

DRAFT DETAILED AGENDA rev1
10th Carpathian Convention Implementation Committee
11-13 December 2019, Budapest, Hungary

Meeting venue: Ministry of Agriculture

New MoA building: 1052 Budapest, Apáczay-Csere János u. 9

11 DECEMBER 2019

19:00

Arrival of Focal Points and alternates, dinner hosted by the Hungarian Presidency

12 DECEMBER 2019

09:30 – 12:00

Preparatory session for the Focal Points and their alternates

13:00 – 18:00

Start of the 10th Carpathian Convention Implementation Committee

Open session for all Participants, Focal Points and Observers

SESSION I

- 1) Welcome by Secretariat
- 2) Opening of the Meeting by the Hungarian Presidency, opening remarks and brief report on the Hungarian Presidency activities

13:00 – 14:00

- 3) Adoption of the Agenda
- 4) Update on the status of signatures and ratification of the Protocols to the Carpathian Convention and the Article 12bis on Climate Change
- 5) Updates from the Science for the Carpathians

SESSION II

- 6) Implementation of the Carpathian Convention
Progress Report – presentation of and discussion about ongoing and planned activities:

6.1 Implementation of the Carpathian Convention - *the Secretariat*

6.2 Cooperation with local and regional level – *the Marshal Office of the Podkarpackie Region, Poland*

6.3 Cooperation with the European Union - *the Secretariat*

6.4 Cooperation with other conventions and international bodies - *the Secretariat*

6.5 Biodiversity:

- o Ukrainian Proposal for the Ukrainian-Romanian Transboundary Biosphere Reserve Designation in the Maramorosh Ridge of the Carpathian Mountains.– *Victoria Shevchuk on behalf of UA Focal Point*
- o General presentation on progress report on Biodiversity - *the Secretariat*
- o Presentation of the activities on large carnivore's topic – *the International Council for Game and Wildlife Conservation and the Secretariat*

15:30 – 15:50

Coffee break

SESSION III
15:50 – 18:00

6) Implementation of the Carpathian Convention
Progress Report – presentation of and discussion about ongoing and planned activities

6.5 Biodiversity (continuation):

- o Presentation of the CNPA activities and CentralParks project – *Mircea Verghelet, CNPA Unit;*
- o Presentation of the ConnectGreen, and SaveGreen projects - *Hildegard Meyer, WWF CEE*

6.6 Spatial Development - *the Secretariat*

6.7 Sustainable and integrated water/river basin management - *the Hungarian Presidency*

6.8 Cultural heritage and traditional knowledge - *the Secretariat and the Hungarian Presidency*

- o Presentation of the Carpathian Route project proposal - *the Marshal Office of the Podkarpackie Region, Poland*

19:00 – 21:00

Common dinner for the CCIC Participants

9:00 – 13:00

13 DECEMBER 2019

SESSION VI
09:00 – 11:00

6) Implementation of the Carpathian Convention
Progress Report – presentation of and discussion about ongoing and planned activities
(continuation)

6.9 Sustainable agriculture and rural development – *the Secretariat*

6.10 Sustainable forest management - *the Secretariat*

- o Presentation on the progress on finalization of the Inventory of Virgin Forest – *Marco Trombetti EEA/ETC*

6.11 Sustainable tourism

- o Presentation of the Interim Report on the Carpathian Sustainable Tourism Platform - *the CSTP Coordinator*

11:00 – 11:30

Coffee break

SESSION V
11:30 – 13:00

6) Implementation of the Carpathian Convention
Progress Report – presentation of and discussion about ongoing and planned activities
(continuation)

6.12 Sustainable transport and infrastructure, industry and energy - *the Secretariat*

- o *Presentation of the TRANSGREEN projects - Hildegard Meyer, WWF CEE*

6.13 Environmental assessment/information system, monitoring and early warning - *the Secretariat*

6.14 Climate change – *the Hungarian Presidency*

6.15 Awareness raising, education and public participation – *the Secretariat and the Hungarian Presidency*

7) Updates on the Sixth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Carpathian Convention (COP6) – *the incoming Presidency – Poland*

8) Upcoming meetings of the Carpathian Convention



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- 9) Other matters
 - 10) Closure of the meeting

13:00

Departures of the meeting participants
