#### WORKPLAN AND BUDGET FOR THE SPECIALLY PROTECTED AREAS AND WILDLIFE (SPAW) SUBPROGRAMME FOR THE 2021 - 2022 BIENNIUM UNEP(DEPI)/CAR WG.42/3 Rev.1

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Celebrating 35 years since the entry into force of the Cartagena Convention.





11<sup>th</sup> Conference of Contracting Parties to the Protocol Concerning Specially Protected Areas and Wildlife Virtual Meeting. 27<sup>th</sup> July 2021

#### 5 Mayor Areas 2021-2022

- 1. Programme Coordination
- Strengthening of Protected Areas in the Wider Caribbean Region
- 3. Development of Guidelines for the Management of Protected Areas and Species
- 4. Conservation of Threatened and Endangered Species
- 5. Conservation and Sustainable Use of Coastal and Marine Ecosystems







#### WORKPLAN AND BUDGET MEETING DATES

2021



01

March 19,2021

**SPAW STAC-9** 



02

June 21, 2021

**Pre-COP** 



03

June 29, 2021

Working Group



04

July 2, 2021

**Working Group** 



05

July 7, 2021

**Monthly Meeting** 

### Personnel SPAW PO SPAW RAC **PMA** Interns

# 1. Programme Condination

**Promote Ratification** 

**Increased Collaboration and Communication** 

**Improve MPA Regional Coordination** 

**Coordination** 

Articles: 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 21,

### The major outputs and indicators of achievement under this sub-programme will be:

Outputs	Indicators of Achievement
Eleventh meeting of the SPAW Contracting Parties convened (COP11)	Successful convening of the meetings with appropriate decisions and recommendations made that will support
Ninth meeting of the SPAW Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee convened (STAC9)	the protection of important coastal and marine habitats and threatened species of wild fauna and flora
A strategic and streamlined 2023-2024 SPAW Workplan developed	Comprehensive Workplan developed that includes sustainable activities to meet SPAW objectives
Funds raised in support of SPAW objectives  Enhanced participation of donors and relevant funding agencies in SPAW activities	Increased number of regional and international collaborations and initiatives developed that facilitate

### Programme Coordination 2021-2022 Workplan of Activities

- (a) Coordination with relevant programmes, donors and organizations to develop synergies and collaboration;
- (b) Support implementation of existing Memoranda of Understandings (MoUs) and of collaborative arrangements with relevant MEAs and initiatives
- (c) Joint programming with SPAW RAC

#### 2021-2022 Workplan Activities

- Convene STAC-9, STAC 10 and COP 11
- 2023-2024 SPAW Workplan developed
- Funds raised
- Enhanced participation of donors

## Programme Coordination

Activity / Year	2021	2022
Salaries (Programme Officer & Assistant) and supporting costs	740,00	570,000
COP12 and STAC10	30,000	45,000
Total	770,000	615,000

# 2. Strengthening of Protected Areas

**Enhance Management Effectiveness** 

**Capacity Building** 

**MPAs Financing** 

CaMPAM: Small Grants, synergies, ecological network

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Outputs	Indicators of Achievement
Improved CaMPAM delivery and management capacity in several MPAs of the WCR through the hosting of the ToT course, the mentorship programmes, and grant funding	Increased number of MPA practitioners involved in capacity building and training programmes designed to improve their ability to respond to management issues and emerging environmental threats in marine and coastal areas
Improved dissemination of information on MPAs within the region through the updated CaMPAM website and regional database and enhanced network forum	Increased number of MPA practitioners, policy makers, scientists and other stakeholders engaging with, and contributing to, the CaMPAM internet forum and MPA database, as well as other regional and international initiatives that facilitate information sharing

Outputs	Indicators of Achievement
Stronger relationships and collaborations between MPA practitioners, scientists, fishers, other stakeholders, as	1 1 0
well as with international/regional experts	WCR

