



Local and Subnational Government Information Webinar Series

Webinar 16- 17th September 2020

POST2020

BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK EU SUPPORT ____









Reflections from the SBSTTA and SBI special virtual sessions and other major events

Featuring at 10am and 3pm SAST:

Ms Ingrid Coetzee, Senior Programme Manager, ICLEI Cities Biodiversity Center

Ms Renata Gomez, Biodiversity Programme Manager at Regions4 and Coordinator of the CBD Advisory Committee on Subnational Governments and Biodiversity and the Regions4 Biodiversity Learning Platform

Ms Tamlyn Duncan, Professional Officer: Biodiversity and Nature-based Solutions, ICLEI Africa

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The Global Taskforce



























































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2020 Local and Subnational Government **Information Webinar Dates**





Available on the Local and Subnational Government **Engagement Platform**

6th February 2020 at: 10am CAT and at 3pm CAT

26th March 2020 at: 10am CAT and at 3pm CAT

16th April 2020 at: **10am CAT** and at **3pm CAT**

14th May 2020 at: **10am CAT** and at **3pm CAT**

4th June 2020 at: 10am CAT and 3pm at CAT

23rd July 2020 at: 10am CAT and 3pm at CAT

20th August 2020 at: 10am CAT and 3pm at CAT

17th September 2020 at: 10am CAT and 3pm at CAT

8th October 2020 at: 10am CAT and 3pm at CAT

5th November 2020 at: 10am CAT and 3pm CAT

3rd December 2020 at: 10am CAT and 3pm CAT













































AGENDA







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- 2 Roadmap to COP15, Reflections from SBSTTA/SBI special virtual sessions
- **3** Reflections from SBSTTA/SBI special virtual sessions
- 4 Updated Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework
- 5 Update on upcoming events and global advocacy efforts
- **G** Questions and Discussion
- 7 Closing and Thanks











































16th POST 2020 WEBINAR:

















































MODERATOR

SPEAKERS



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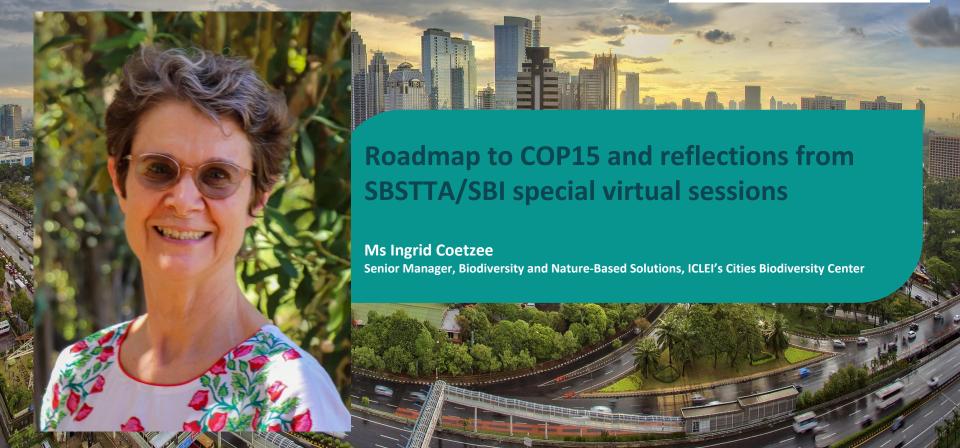


Mr Yunus Arikan Head of Global Policy and Advocacy, ICLEI World Secretariat









Roadmap to COP 15







WUF 10, Abu Dhabi 8-13 February

Local Authorities on the development of the Post 2020 global biodiversity framework 30 April- 24 July (Virtual

Edinburgh Process for Subnational

Governments, Cities and

Consultations)

UN Summit Biodiversity 30 September **Parks for Planet** Forum, Salzburg **Global Seminar** 30 November-4 December

IUCN WCC-Marseilles, France Date TBC

SBSTTA-24 Montreal, Canada First Quarter of 2021 Venue TBC

7th Biodiversity **Summit** Date TBC

UNFCCC COP 25 2-13 December

2019

2020



We are here





SBSTTA 23-Montreal, Canada 25-29 November

BIO2020: **Brazilian** Perspectives for the Post 2020 **Biodiversity** Framework, Sao Paulo, Brazil 4-6 February



