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Seascapes Working Gr<u>oup</u>

Mr. Suharyanto Chair of Seascapes Working Group Indonesia

Focal Points

Member Country	Focal Points
Indonesia (Chair)	Suharyanto, Director of Marine Spatial Planning, MMAF
Philippines (Co- Chair)	Theresa Mundita Lim, Director of Biodiversity Management Bureau, DENR
Indonesia	Okto Irianto, Deputy Assistant for Marine Service , Coordinating Ministry of Maritime Affairs
Malaysia	Norasma Dacho, Assistant Director for Conservation and International Office, DOF-Sabah
Papua New Guinea	Yvonne Tio, Executive Manager, CEPA
Philippines	Nilda Baling, Biodiversity Management Bureau, DENR
Solomon Islands	Agnetha Vave-Karamui, Chief Conservation Officer, MECDM
Timor-Leste	Antonio de Jesus, Program Officer, MAF

Partners

Role	Primary Partners
Technical Lead	Conservation International
Coordination Support	Conservation International
Technical Support	Government of Australia, GIZ

Status on Decisions Endorsed by SOM 12

Decisions Endorsed by SOM 12	Status
Recognized the progress made at the national level on the Seascapes targets of the Regional and National Plans of Action	On-going
Recognized the progress made in the development of the CTI Seascapes General Model	Completed
Tasked the WG to finalize the CTI-CFF Seascapes General Model and Framework as well as complete the monitoring and evaluation indicators by SOM13	Completed

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Tasked Indonesia, Papua New Guinea and Solomon Islands to revisit the Memorandum of Understanding on Bismarck Solomon Seas Ecoregion and hold discussions to advance the implementation of the BSSE	On-going	
Endorse the SWG Work Plan for 2017	Completed	

Updates on the Goals and Targets of the WG

GOAL 1: Priority Seascapes Designated and Effectively Managed

Target 1: Priority Seascapes designated with investment plans completed and sequenced	Status
RA 1: Through regional collaboration, conduct Rapid Seascape Assessments for the entire region, in order to delineate seascapes and identify priority seascapes for investment	Not initiated
RA 2: Develop investment plans for all identified priority seascapes, including joint investment plans for those seascapes involving two or more countries.	Not initiated

Updates on the Goals and Targets of the WG

GOAL 1: Priority Seascapes Designated and Effectively Managed

Target 2: Marine and coastal resources within all "priority seascapes" are being sustainably managed	Status
RA 1: Adopt a general 'model' for the sustainable management of seascapes	Completed (upon SOM13 approval)
RA 2: Establish seascape capacity-building and learning mechanisms	Completed
RA 3: Through joint and single-country efforts, start to mobilize the financial resources necessary to support 'priority seascape' programs (based on Seascape Investment plans)	Ongoing
RA 4: Conduct periodic monitoring and evaluation of priority seascape programs	Not initiated

Activities since SOM12

Activities	Venue	Date	Technical Support	Funding Support
2nd CTI Seascapes Writeshop	Bali, Indonesia	November 29- December 1, 2016	CI, GIZ	Government of Australia, GIZ
2nd Regional Exchange on Seascapes	Honiara, Solomon Islands	May 18-19, 2017	CI, GIZ	Government of Australia, GIZ
4th Seascapes WG meeting	Honiara, Solomon Islands	May 15-17, 2017	CI, GIZ	Government of Australia, GIZ

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2nd Regional Exchange on Seascapes Honiara, Solomon Islands 2nd CTI Seascapes Writeshop Bali, Indonesia

Achievements to Date

Activities

Final Draft of CTI-CFF Seascapes General Model and Regional Framework for Priority Seascapes

Finalize Priority Seascapes M&E Indicators (within Regional Framework for Priority Seascapes)

Updating SWG Rules of Procedure - draft

Further progress in development of Lesser Sunda and Bismarck Solomon Sea seascapes as future "Priority Seascapes"

Conduct of Regional Capacity Building for the CT6 on Seascape appreciation and establishment



Coral Triangle Initiative on Coral Reefs, Fisheries and Food Security

Seascapes General Nodel and Regional Framework for Priority Seascape



Challenges

- Developing and finalizing the Seascapes document and the Seascapes monitoring and evaluation indicators
- Identifying funding resources to continue supporting the SWG into 2018

Work Plan for 2018

Activities	Timeframe
Socializing the seascapes document in each member state for internalization and adoption	December 2017-June 2018
Translation and Printing of the Seascapes document	February 2018
Follow up activities and discussions for Lesser Sunda and Bismarck Solomon Sea Seascapes	SOM14
Finalize Updated SWG Rules of Procedure	SOM14

Recommendations for SOM13 Consideration

- Adopt the CTI-CFF Seascapes General Model and Regional Framework for Priority Seascapes which contains Seascapes Monitoring and Evaluation Indicators;
- Acknowledge the support of the partners in the development of the CTI-CFF Seascapes General Model and Regional Framework for Priority Seascapes
- Task the SWG to facilitate the socialization of the General Model and Regional Framework in each member state for adoption and implementation;
- Support each member state to establish national and transboundary seascapes and provide for an operational coordinating mechanism;
- Support the continued progress of the Lesser Sunda Seascape and the Bismarck Solomon Sea Seascape towards "priority seascape" nomination.
- Task the Seascapes Working Group to finalize the Updated Rules and Procedure in time for SOM14;
- Approve the 2018 SWG Work Plan.

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