



**Afternoon Program 14:00 – 17:30**

**James Griffiths** *Moderator*

**Discussion & an indication that a forest leaders message is an appropriate and achievable way forward**

**For the balance of today:** Seeking your input on:

- Concept – can this be achieved?
- Content – key ideas for a proposed “Forest Leaders Message”

**Depending on today.....for tomorrow:**

- Content - continue
- Communications – most effective process to get this message out while these negotiations are underway





## Our Concept – is this feasible?

- Stakeholder dialogue program
- Compelling messages from the Forest Community/Sector
- Communicating these to Climate negotiators





## Step One - TFD program to October

- April 1/2 DC dialogue – develop common cause
- June 24/25 Gland dialogue – develop common messages
- Sept 16/17 Forest Leaders dialogue – confirm common messages
- Oct 6/7 World Conservation Forum – release common messages
- December - TFD at COP 14 communicate common messages...and beyond...to COP 15

**TFD providing a platform, facilitating process and communication of outputs**





## Step Two - **Compelling common messages from the Forest Sector: (1) What might this look like?**

### A "Forest Leaders Message"

- Compelling and clear communications tool
- Simple messages...on these complex topics
- Reflective of the common views of a broad base of forest stakeholders = the forest community "voice"
- Inform and influence Climate Negotiators .... so must be responsive to the post Bali agenda and timetable





## Step Two - **Compelling common messages from the Forest Sector: (2) What might this look like?**

1. Preamble (Chapter 9 IPCC 4AR)
2. Principles & Facts to guide Negotiators (Bali Road Map)
3. Actions & Learnings – what forest stakeholders will do to support action on SFM and Climate
4. Annex – specific concrete commitments
  - Based on the TFD process inputs
  - Leveraging existing and emerging stakeholder statements & positions





## Questions for plenary discussion

- Can we identify common cause on SFM and Climate?
- Can we develop a common voice?
  - Where we agree
  - Where we disagree
  - Where we need to learn, knowledge gaps





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  - To develop a strong collective message for COP 14/15





## Process to get your “Big Ideas” for Forest Messages on SFM and Climate

- 5 random groups (8/10 people)
  1. Select leader/facilitator & reporter
  2. Address these 3 questions (90/100 minutes)
    - Areas of agreement
    - Areas of disagreement
    - Do we proceed
  3. Capture your answers on p/c (co/chair to provide)
  4. Report back @ 16:30 (8/10 min max ea)







## Day Two...tomorrow

Continue breakout groups:

1. Review and further development a TFD synthesis document prepared overnight.
2. Discuss and provide advice on how we can effectively communicate common messages.





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## Breakout Group Work : Rooms

1. Group 1 – James Griffiths (this room)
2. Group 2 – Lars Laestadius (this room)
  - Downstairs
3. Group 3 – Stewart Maginnis (Atlantic)
4. Group 4 – Bill Street (Pacific)
5. Group 5 – Roberto Smeraldi (Garage)

Remember your number!!

