

The Caribbean Regional Climate Outlook Forum (CariCOF)

Fort Young Hotel, Roseau, Dominica

May 30th – 31st 2016

Draft Agenda

Monday, 30th May 2016

TIME	ACTIVITY	PRESENTER/FACILITATOR
0900 – 0930	Welcome, Opening remarks	Adrian Trotman, David Farrell, CIMH The Hon. Miriam Blanchard, Minister of Public Works and Ports
0930 – 0950	Wet/Hurricane Season Climatology of the Caribbean The 2015 Wet/Hurricane Season in the Caribbean, a retrospective	Wazita Scott, CIMH
0950 – 1015	Wet/Hurricane Season Climate Outlook (rainfall, temperature, wet days/wet spells, hurricanes and drought outlooks/ coral bleaching outlook)	NMHS
1015 – 1035	Discussion- Expected climate impacts from the outlook	Adrian Trotman, CIMH
1035 – 1050	COFFEE BREAK	
1050 – 1135	Break out groups per sector Implications of forecasts and outlooks Recommendations	
1135 – 1215	Sector Reports and Discussion	
1215 – 1315	LUNCH	
1315 – 1330	Welcoming Remarks	David Farrell, Principal, CIMH
1330 – 1400	Assessment of Climate Change and Health Vulnerability and Adaptation in Dominica	Sylvester St.Ville, MOH Dominica
1400 – 1420	Next Steps	David Johnson, CMO
1420 – 1425	Introduction to Minister	Adrian Trotman, CIMH
1425 – 1440	Minister's Address & Official Launch	The Hon Dr. Kenneth Darroux
1440 – 1450	Vote of Thanks	Sylvester St.Ville, MOH Dominica
1450 – 1510	COFFEE BREAK	
1510 – 1530	The Health Implications of Climate Variability and Change	Peter Berry, Health Canada
1530 – 1550	A Knowledge, Attitudes And Practices Survey On Climate Change and Health in Trinidad.	Kerresha Khan, UWI St. Augustine
1550 – 1610	Heat Stress Early Warning	Hannah Nissan, IRI
1610 – 1630	Towards Developing Heat Alerts for the Caribbean- A Possible Prediction Framework.	Cédric Van Meerbeeck, CIMH
1630 – 1650	Discussion	
1650 – 1700	Way Forward and Closing Remarks	Adrian Trotman, CIMH

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0900 - 0915	Welcome, Opening remarks, outline of the day	Adrian Trotman, CIMH
0915 - 1000	IRAP and Climate Services Support in the Caribbean	Zackry Guido, UoA
1000 - 1100	Focus Group Activity (User Needs/Provider Capacity)	
1100 - 1115	COFFEE BREAK	
1115 - 1230	Focus Group Activity (User Needs/Provider Capacity)	
1230 - 1330	LUNCH	
1330 - 1350	CariCOF Theatre- The Planned Attack of Dr. Climo and his MEWS.	Shelly-Ann Cox, CIMH
1350 - 1500	Towards Developing Tailored Climate Information Products for the Caribbean Health Sector	Roché Mahon, CIMH Shelly-Ann Cox, CIMH
1500 - 1515	COFFEE BREAK	
1515 - 1615	IRI Disaster Risk Management Session	Ashley Curtis, IRI Denyse Dookie, IRI
1615 - 1635	The Caribbean Weather Impacts Group (CARIWIG) Project	Ottis Joslyn, CCCCC
1635 - 1650	Way Forward and Closing Remarks	Adrian Trotman, David Farrell, CIMH