

# International Leadership Council

June 22-23, 2006 • Washington, D.C.

## Freshwater and Healthy Communities

### Final Agenda

Healthy human and natural communities require freshwater. The Nature Conservancy believes that there is a way to strike a balance between the freshwater needs of people and ecosystems. The Conservancy's response to this challenge is to promote Ecologically Sustainable Water Management—the compatible integration of human and natural ecosystem needs. Ecologically sustainable water management is attainable in the vast majority of the world's river basins if action is taken now.

The June 2006 meeting of the International Leadership Council will focus on strategies and partnerships to contribute to ecologically sustainable water management.

### Thursday, June 22

#### Westin Embassy Row Ballroom

##### Registration

**9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.**

Ballroom Foyer

##### Welcome

**10:15 a.m.**

Tom Jorling

Chair

International Leadership Council

##### Future of Freshwater

**10:30 a.m.**

Brian Richter

Director, Sustainable Waters Program

The Nature Conservancy

##### Freshwater and Development

**11:15 a.m.**

Rafik Hirji

Senior Water Resources Management Specialist

The World Bank

##### Lunch

**12:00 p.m.**

##### Keynote: Valuing Freshwater

**12:45 p.m.**

Sandra Postel

Director and Founder

Global Water Policy Project

##### Break

**1:45 p.m.**

##### Strategies to Protect Water Quantity & Quality

**1:55 p.m.**

- **Greener Hydropower**

David Harrison

Water Resources Consultant

The Nature Conservancy

Gerald Barnes

Chief of Operations

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

- **Nature's Water Filters**

Mark Bryer

Director, Chesapeake Bay Initiative

The Nature Conservancy

Cindy Angelelli

Director, EHS Global Issue Strategy

Duke Energy Corporation

Corporate Wetlands Restoration Partnership

##### Break

**3:35 p.m.**

##### Strategies to Meet Consumption & Conservation

**3:45 p.m.**

- **Voluntary Standards and Certification**

Heidi Paul

Vice President, Corporate Affairs

Nestlé Waters North America

Karin Krchnak

Director, International Water Policy

The Nature Conservancy

Strategies to Meet Consumption & Conservation  
(continued)

- **Agriculture and Freshwater**

Jonathan Foley  
Director, Center for Sustainability and the  
Global Environment (SAGE), UW-Madison

Tony Cavalieri  
Conservation Agriculture Advisor  
The Nature Conservancy

**Closing Remarks**

**5:30 p.m.**

Tom Jorling  
Chair

International Leadership Council

**Reception and Dinner**

**The Washington Club**

**Global Forestry & Corporate Partnerships**

**7:00 p.m.**

William Ginn  
Director, Global Forestry Initiative  
The Nature Conservancy

**Friday, June 23**

**Westin Embassy Row Ballroom**

**Breakfast**

**7:30 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.**

Ballroom

**Interim Science Report on 2015 Goal**

**8:00 a.m.**

Tim Tear  
Senior Conservation Scientist and Manager  
Global Conservation Approach Team  
The Nature Conservancy

**Public Policy and Conservation**

**9:00 a.m.**

Jimmie Powell  
Director, Government Relations  
The Nature Conservancy

**Optional Tour & Lunch**

**National Museum of the American Indian**

**10:30 a.m.**

Optional trip for those with later departures or  
staying through the weekend

**Return to Hotel**

**2:00 p.m.**