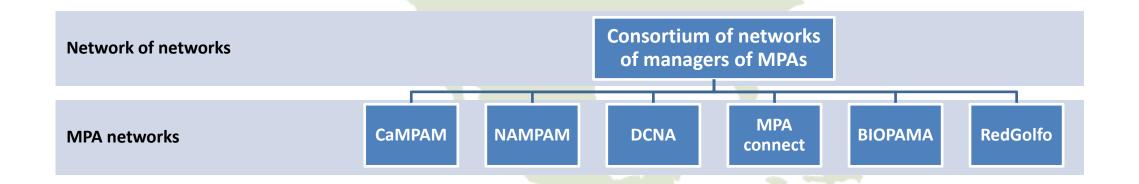








#### The networks







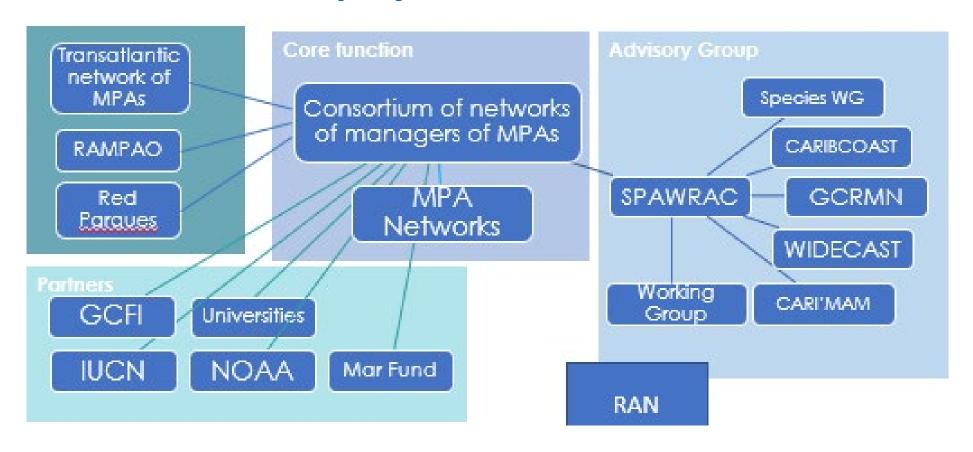








#### SPAW and MPA networks, projects and RAN



#### Collaborations and synergies with relevant organizations and initiatives within and outside the region



























**GCRMN** 







North-East Atlantic and its resources



















**WWF** 

**Healthy Reefs** 



















The Nature Conservancy











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**Ongoing Projects** 















### Strengthening of Protected Areas in the Wider Caribbean Region

**MPA list** 

**Species Annexes** 

Voluntary exemptions report

# Strengthening of Protected Areas

Activity / Year	2021	2022
CaMPAM Coordination and Travel	66,894	18,321
Capacity Development ToT	25,000	115,465
Small Grants and DSS demonstration pilots and mentorship network	90,000	112,356
RAC actions for PAME	24,000	24,000
CaMPAM Website and Forum	1,401	1,401
MPA Sessions at GCFI	6,000	6,000
Regional MPA Database	0	0
Total	213,295	277,543



# 3. Guidelines for management of Protected Areas and Species

Activity / Year	2021	2022
Support cooperation programme of listed MPAs	123,452	100,000
Species listing assessment	0	0
Assist Parties to formulate their exemptions reports	0	0
Exemptions report strategy development	0	0
Total	123,452	100,000

#### 4. Conservation of Threatened and Endangered Species







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**Marine Mammals** 

**Sea Turtles** 

**Invasive Species** 

**Stony Coral Tissue Lost Disease Sargassum** 

Sharks and rays

Mangroves, Corals and Seagrasses

#### Conservation of Species

Activity / Year	2021	2022
Marine mammals' education and awareness	0	0
Implementation of the CARI'MAM Project	170,000	0
Implementation of Marine Mammals Projects (to be confirmed)1	0	70,000
Call for proposals for species conservation	50,000	50,000
Support to the Regional Lionfish Committee	0	0
Data Sharing and Research on Sargassum	5,000	50,000
Total	225,00	120,000

