

## **DRAFT AGENDA**

1. Approval of the agenda
2. Election of authorities
3. Integrated Water Resources Management
  - Achieving the millennium development goals related to water, as set out in the United Nations Millennium Declaration
  - Advancing good governance in the management of water resources
  - Advancing integrated water resource management within the context of hydroclimatic variability
  - Enhancing synergies to strengthen cooperative mechanisms in water management
4. Natural Disasters Risk Management
  - Supporting cooperative partnerships and best practices that make progress in both risk mitigation and risk transfer, in particular, governance-related building codes and standards, adaptation monitoring and enforcement
  - Strengthening economic analysis associated with the benefits and costs of risk mitigation and risk sharing, and mainstream risk mitigation and expenditures in development planning
  - Advancing risk sharing and risk transfer initiatives at the regional and sub-regional levels, including through insurance pooling
5. Supporting environmental management through sustainable agriculture, forestry, and tourism
  - Advancing successful practices and approaches to sustainable agriculture, forestry, and tourism
  - Identifying challenges and obstacles to sustainable management of agriculture, forestry, and tourism
  - Advancing partnerships and innovative mechanisms for financing in support of job creation and sustainable development of agriculture, forestry, and tourism
  - Promoting public participation, good governance, gender equity, and the inclusion of indigenous communities in environmental management
6. Adoption of draft Inter-American Program for Sustainable Development 2006-2009
7. Other matters