Stakeholder Workshop

UNDP/GEF Tisza Project:

Integrating multiple benefits of wetlands and floodplains into improved transboundary management for the Tisza River Basin

Uzghorod, 12th - 13th April 2011

Objective of the workshop

The Tisza Group and the work of the UNDP/GEF Tisza Project have reached important milestones:

- The adoption (by the Tisza Heads of Delegation in December 2010 and the Ministers of Environment/Water in April 2011) of the Integrated Tisza River Basin Management Plan incorporating the principles of good water and land management that addresses issues of water quality and water quantity.
- The agreement achieved in the Ministerial Meeting on a revised Tisza MoU with an outline of the future priorities and expected achievements of the ICPDR's Tisza Group
- The acceptance of a 'mutual observer status' between the Carpathian Convention and the ICPDR
- The acceptance of a follow up project focusing on specific activities relevant for the Tisza River Basin according to the ITRBM Plan supported by the European Commission

The objectives of this workshop were:

- To present these achievements to national and regional policy makers and other stakeholders to assist in identifying means to sustain and further replicate the lessons and experiences from the work of UNDP/GEF Tisza Project.
- To assist the future work of the Tisza Group and other co-operating bodies.

Report on workshop

The participants and agenda are presented in Annexes 1 and 2 respectively. All presentations are provided on the project web site (http://www.icpdr.org/icpdr-pages/tisza_undp_gef.htm)

In addition to the planned speakers two other brief presentations were made during the discussions.

Mr. Olexandr Bokotey, the Commission in environmental matters Mukachevo Greek Catholic Diocese presented the regional support provided to addressing environmental issues, including solid waste by the Churches in the region.

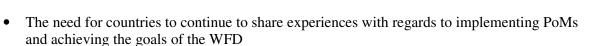
Mr Steva Valo (Slovakia) presented a short film and provided a statement over concerns from inappropriate forest management that have resulted in flood problems (including the issues associated with erosion) from forest roads.

Other discussion points

• PoM implementations – achievements likely by 2015 and 2027







- Climate change and variability related problems. Noting that the Tisza River Basin is affected by both floods and droughts
- The need to engage farmers more
- The benefits of engaging local population through the churches;
- The need to further promote land and water management at all levels within the Tisza River
- Recommending to the Tisza Group to continue to promote the activities promoted through the UNDP/GEF Tisza demonstration projects.

The UNDP/GEF Tisza project and the ICPDR expressed their thanks to the Trans-Carpathian Water Management Administration for providing the meeting room, facilities and refreshments during the meeting. Thanks were also expressed by the ICPDR to UNDP for supporting the meeting with travel grants and the evening dinner.





Annex 1 List of Participants

Final Stakeholder meeting of the UNDP/GEF Tisza project 12-13 April 2011 Uzhgorod – Ukraine List of Participant

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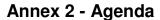
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Final Stakeholder meeting

Sustaining and replicating lessons on land/water management from the UNDP/GEF Tisza Project

Date: 12 – 13th April 201

Meeting venue: Trans-Carpathian Water Management Administration, 5 Slovjanska Naberezhna,

Uzghorod, Ukraine

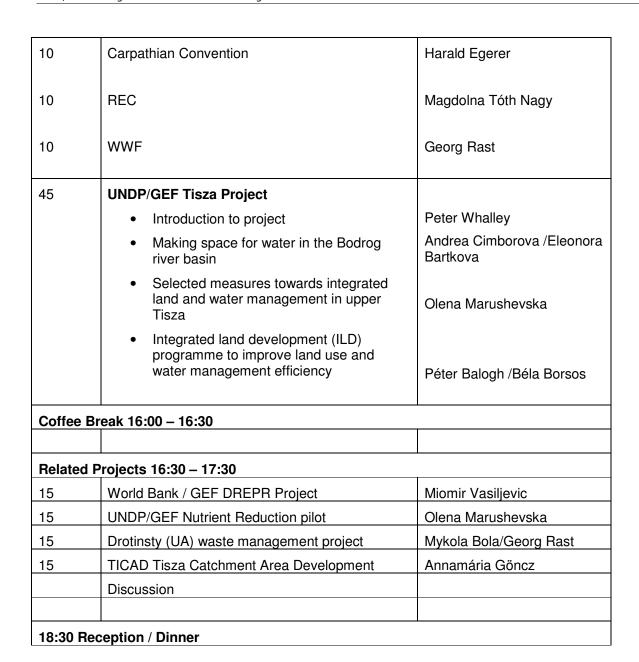
Chair: Mr Philip Weller – ICPDR Executive Secretary

Day 1

| Opening | of Workshop 14:00 – 14:30 | |
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| Duration | | |
| min | | |
| | Welcome by Ukraine representative | Mykola Melenevskyi/ |
| 5 | Objectives of the workshop | Peter Whalley |
| 15 | Statements on 'integration' by supporting | Philip Weller |
| | organisations | Harald Egerer |
| | | Klara Tothova |
| | | Jorge Rodriguez-Romero |
| | | Mykola Melenevskyi |
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| 10 | Background information/ context | Philip Weller – ICPDR |
| | | Executive Secretary |
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| Achieven | nents in the Tisza River Basin 14:30 – 16:00 | |
| | The ICPDR Tisza Group – Chair | |
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| 15 | The Tisza Integrated River Basin Management | Péter Kovács |
| | Plan | |
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| | Tisza Group observers feedback on ITRBMP | |
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Day 2 09:00-13:00

| Future re | Future regional land/water management activities 09:00 – 10:30 | | | | | |
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| 15 | Danube Strategy and ICPDR | Philip Weller | | | | |
| 15 | Danube Strategy and Carpathian Convention Harald Egerer | | | | | |
| 15 | Climate Change Adaptation in the Carpathian Region | Jaroslav Slobodnik | | | | |
| 15 | 15 Tisza Group priorities/programme ICPDR | | | | | |
| Discussion | | | | | | |
| Coffee 10 | Coffee 10:30 – 11:00 | | | | | |





| Sustair 13:00 | ning and replicating the achievements in land – v | water management 11:00 – |
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| 20 | UNDP/GEF Tisza Project strategy | Peter Whalley/Béla Borsos |
| 15 | UA activities (implementation of Tisza PoM) | Alexei Iarochevitch - TG representative |
| 15 | SK activities (implementation of Tisza PoM) | Emilia Kunikova - TG representative |
| 15 | HU activities (implementation of Tisza PoM) | Peter Kovács - TG representative |
| 15 | RO activities (implementation of Tisza PoM) | Graziella Jula - TG representative |
| 15 | RS activities (implementation of Tisza PoM) | Miomir Vasiljevic - TG representative |
| | Discussion | |
| | Summary / closing statements | |

