CLOSING THE LOOP: From Waste To Wealth And Clean Energy for Sustainable Rural Communities
Today’s Presenters

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Full Video:

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Video Trailer

Closing the Loop Trailer
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  - $180 billion in economic losses
  - Sea level has risen 8 inches over the past century
  - 30 million acres lost per year
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  1. 1.3 billion tons of food is wasted or lost every year

  2. If food waste was represented as a country it would be the third largest greenhouse gas emitter

- [https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2014/03/140327111724.htm](https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2014/03/140327111724.htm)
  3. Methane (CH$_4$) is 30x more potent than Carbon Dioxide (CO$_2$) in our atmosphere
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