

PROGRAM

Subnational Governments & Cities Pavilion

~ Taking-Action for Biodiversity ~

8 – 17 December 2022

Palais des congrès de Montréal, Place Quebec, 1st floor, in front of the auditorium

at CBD COP15



For the **first time at a CBD COP**, there will be a dedicated **Pavilion** focusing entirely on **subnational and local government actions and opportunities**. The Pavilion program will include multiple events, from 8th to 17th December, during COP 15.

Montréal 

8 December, Thursday

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| ⌚ 10:45 -12:15 | La protection de la biodiversité : un travail de collectivités |
| ⌚ 13:30 -15:00 | Partager les bienfaits de la biodiversité dans les différents milieux urbains |
| ⌚ 15:30 - 17:00 | La conservation du patrimoine naturel au coeur des décisions et des actions des Villes |

Québec 

9 December, Friday

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| ⌚ 09:45 | Mot d'ouverture de la Journée Québec |
| ⌚ 10:00 - 10:50 | Intégration de la biodiversité dans l'agriculture |
| ⌚ 11:00 - 11:50 | Actions du Québec dans le déploiement de l'économie circulaire et ses incidences sur la biodiversité |
| ⌚ 12:00 | Pause déjeuner « Pop-up » Québec (Plus de détails à venir) |
| ⌚ 13:00 - 13:50 | Climat et biodiversité : redéfinir notre rapport à la nature |
| ⌚ 14:00 - 14:50 | Bons coups et défis en matière de conservation de la biodiversité au Québec |
| ⌚ 15:00 - 15:50 | Le tourisme comme levier pour la conservation des milieux naturels et la vitalité des communautés : expériences en contexte nordique |
| ⌚ 16:00 - 16:50 | Présentation du projet Forêt ouverte du Québec
Présentation du réseau des parcs nationaux du Québec |
| ⌚ 16:50 | Mot de clôture de la Journée Québec |

 **10 December, Saturday**

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| 🕒 10:00 - 11:45 | Health and well-being in cities: acting for access to green and blue spaces (GBF Target 12) |
| 🕒 12:00 - 12:30 | Berlin Urban Nature Pact |
| 🕒 12:30 - 14:45 | Biodiversity mainstreaming solutions and innovations at the city & landscape level |
| 🕒 15:00 - 16:30 | RegionsWithNature catalysing biodiversity action and resources for implementation |

 **11 – 12 December**

7th Summit for Subnational Governments & Cities



CHINA DAY

 **13 December, Tuesday**

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| 🕒 10:00 - 10:10 | Opening ceremony |
| 🕒 10:10 - 10:25 | Welcome remarks |
| 🕒 10:25 - 10:30 | Announce achievements and initiatives |
| 🕒 10:30 - 11:50 | Session I:
Strengthen local biodiversity actions – practices and contributions from China |
| 🕒 12:00 - 13:30 | Lunch break |
| 🕒 13:30 - 15:30 | Session II:
Integrated actions for sustainable urban development |
| 🕒 15:30 - 15:50 | Coffee break |
| 🕒 15:50 - 17:50 | Session III:
Building cities in nature – shift in urban development and planning towards the new framework |
| 🕒 17:50 - 18:00 | Closing ceremony for China Day |

 **14 December, Wednesday**

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| 🕒 10:00 - 12:00 | Our food systems threatened by biodiversity loss and climate change – what can cities and subnational governments do? |
| 🕒 12:30 - 14:30 | The UN Decade of Ecosystem Restoration: Cities Challenge |
| 🕒 15:30 - 17:30 | CitiesWithNature - the partnership platform for ambitious nature actions |
| 🕒 17:30 - 18:00 | Launch of Trees in Cities Challenge |

 **15 December, Thursday**

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| 🕒 10:00 - 12:00 | Unlocking finance for scaled action for GBF implementation |
| 🕒 12:30 - 14:00 | Bio-economy and green & blue economy |
| 🕒 15:30 - 17:00 | Towards a nature-positive future with nature-based solutions |

 **16 December, Friday**

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| 🕒 10:00 - 12:00 | The role of cities and subnational governments in taking action for global wetlands & migratory species |
| 🕒 12:30 - 14:00 | Cities and nature, urban rural linkages & ecosystems approach to spatial planning |
| 🕒 15:30 - 17:00 | Cities and Biodiversity Outlook II Project: Building a pathway to integrating biodiversity into policy and practice in cities |

 **17 December, Saturday**

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| 🕒 10:00 - 12:00 | Developing a Pan-Canadian Approach to urban biodiversity & ecosystem service monitoring - learning from common opportunities and challenges across cities |
| 🕒 12:30 - 14:30 | Youth session |
| 🕒 15:30 - 17:00 | To be announced |