

## Co-Chairs' Summary Note of Decisions from the 12<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Facilitative Working Group | 5 - 8 November 2024

Adopted on 8 November 2024

The Facilitative Working Group (FWG) of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform (LCIPP) operates based on consensus, per Decision 2/CP.24, paragraph 15.

At its 12<sup>th</sup> meeting, the FWG:

1. *Adopts* the agenda for the 12<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the FWG.
2. *Expresses* its sincere appreciation to the COP 29 President-Designate, H.E. Mukhtar Babayev and Executive Secretary Simon Stiell for their opening words and thoughtful participation, the COP 29 Presidency's support for the event, as well as to Minister Sônia Guajajara, Brazil's first Minister of Indigenous Peoples, for her closing remarks.
3. *Adopts* the Common Narrative document for external FWG engagements, as contained in Annex 1, and *encourages* new members to use and update the document, as relevant.
4. *Decides* to convene a strategic priority-setting meeting, together with the new FWG members starting in June 2025, to share institutional knowledge and contribute to a seamless transition to the proposed 2025-2027 LCIPP workplan, which should be held in-person, subject to the availability of funds.
5. *Requests* the Secretariat, in advance of the strategic priority-setting meeting, to compile a list of the anticipated calls for submissions in 2025, with a view to facilitating strategic inputs by the FWG and proactive communication with contributors.
6. *Requests* the FWG Focal Points, in advance of the strategic priority-setting meeting, to compile updates on relevant engagements with constituted bodies and work programs and to share recommendations on how to strategically improve engagement with these processes.
7. *Decides* to develop a draft orientation guide on the FWG and LCIPP, based on existing LCIPP resources, in advance of the strategic priority-setting meeting, for new contributors, and to support the transition to new FWG members.
8. *Decides* to notify Parties of the 2025-2027 LCIPP workplan,<sup>1</sup> and *invites* their further participation and input on its' implementation through convening, as appropriate, briefing meetings.
9. *Decides* to reflect the outputs from FWG 12 small group discussions in its engagements at COP 29, to make informal summaries available, and *invites* new

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<sup>1</sup> See pages 19 – 21 of the FWG report 2024 <https://unfccc.int/documents/637480>

members to consider these outputs in the implementation of 2025-2027 LCIPP workplan.

10. *Invites* the new members to continue the FWG's efforts in making meetings more participatory and inclusive, building on existing good practices and lessons learned, especially those shared in the small group discussions, held during FWG 12.
11. *Appreciates* the presentations from bodies inside and outside the UNFCCC process at FWG 12, and *decides* to explore novel and participatory approaches in future FWG meetings to strengthen engagement with these bodies, including, for example, preparatory meetings between relevant FWG members and proposed speakers, preparing targeted questions, and considering strategic invitations for more in-depth interactions.
12. *Decides* to convene its 13<sup>th</sup> meeting from 10 – 13 June 2025.