OEWG 2-Rome. Italy 24-28 February Special virtual sessions of **SBSTTA** and SBI 15-18

September

Nature for Daring Cities 2020 7-28 October Life Hub 24-29 September

2021

SBI-3 Montreal, Canada First Quarter of 2021 Venue TBC

OEWG-3 Cali. Colombia Date TBC

CBD COP 15-Kunming, China Date TBC











































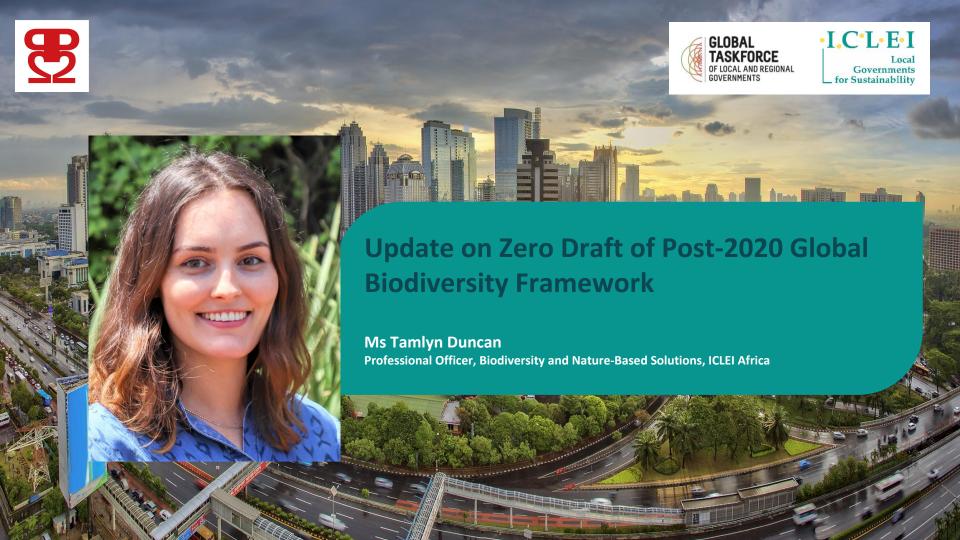










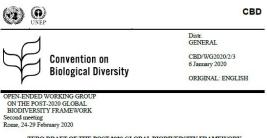


Brief history:





- In Decision 14/34, the Conference of the Parties (COP) to the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity (SCBD) set out the process for developing a Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework (GBF) and established the Open Ended Working Group (OEWG) on the Post-2020 GBF to support this process.
- OEWG's first meeting requested the Co-Chairs and the Executive Secretary to prepare documentation for consideration at their second meeting - included a zero draft of the Post-2020 GBF.



ZERO DRAFT OF THE POST-2020 GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK

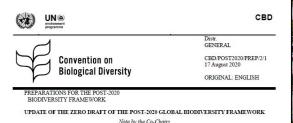
Note by the Co-Chairs

Brief history cont.:





- OEWG's second meeting (OEWG-2) considered the zero draft and requested the Co-Chairs and the Executive Secretary to prepare a document updating those elements of the draft framework that had been reviewed by the Working Group, taking into account submissions received.
- The draft document contains an update which takes into account the outcomes of the OEWG-2, as well as submissions received.
- The draft will be further updated to take into account the outcomes of the SBSTTA-24 and SBI-3, as well as advice from thematic consultations.
- 'Draft One' will be issued six weeks prior to OEWG-3.



What does the updated draft consist





Disseminated 17 August 2020

Major changes:

- Draft Framework now has four long term goals, as opposed to five. Covers the same ground, less specific with percentages;
- Addition of 8 milestones to assess by 2030, in progress towards the 2050 goals;
- Draft Framework now has far more detailed descriptions in reference to Implementation support mechanisms;
- Draft Framework now has more detail regarding Responsibility and Transparency, and sets out the system for planning, reporting, and review for national government entities;
- Consideration for the rights of nature;
- Mentions "cities"

Reference to local and subnational gov.





