

## Co-Chairs Note

### **Developing the second three-year workplan of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform (LCIPP) for 2022-2024**

#### **Recommended action by the Facilitative Working Group of the LCIPP**

Recommended that the FWG decide that

- under the guidance of the co-chairs, the secretariat compile inputs from co-leads of activities under the LCIPP initial two-year workplan, and discussions at FWG5 into a table outlining activities of a draft second three-year workplan;
- the secretariat circulates the draft second three-year workplan intersessionally to FWG members
- FWG members review and approve the draft second three-year workplan by 30 July.

#### **Background and scope**

- COP 24 established the FWG to further operationalize the LCIPP and facilitate the implementation of its functions.<sup>1</sup> FWG developed a draft initial two-year workplan of the LCIPP at its first meeting in June 2019<sup>2</sup>, which was welcomed by SBSTA at its 51<sup>st</sup> session in Madrid.<sup>3</sup>
- The initial two-year workplan of the LCIPP concludes at the end of 2021. The COP requested the FWG to report on its outcomes, including a draft second three-year workplan, and on the activities of the LCIPP, for consideration by the Conference of the Parties through the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice at its session in May to June 2021.<sup>4</sup>
- This document contains key criteria, possible contents, and next steps for developing the draft second three-year workplan for the LCIPP.

#### **Key criteria**

- When developing the second three-year workplan of the LCIPP for the period 2022-2024, the FWG builds on experience and activities from the initial two-year workplan, and develops new activities which contribute towards:
  - a. **Implementing the three functions of the LCIPP:** to facilitate exchange of experiences and good practices, build capacity for engagement, and weave diverse ways of knowing to inform climate change policies and actions;

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<sup>1</sup> Decision 2/CP.24, paragraphs 1 & 2 <https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/10a1.pdf>

<sup>2</sup> The 1st meeting of the Facilitative Working Group of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform. Report by the secretariat, <https://unfccc.int/documents/200102>

<sup>3</sup> Report of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice on its fifty-first session, held in Madrid from 2 to 9 December 2019 <https://unfccc.int/documents/210469>

<sup>4</sup> Decision 2/CP.24, paragraph 24 <https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/10a1.pdf>

- b. **Delivering on the objective of the FWG:** to further operationalize the LCIPP and facilitate the implementation of the functions;<sup>5</sup>
- c. **Promoting overall coherence of the work under the LCIPP** through collaboration with relevant bodies and processes under and outside the Convention. Such coherence could be enhanced by inviting relevant UNFCCC constituted bodies and work programmes to collaborate;
- d. **Take into account inter alia;**<sup>6</sup> the interests and views of local communities and indigenous peoples, as well as the following principles proposed by indigenous peoples organizations: full and effective participation of indigenous peoples; equal status of indigenous peoples and Parties, including in leadership roles; self-selection of indigenous peoples representatives in accordance with indigenous peoples' own procedures; and adequate funding from the secretariat and voluntary contributions to enable the functions of the LCIPP;
- e. **Bringing together people and their experiences** to realize the objectives of the Paris Agreement, and build a climate-resilient world for all.

