



DRAFT AGENDA

GEF-IWCAM AND IABIN INDICATORS MECHANISM WORKSHOP 10 - 12 March 2008 Ocho Rios, Jamaica

Workshop Objectives

GEF-IWCAM

- Present the findings of the IWCAM indicators mechanisms and capacity assessment in the participating countries for discussion, inputs and feedback from participants;
- Present the draft indicators template for discussion and obtaining consensus;
- Discuss the way forward for implementation of the indicators template

IABIN

The GEF-IABIN project objectives of the meeting are to:

- Establish collaborative mechanisms especially among Caribbean states, where project proposals are developed for access to content-building grants from IABIN thematic networks. Emphasis will be placed on common areas of interest including Invasive Alien species, Protected Areas and Ecosystems and Pollinators.
- Establish a Caribbean management effectiveness database using the existing MPA Global database and review geospatial technologies with respect to development of monitoring and evaluation tools for protected areas management.
- Prepare Caribbean Countries to make a unified presentation on MPA databasing and management effectiveness at the 11th International Coral reef Symposium in July 2008.



DAY 1 Monday 10 March, 2008				
TIME	SESSION		SPEAKER/ FACILITATOR	
9:00 - 9:20	Welcome and opening		Vincent Sweeney, GEF-IWCAM Regional Project Coordinator Dionne Newell, IABIN Focal Point and member of the IABIN Executive Committee	
9:20 - 9:30	Introduction of participants			
9:30 - 9:45	Presentation of workshop objectives and agenda; nomination of rapporteurs		Sasha Beth Gottlieb, GEF-IWCAM Technical Coordinator Richard Huber, Principal Environmental Specialist, OAS	
9:45 – 10:20	<p>Overview of the IWCAM Project and indicators mechanism assessment objectives</p> <p>Overview of IABIN Project and IABIN Marine Protected Areas Management Effectiveness workshop Indicators-related activities</p> <p>Case Study: Presentation on Cost Effective Analysis and Integrated Coastal Zone Management of Coral Reefs Decision Support Modeling</p>		<p>Vincent Sweeney</p> <p>Richard Huber</p>	
10:20 – 10:30	BREAK			
	GEF-IWCAM		IABIN	
10:30-40	Participants' expectations of workshop	Leslie Walling	Participants' expectations of workshop	Dionne Newell
10:40-11:10	Overview of the GEF monitoring and evaluation process and GEF indicators	Sasha Beth Gottlieb	WCMC-World Database on Pas – IABIN and other regional partners on database development and interoperability; PA management effectiveness; and the process of transition of the MPA data from MPA Global to WDPA	Helena Pavarese, Colleen Corrigan, Antonio Cristiano Vieira Cegana, Eduardo



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11:10 – 11:30	Presentation of the results of the indicators mechanism assessment and discussion	Sherry Heileman	TNC –MPA work in the Caribbean 1.) geospatial; 2) site based demonstration locations to advance specific protected areas; 3) Systems scale work focused on selected countries (6 countries in progress in the insular Caribbean).	Steve Schill
11:30 – 11:50			UN Environment Programme, Caribbean Environment Programme -- Caribbean MPA database -- UNEP-CEP CaMPAM's (Caribbean Marine Protected AREA Management Network and Forum) database is being built on Plone software	Dr. Georgina Bustamante & Alessandra Vanzella
11:50 – 12:30	Presentation of the results of the indicators capacity assessment and discussion	Leslie Walling	Within IABIN Ecosystems Thematic Network -- Chris Madden at NATURESERVE (Marine Ecosystem Classification and standard format for marine ecosystem database for IABIN)	Chris Madden and Vince Abreu
12:30 – 1:30	LUNCH			
1:30 – 2:45	3 Break-out groups to discuss assessment results and findings	Each group to nominate a facilitator and a rapporteur	3 Break-out groups to work on MPAGlobal marine database management effectiveness individual country spread sheets	Each group to nominate a facilitator and a rapporteur
2:45 – 3:30	Break-out groups report back to plenary (15 mins each)	LW/SH		
3:30 – 3:45	BREAK			
3:45 – 4:15	Presentation of the draft IWCA indicators template	Sherry Heileman/ Leslie Walling	3 Break-out groups to work on MPAGlobal marine database management effectiveness individual country spread sheets	Each group to nominate a facilitator and a rapporteur
4:15 – 5:00	3 Break-out groups to assess each of the three types of indicators in the template (in terms of applicability, convenience, resource demand, existing human, technical, financial, institutional capacities, consistency and compatibility with national IWCA and other relevant objectives and	Each group to nominate a facilitator and a rapporteur	3 Break-out groups summarize MPAGlobal marine database management effectiveness individual country spreadsheets (in terms of applicability, convenience, resource demand, existing human, technical, financial, institutional capacities within MPAs, consistency and compatibility with national IWCA and	Each group to nominate a facilitator and a rapporteur



