

# LWR ANNOUNCED AS FOOD TECH CHALLENGER OF THE YEAR IN ANIMAL TECH TRACK DURING GLOBAL FOOD TECH CONGRESS



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Calgary, AB – (November 10, 2021) Livestock Water Recycling (LWR), a tech start-up that is re-thinking manure for better farm economics, has been announced as the winner of the <u>Food tech Congress' Food Tech Challengers</u> competition in the Animal Tech track. The event, designed to identify and celebrate the top global food and agriculture tech startups, brought together 70 startups on one virtual stage to compete for an equity-free money prize, global media exposure as well as the attention of 100+ VC's and CVC's.



Attendees at the Food Tech Congress included some of the biggest brands in the world

After a competitive process involving over 400 company submissions, LWR was invited to pitch among the top 70 companies who were divided into seven individual tracks: Functional Food, Alternative Proteins, Food Waste, Personalisation, Digitalisation & AI, Agri Tech and Animal Tech.

The 10 companies in each track were evaluated by a distinguished panel of industry experts from leading corporations, venture capitals, ecosystem builders and media partners. The winners of the other tracks include <a href="VADE Nutrition">VADE Nutrition</a>, <a href="VAJE NUTRITION">VIV</a>, <a href="MI TERRO">MI TERRO</a>, <a href="Get Nourished">Get Nourished</a>, <a href="Tastewise">Tastewise</a> and <a href="IGS">IGS</a>.

"We are committed to playing an active role in creating a low-carbon future. For us, that means giving food producers a tool to engage in the carbon removal market while reducing on farm emissions. The Food Tech Challengers pitch competition provided us with invaluable exposure for our business" says Karen Schuett CEO and Co-founder of LWR.

"Our digital solutions connect and enhance sustainable food production by offering increased transparency that supports regenerative agriculture practices that reduce carbon emissions, increase the sustainable management of water, and upcycles waste to worth" she adds.

"The Food Tech Challengers competition provides high-potential startups with an opportunity to seek the exposure they need to attract investment and bring their products to market," said Paulius Mikalauskas, Partner, Food Tech Congress. "We would like to congratulate Karen Schuett and her team at Livestock Water Recycling for their winning pitch and we wish them the very best of luck as they continue to grow their global reach."

LWR's award-winning solution re-imagines manure handling to create regenerative, restorative, and sustainable food production in such a way that it can *also* be more profitable for producer. They are currently driving a revolutionary, first of its kind hub and spoke biogas model that will bring together food producers, food corporates, and gas companies. This replicable model is gaining traction globally such that LWR is currently seeking distribution partners in South America and Europe. With a goal is to transform one trillion gallons of manure and food waste bioliquids into recycled clean water by 2050, LWR is directly impacting 10 of the UN's Sustainable Development goals.

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## **About Food Tech Congress**

The annual Food Tech Congress hosts top global food and agriculture investors, entrepreneurs, and government leaders for exclusive talks and hands-on learning experiences across 8 conference tracks. This year, the event gathered over 1000 food tech enthusiasts from all around the world for in-depth discussions accompanied by vast opportunities to network in a group of peers. More than 150 remarkable experts took the stage for ground-breaking keynotes, engaging panels and interactive fireside chats exploring the industry's exclusive insights. For more information, visit: www.foodtechcongress.com

## **About Livestock Water Recycling**

LWR is an award-winning global innovator of the on-site fertilizer PLANTTM. This patented technology platform provides hog, dairy, anaerobic digester, and food processing operations the ability to selectively extract particles from biosolid stream allowing for the best use of the liquids - recycled clean water, fertilizers, biogas feedstock. LWR's approach to water treatment achieves triple-bottom-line outcomes: meeting the growing demand for food, increasing farmer profitability, and protecting the environment and public health. LWR's fertilizer PLANTs save farmers time and money by providing them with a cost-effective solution to manage manure and bioliquids in a sustainable manner. LWR has systems operating throughout Canada, the US, the Middle East, and soon, the United Kingdom. For more information, visit: www.livestockwaterrecycling.com

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