

THE ROLE OF CONCRETE PAVING IN MILITARY MOBILITY

Hosted by MEP Wouter Beke

 Tuesday 9 December 2025

 16:00 to 17:30

 SPINELLI 5F385, Altiero Spinelli building,
European Parliament, Brussels



**Register by
Friday 28 November**

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As Europe faces growing security challenges, strengthening and modernising our **infrastructure** has never been more crucial or urgent.

Discover how **durable, high-performance concrete pavements** can enhance **Europe's readiness, resilience, and long-term defense capabilities**.

PROGRAMME

SPEAKERS

16:00 Welcome words and introduction to EUPAVE and concrete pavements
By **MEP Wouter Beke** and **Hervé Camerlynck**, Managing Director, EUPAVE

16:10 Making strategy concrete: how the concrete paving industry can increase strategic flexibility

By **Katrien D'Hert**, Brigadier General, Assistant Chief of Staff Readiness and Operations, DACOS Support & Enablement, Belgian Defence and **Simon Van Hoeymissen**, Researcher at Royal Higher Institute for Defence, Belgian Defence

16:40 Defence Readiness 2030: concrete tools and results

By **Herald Ruijters**, Deputy Director-General, Head of the Task Force Security Action for Europe, Directorate General for Defense Industry and Space, European Commission

16:55 Conclusion

By **MEP Wouter Beke**

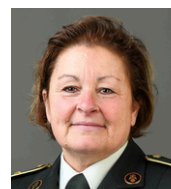
17:10 Open discussion



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