	initiatives).		other relevant objectives and initiatives). [Participants should have filled out their individual country spreadsheets prior to the workshop]	
DAY 2 Tuesday 11 March, 2008				
8:30 - 8:45	Review of previous day's progress	Vincent Sweeney	Review of previous day's progress	Richard Huber and Dionne Newell
8:45 - 9:45	Continuation of break-out groups assessment of the indicators template		3 Break-out groups summarize MPAGlobal marine database management effectiveness individual country spreadsheets (in terms of applicability, convenience, resource demand, existing human, technical, financial, institutional capacities within MPAs, consistency and compatibility with national IWCAM and other relevant objectives and initiatives). [Participants should have filled out their individual country spreadsheets prior to the workshop]	
9:45 – 10:15	Break-out groups report back to plenary & discussion (Process indicators)	Sherry Heileman/ Leslie Walling	Break-out groups report back to IABIN plenary & discussion to prepare for plenary IWCAM/IABIN presentations	Dionne Newell
10:15 – 10:30	BREAK			
10:30 – 11:00	Break-out groups report back to plenary & discussion (Stress Reduction indicators)	Sherry Heileman/ Leslie Walling	Individual Country presentations on Marine Parks Management Effectiveness	Marine Park Expert Participants
11:00 – 11:30	Break-out groups report back to plenary & discussion (Environmental Status indicators)	Sherry Heileman/ Leslie Walling	Individual Country presentations on Marine Parks Management Effectiveness	Marine Park Expert Participants
11:30 – 12:00	Summary IWCAM Indicators	Sherry Heileman/ Leslie Walling	Summary IABIN MPA Management Effectiveness	Vince Abreau
12:00 – 12:30	Discussion about joint presentation at the 11 th International Coral Reef Symposium in July 2008 and other conferences		Dionne Newell / Vincent Sweeney	
12:30 – 2:00	LUNCH			
2:00 – 2:45	Developing and implementing national and regional		Christopher Corbin, UNEP CAR-RCU, Vince Abreau, IABIN	



	<p>IWCAM and IABIN monitoring programmes (e.g. human, financial and other requirements, potential cost, institutional arrangements, constraints, etc.)</p> <p>Strategies for merging / joining IABIN and IWCAM indicators</p>	Ecosystems Thematic Network
2:45 – 3:30	<p>Plenary discussion on the way forward: opportunities, entry points and barriers to the adoption and integration of the IWCAM and IABIN indicators with national and regional initiatives (an opportunity to invite indicator specialists or representative from organizations with indicators programmes, e.g. Cartagena Convention, GPA, CARICOM, IABIN, CDB National BD Clearing Houses, Regional GIS body, National Statistical Services....)</p>	Sherry Heileman
3:30 – 3:50	Conclusion and next steps	
3:50 – 4:00	Closure of day and logistical details regarding the field trip	
DAY 3 Wednesday 12 March, 2008		
Field Trip		