G. Enabling conditions

- 14. Certain enabling conditions will be required for the implementation of the framework. Effective action on these enabling conditions will contribute to the attainment of other societal objectives. These enabling conditions are:
- (a) The participation of indigenous peoples and local communities and a recognition of their rights in the implementation of the framework;
- (b) The participation of all relevant stakeholders, non-governmental organizations, youth, civil society, local and subnational authorities, the private sector, academia and scientific institutions through a whole-of-society approach and through inclusive and representative multi-stakeholder and multisectoral platforms;

Reference to local and subnational gov.





Enabling conditions continued:

- (f) Partnerships to leverage sustainable activities and programmes at the <u>local</u>, <u>national</u>, regional and global levels;
- The active involvement of subnational governments, cities and other local authorities and a recognition of their competence and specific roles for the implementation of the framework;

Identified issues





Zero draft:

13. Integrate biodiversity values into national and <u>local planning</u>, development processes, poverty reduction strategies and accounts, ensuring by 2030 that biodiversity values are mainstreamed across all sectors and that biodiversity-inclusive strategic environmental assessments and environmental impact assessments are comprehensively applied.

Updated draft:

(c) Tools and solutions for implementation and mainstreaming

Target 13. By 2030, integrate biodiversity values into policies, regulations, planning, development processes, poverty reduction strategies and accounts at all levels, ensuring that biodiversity values are mainstreamed across all sectors and integrated into assessments of environmental impacts.

No mention of local planning

Identified issues





H. Outreach, awareness and uptake

Zero draft:

All actors will need to help to raise awareness of the framework and of the need for whole-ofsociety engagement to implement it. This includes the need for activities at the local, national, regional and global levels and the need to implement the framework in a way which is supportive of other relevant international processes and strategies.

Updated

draft:

No mention of local level

Outreach, awareness and uptake

- Outreach, awareness and uptake of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework by all stakeholders is essential to effective implementation, including by:
- Increasing understanding, awareness and appreciation of the values of biodiversity including the associated knowledge, values and approaches used by indigenous peoples and local communities;
- Raising awareness of all actors of the existence of the goals and targets of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework and and progress made towards their achievement;
- Promoting or developing platforms and partnerships, including with media and civil (c) society to share information on successes, lessons learned and experiences in acting for biodiversity.







Inconsistent wording throughout updated draft:

- Local level
- Local authorities
- Subnational level
- Subnational authorities
- Subnational governments

Read the Updated zero draft: https://www.cbd.int/article/zero-draft-update-august-2020





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CitiesWithNature is a first-of-its-kind initiative that:

- Demonstrates innovative ways of engaging cities and regions, partners and individuals on urban nature
- Provides a platform for knowledge sharing and learning on the critical importance of nature in urban life
- Offers a space for collective action at the local level to realise global impact
- **Invites** partners to come on board and shape the initiative going forward e.g. the development of a pathway on the critical importance of urban parks
- **Grows and strengthens** a virtual community of practice that is resilient to crises and is not dependent on physical space or in-person interaction
- Facilitates mainstreaming of nature in and around our cities to secure our increasingly urban future



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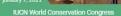
Key upcoming advocacy moments



UN Summit on Biodiversity tember 22, 2020

The UN Summit on Biodiversity will be convened under the theme "Urgent Convention on Biological Diversity and the United Nations Environment









Group on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity





In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, the dates and format of upcoming events may vary and are subject to change. We will update you with the most recent developments as and when they are available and urge you to seek confirmation on the events' website should you require further detail or clarity regarding changes. Subscribe to our monthly email updates to stay informed of the latest developments in relation to upcoming events



Thank You







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VALUE OF NATURE IN URBAN both possible and worth living. All cities critically depend on healthy interconnected ecosystems within and around them, so it is essential that nature is fully integrated into urban planning and development. There is a growing urgency for collective and large-scale action to protect the biodiversity in and around cities to prevent inversible loss and damage to the natural systems we depend on. MENTS OF TABLE FROM THE PROCESSES www.cbc.