

Metz, Tilly

European Parliament



Tilly Metz is a Member of the European Parliament representing the Greens/European Free Alliance group. She is known for her positions on health, the environment, animal welfare, and human rights.

Born in Luxembourg in 1967, Metz held her first position in politics in 2004 when she was elected as spokesperson for Déi Gréng (The Greens) party, Luxembourg, becoming a member of the Executive Board the same year. In 2005, Metz was elected as mayor of the municipality of Weiler-la-Tour (Luxembourg), a position she held for six years. She was the first female mayor of the municipality and the first elected member of Déi Gréng. In October 2017, she was elected to the municipal council of the city of Luxembourg, and the following year, she became a Member of the European Parliament.

In the European Parliament, Metz is a Vice-Chair of the Subcommittee of Public Health (SANT), a Vice-Chair of the Delegation for relations with South Africa (D-ZA) and is a full member of Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety (ENVI). She is also an alternate member of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development (AGRI) and the Committee on Transport and Tourism (TRAN). In the past Metz chaired the special committee of inquiry on animal transport (ANIT), which was created in June 2020, for a period of twelve months, and was responsible for examining allegations of infringements in the application of Union law on the protection of animals during transport and related operations inside and outside the Union.

Metz has a degree in Psychomotor Therapy from the Institut Libre Marie Haps, and a master's degree and graduate teaching qualification for secondary education in educational psychology from the Catholic University of Leuven.