



CENTRAL ASIAN MEETING OF PASTORALISTS PASTORALIST KNOWLEDGE HUB

Date: 26-29 July, 2015

Venue: Hustai National Park, 100 km from Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

AGENDA

Time/Date	25 July (Sat): Arrival of all participants in Hustai National Park	Facilitator
	DAY 1 (26 July, Sun) KEY REGIONAL BACKGROUND	
09.00 – 09.30	Registration	MANIP
09.30 – 10.00	Welcome and Opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> H.E. Vice Minister of Agriculture of Mongolia Mr. Yon Fernandez de Larrinoa, UN FAO Traditional welcoming with Morin Khuur and Long Throat singing 	Ministry of Food and Agriculture UNFAO MANIP
10.00 – 10.30	Introduction of participants	Atai Ayatkhaan
10.30 – 11.00	Session 1: Presentation on “Pastoralism Knowledge Hub” initiative and Objectives of Meeting	Yon Fernandez de Larrinoa
11.00 – 11.30	<i>Health break</i>	
11.30 – 13.30	Session 2: Importance of pastoralists in Central Asia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hustai National Park and pastoralists in buffer zone / 20` / Ts. Dashpurev Regional pasture network; example from the Tajik Pasture Management Networking Platform /10` / Umed Pastoralists in Central Asia (issues, needs, gaps in assistance and knowledge) /All countries/ Q&A	Umed Vahobov
13.30 – 15.00	<i>Lunch break</i>	
15.00 – 17.30	Session 3: Policy issues relevant to pastoralism	Pablo Manzano
17.30 – 18.00	<i>Health break</i>	
18.00 – 19.00	Session 4: Presentation on VGGT (Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure of Land, Fisheries and Forests in the context of National Food Security)	Narangerel Yansanjav
19.00 – 19.30	Wrap up of Day 1 session and Agenda for next day	Munguntsetseg Erdenetugs
19.30 – 22.00	<i>Dinner and Cultural Programme</i>	
Time/Date	DAY 2 (27 July, Mon) CENTRAL ASIA MECHANISM STRUCTURING	Facilitator
09.00 – 09.30	Summary of Day 1 and Agenda for Day 2	Atai Ayatkhaan
09.30 – 10.00	Session 5: Understanding of civil society mechanisms: existing organization models, experiences, strengths, limitations and pointers for effective mechanism (Examples of VGGT, Terra Madre, CFS, IPC, WAMIP etc)	Yon Fernandez Larrinoa Santiago Carralero Benitez
10.00 – 11.00	Open Debate: Organizing pastoralist networks in Central Asia	
11.00 – 11.30	<i>Health break</i>	

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11.30 – 13.00	Session 6: Working groups discussions WG1: Traditional pastoralist food vs commercial food /Yon/ WG2: Innovations in pastoralism societies /Munu/ WG3: Land and territory /Pablo/ WG4: Environmental aspects /Atai/	WGs: 2 Russian, 2 Mongolian Facilitators + Rapporteurs
13.00 – 15.00	Lunch break	
15.00 – 17.00	Session 7: Plenary: Presentation of WGs 1-4 Outcomes Speakers: WG Rapporteurs	Munkhbolor Gungaa
17.00 – 17.30	Health break	
17.30 – 19.00	Session 8: The way forward, proposals for strengthening the Central Asian mechanism <i>Focus on: national, regional and global organization, roles in the Hub, priorities for Action Plan</i> WG 1: Kyrgyzstan & Kazakhstan WG 2: Uzbekistan & Tajikistan WG 3: China & India WG 4: Russia WG 5: Mongolia	Atai Ayatkhaan
19.00 – 22.00	Dinner and Cultural Programme	
Time/Date	DAY 3 (28 July, Tue) PROPOSALS AND DECISION on CENTRAL ASIA MECHANISM	Facilitator
09.00 – 10.30	Session 9: Plenary presentation on the Session 8 WGs	Pablo Manzano
10.30 – 11.00	Health break	
11.00 – 13.00	Session 10: WGs will develop an Action Plan, Governance structure and Declaration	Group facilitators
13.00 – 15.00	Lunch break (Drafting team will prepare the Declaration and Action Plan)	Yon, Bolor, Atai, Santi and Pablo
15.00 – 18.00 including health break	Session 11: Plenary presentation and approval of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Action Plan and Next Steps for Central Asia Mechanism Governance structure Declaration Session 12: Official closing of the Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Food and Agriculture /tbc/ Mongolian Alliance of Nomadic Indigenous Peoples UN Food and Agricultural Organization 	Yon Fernandez Larrinoa Atai Ayatkhaan
19.00 – 22.00	Dinner and Cultural Programme	Minister Atai Ayatkhaan Yon Fernandez Larrinoa
Time/Date	DAY 4 (29 July, Wed) COMMUNITY DIALOGUE	Facilitator
06.00 – 06.30	Breakfast (packed breakfast)	
06.30 – 13.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit Hustai National Park, observation of Przewalski's wild horses Visit Bayansonginot pastoralist community in buffer zone 	MANIP team
13.00 – 16.00	Mongolian barbeque lunch “khorkhog” at the community	
16.00 – 18.00	Departure to Ulaanbaatar	

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30 - 31 July (Thu - Fri): Departure of delegates

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