- Cat Hay, Policy and Industry Liaison Manager, Food and Drink Federation Scotland
  
- **Retailers** –Ewan MacDonald-Russell, Head of Policy and External Affairs, Scottish Retail Consortium
  
- **Communities** -Pete Ritchie, Executive Director, Nourish/ Co-Owner, Whitmuir Organics

This will be followed by an open debate.

5. AOB
  
6. Dates of next meetings

These will be at 6pm on

- Wednesday, 19 September (AGM)
- Wednesday , 16 January 2019