

Korea NGOs Yellow Sea Partnership Workshop

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Korea NGOs Yellow Sea Partnership Workshop Ansan, Korea, 15th to 16th June 2006

Workshop Programme

The duration of the workshop will be 2 days, consisting of one full day workshop on June 15th and a half day field trip on June 16th.

1. Day 1 (15 June): Workshop (full day at KORDI, Ansan)

Session 1	Environmental conservation activities for the Yellow Sea's environment	Moderator: Ms. Young Rae Choi
9:00 ~ 9:30	Registration	
9:30 ~ 9:40	Opening of the meeting	Mr. Yihang Jiang, Mr. Huh Sik
9:40 ~ 9:50	Organisation of the meeting Introduction of expected outcome and outputs	Ms. Young Rae Choi
9:50 ~ 10:10	Introduction of UNDP activities and GEF projects for environmental conservation	Ms. Hyun- Shin Lee
10:10 ~ 10:40	Introduction of the YSLME Project and the Yellow Sea Partnership (YSP)	Mr. Seonghwan Pae, Mr. Isao Endo
10:40 ~ 11:00	Involvement of NGOs in GEF/UNDP Korea wetland project	Mr. Young Cheol Park
11:00 ~ 11:10	Coffee break	
11:10 ~ 11:40	Introduction of each participating organization and its Yellow Sea-related activities (5~10 minutes each)	Participants
11:40 ~ 11:50	Group Photo	
11:50 ~ 13:00	Lunch	

Session 2	Partnership building for co-operation and project implementation	Moderator: Mr. Kyung Won Kim
13:00 ~ 14:30	Introduction of each participating organization (continued)	Participants
14:30 ~ 14:40	Coffee break	
14:40 ~ 15:30	Overview of the 1 st YSP workshop and the Public Awareness and Communication Strategy (followed by discussion)	Mr. Isao Endo, Participants
15:30 ~ 16:20	Discussion on joint activities - Input to the Implementation Matrix - Inputs to the YSP workplan	Participants
16:20 ~ 16:30	Coffee Break	
16:30 ~ 17:20	Discussion on joint activities (continued)	Participants
17:20 ~ 17:40	Statement of co-operation	Participants
17:40 ~ 17:50	Closure of the meeting	Mr. Yihang Jiang
18:30 ~ 20:30	Reception	

2. Day 2 (16 June): Field Trip (half day, site visit)

The purpose of this fieldtrip is to raise awareness of the Yellow Sea conservation and management and to stimulate the participants into action through visiting a specific site and recognizing the activities implemented at the site. The field trip provides an opportunity to share common interests and issues that the participants have.

Site to visit: Shihwa Industrial Complex Observatory, Shihwa Embankment, Shihwa Lake Culture-History Hall, Daebu-do and Dinosaur Egg Fossil Site

Scale is important when raising environmental issues, but it is often overlooked when only seen through the map. Having a tour around the Shihwa Lake, this fieldtrip will give a sense of the size of the Shihwa Lake along with the landscape and status of development of the area.

Shihwa Lake is notorious for the failure of protecting environment as a result of extensive land reclamation activities. By now, a lot of efforts have been made to restore the site while various development issues still exist. The Shihwa Industrial Complex Observatory provides an excellent view of the Shihwa Lake and the adjacent industrial complex. Passing by the Shihwa Embankment, you can have a

look at the tidal power plant and the drainage gate. At the end of the embankment, there is a newly built building, the Shihwa Lake Culture-History Hall, where you will see the past and present culture and history of the lake.

The Shihwa Lifesaver has implemented the 'Marine Environmental Leader Training Course' for the past few years. At the Dinosaur Egg Fossil Site, you will experience, as one of the trainees, the activities of Shihwa Lifesaver. The site also provides beautiful scenery of the coasts.

The tour is guided by the Shihwa Lifesaver.

Time	Location	Activity
9:00 ~ 9:30	KORDI	Departure for Shihwa lake
9:30 ~ 10:00	Shihwa Industrial Complex Observatory	Issues surrounding the development of the Shihwa Lake and the adjacent area
10: 00 ~ 10:40	Shihwa Embankment	Introduction: Shihwa Embankment, Tidal Power Plant, Drainage Gate
10:40 ~ 11:10	Shihwa Lake Culture-History Hall	Guided tour
11:10 ~ 11:40	Leave the Hall	
11:40 ~ 12:30	Daebu-do	Lunch
12:30 ~ 13:10	Leave Daebu-do	
13:10 ~ 14:40	Dinosaur Egg Fossil Site	Site Visit: Shihwa Lifesaver-led Activities
14:40 ~ 15:20	Dinosaur Egg Fossil Site	Departure for KORDI