



The political, economic and social impacts of climate change

Facts - Effects - Things to do

Water scarcity and abundance

Date: December 6, 2019 (Friday) 12,00H.

Venue: Nyírbátor Cultural Centre (Address: Nyírbátor, Szabadság tér 8.)

12.00

Opening speech

Chair: **Ferenc Büttl**, Chairperson of the foundation” For the renewal of Hungary”

Zita Gurmai, Deputy Vice-Chairperson of the Parliamentary group of the Hungarian Socialist Party, Vice- President of FEPS

Followed by an awareness raising video by FEPS on climate change

12.15

Introductory remarks on the political implications of the climate change

Bertalan Tóth, MP, Chairman of the MSZP, Chairperson of the Parliamentary group

12.35

Climate change on the horizon of politics (video lecture)

Jo Leinen, Member and Rapporteur of the FEPS UNited for Climate Justice Steering Committee

12.50 **The issue of the climate catastrophe in the strategy of the Hungarian Socialist Party**

László Hubai, associate professor

13.10 **A city with water and without**

Antal Máté, Mayor of the city of Nyírbátor:

13.30 **Gáspár Bodnár**, CEO, FETIVIZIG (Upper-Tisza water management directorate), Nyíregyháza

13.50 **Cooperation for a better irrigation**

László Kótai, CEO of KÖTIVIZIG, (Mid-Tisza water management directorate), city of Debrecen

Followed by Questions & Answers

14.30 **Closing remarks**

László Andor, Secretary general of FEPS

Followed by a Reception

We provide the participants with the publication of FEPS "[United for climate justice - declaration](#)" in Hungarian.