**Monitoring report**

Now available the [report of the CSM workshop](http://csm4cfs.org) organized on November 24-25, 2014, based on this CSO will prepare a concrete proposal for an innovative monitoring mechanism.

**Monitoring OEWG next meetings calendar:**

- 30 April, 1th June, 7July.

**HLF on connecting smallholders to markets**

CSO has proposed the following list of names ([www.csm4cfs.org](http://www.csm4cfs.org), HLF) for the panel. Final comments on the doc have been gathered and will be submitted by the 23th.

**Water**

The Launch of the Report will take place in FAO Headquarters, on 15 May 2015. A policy roundtable and a decision box are foreseen on CFS annual forum on October 2015. To prepare ahead of time a working group on water is about to be organized, please write to cso4cfs@gmail.org if you want to be added to the group.

**On 29 January Civil Society Perspectives on Food and Nutrition Security in Protracted Crises**

CSM organized a public event on Civil Society Perspectives on Food and Nutrition Security in Protracted Crises, the day before the OEWG on meeting on 30 January. The event offered a rare opportunity for in-depth exchange between those currently discussing and negotiating the CFS Agenda for Action for Addressing Food Insecurity in Protracted Crises (CFS-A4A) and civil society representatives from countries in protracted crisis. Presenters from ten countries shared their views and expectations toward the upcoming CFS-A4A. This reality check was attended by many countries representatives, the CFS Vice-Chair, the two Co-Chairs of the OEWG and the CFS secretariat. See [here](http://csm4cfs.org) photos and some of the case studies presented. Here the [Second Draft](http://csm4cfs.org) of the Agenda for Action.

**Protracted Crisis next meetings Calendar:**

- 7- 8 May
- 18 - 22 May 2015 second round of negotiations
- final version for consideration and endorsement by CFS 42 in October 2015.

**Joint AG Bureau meeting 2 February**

The last Joint Meeting of CFS Bureau and Advisory Group was held on February 2. The agenda included several important topics for civil society, among them the follow up on Nutrition in the CFS, the HLF on connecting smallholders to markets. You can find [here](http://csm4cfs.org) the report of the AG Bureau and the Bureau meetings and the contributions of CSO.

**MYPOW meeting 3 February:**

The MYPOW meeting on the 3th February, The meeting discussed two major points: 1. The proposed process from February to May to define the proposal for CFS plan of work in 2016-2017 to discuss and endorse at the CFS 42; 2. The list of topics proposed for the CFS workplan 2016-2017. See [here](http://csm4cfs.org) the minutes of the meeting and list of proposed activities for consultation until 20 April.

**Next Activities:**

- AG Bureau Meeting 2 Mars, please find here the Agenda and the background documents.
- CSM information session now foreseen for the 3 March in the FAO Headquarters;
- 16th of March 2015: Achieving sustainable food security and nutrition: A debate about livestock, fish, water and food losses, event jointly organized by the HLPE and the University of Copenhagen ([here](http://csm4cfs.org) the provisional agenda).