### Possible contents

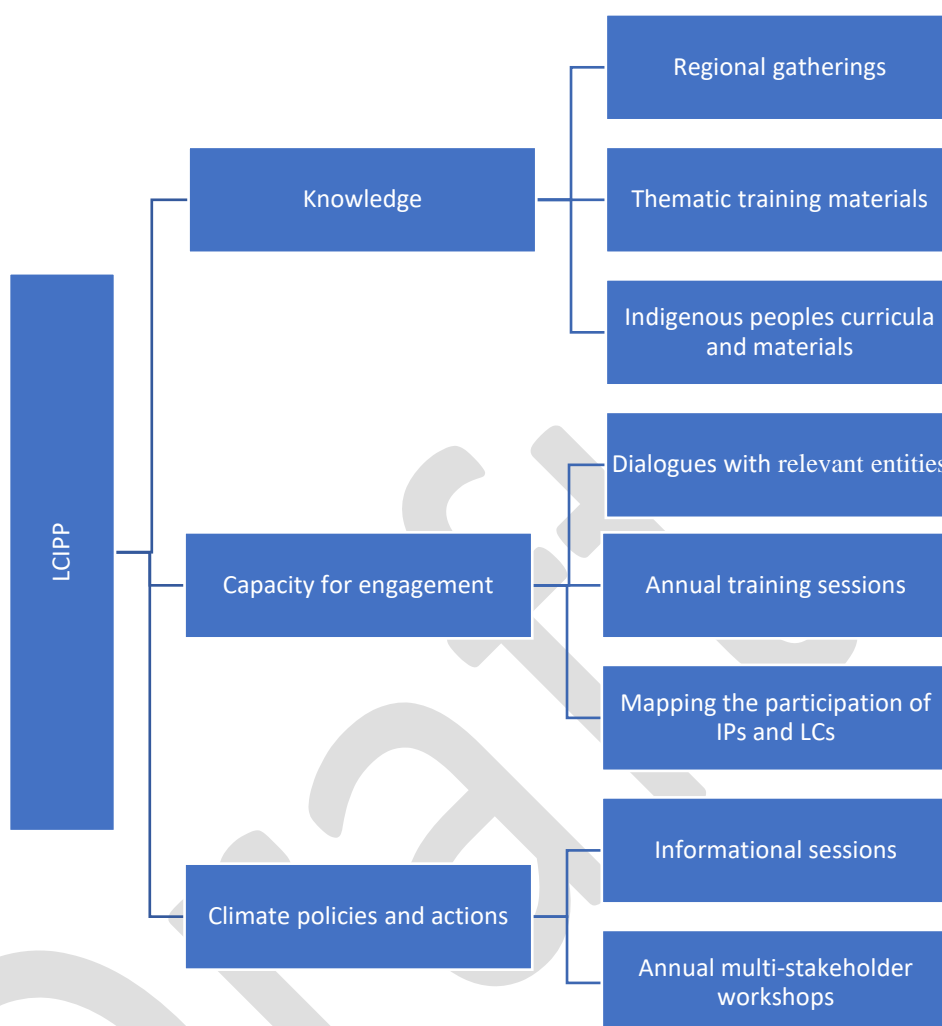
- When developing the second three-year workplan of the LCIPP, the FWG may consider:
  - a. Prioritizing activities that reflect the needs and priorities of indigenous peoples and local communities;
  - b. Selecting thematic areas that align with the work of relevant bodies and processes under and outside of the Convention;
  - c. Designing and scheduling activities to align with important milestones and engagement opportunities in the UNFCCC process, including the global stocktake under the Paris Agreement, the second periodic review of the long-term global goal under the Convention, and sessions of the COP.
  - d. Continuing and enhancing aspects of the initial two-year workplan under the second three-year workplan, per input from the FWG members (see figure 1);

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<sup>5</sup> Decision 2/CP.24, paragraphs 1 & 2, see <https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/10a1.pdf>

<sup>6</sup> Decision 2/CP.23, paragraph 8

Figure 1 Building on the work under the initial two-year workplan of the LCIPP



**Next steps:**

Timeline	Who	Action
June 24, 2021	FWG Members, FWG5	FWG develops elements of draft second three-year workplan, through FWG5; provisionally approved by FWG as basis for further discussion
July 1- 20, 2021	FWG Members	FWG members consult on draft in their regions; forward suggested refinements to secretariat
July 30, 2021	Secretariat	Secretariat compiles new draft, circulate to FWG members for approval by consensus on no-objections basis
August 12-13	FWG Members (meet informally on draft 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 year workplan)	FWG Members reach consensus on draft 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 year workplan which will be annexed to FWG5 report
August 20, 2021	Secretariat	Secretariat submits FWG5 report with annex containing draft 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 year workplan to editors