# 5. Conservation and Sustainable Use of Coastal and Marine Ecosystems

**Coral Reefs** 

Sargassum

**Ecosystem Based Management** 

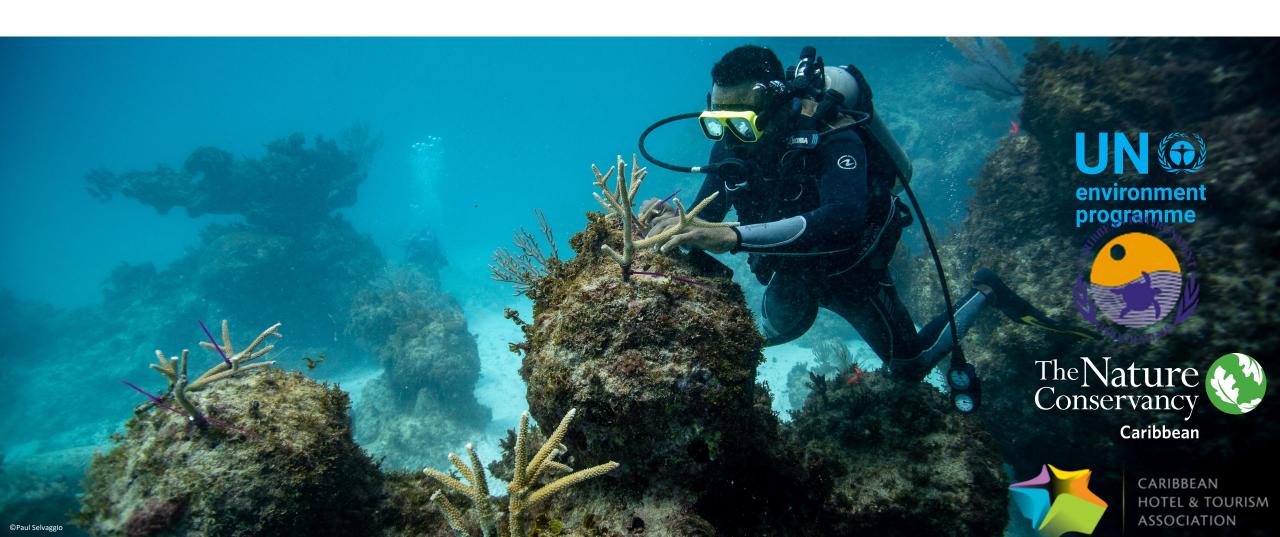
Wetlands & Mangroves

#### Projects Work Plan Distribution

	202	21	2022		2023		2024	
Swedish Funds								
GEF CLME +								
ACP MEAs III								
CARIBCOAST								
CARI'MAM								
GEF GoM								
GEF PROCaribe								

#### Harnessing a Movement in the Caribbean: Advancing Coral Reef Restoration with Tourism Leaders

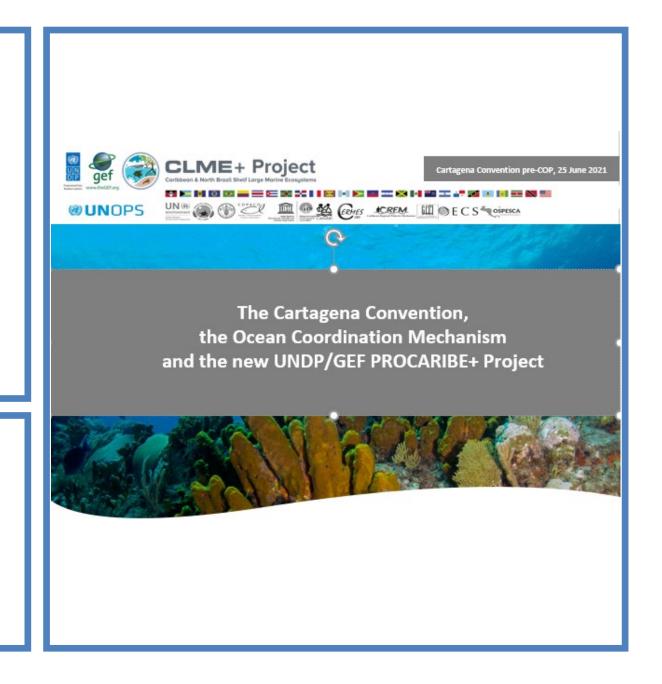
By working closely with the tourism industry create guidelines to restore reefs, identify pilot projects and capacity building opportunities across the region.







**In Development** 



### Conservation and Sustainable Use of Coastal and Marine Ecosystems

	2024	2222
Activity/Year	2021	2022
Implementation of the GCRMN Caribbean and support to countries	0	0
monitoring		
Support from Albert II, Prince of Monaco/UNEP	50,000	0
RAC actions for ecosystems conservation (Call for proposals,	30,000	30,000
restoration)		
EBM Tool Box Governance	0	0
Support to Regional Seas (Swedish Ministry)	25,000	
CARIB-COAST Implementation	100,000	80,000
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Sargassum Project	30,000	0
TOTAL	235,000	110,000

#### **BUDGET OF THE SPAW PROGRAMME FOR THE 2021-2022 BIENNIUM**

	2021 Budgeted				2022 Budgeted			
Activity	CTF	Other Contributions*	Total cost	Required Balance**	CTF	Other Contributions*	Total Cost	Required Balance**
2.1 Programme Co-ordination (salary costs and COP and STAC Meetings)	215,000	555,000	770,000	30,000	230,000	385,000	615,000	60,000
2.2 Strengthening of protected areas in the Wider Caribbean Region	0	213,295	213,295	0	0	277,543	277,543	0
2.3 Development of guidelines for management of protected areas and species		123,452	123,452	0	0	100,000	100,000	100,000
2.4 Conservation of threatened and endangered species	0	225,000	225,000	5,000	0	120,000	120,000	50,000
2.5 Conservation and sustainable use of coastal and marine ecosystems	0	235,000	235,000	0	0	110,000	110,000	0
Subtotal	215,000	1,351,747	1,566,747	35000	230,000	992,543	1,222,543	210,000
Programme support costs 13% (amount subject to change based on source of funds)		175,727	203,677	4,550	29,900	129,031	158,931	
TOTAL SPAW	242,950	1,527,474	1,770,424	39,500	259,900	1,121,574	1,381,474	237,300

<sup>\*</sup>Includes funding from France through SPAW-RAC from the CLME+ Project and the Biodiversity for Sustainable Development in the Caribbean project; and in-kind contributions from SBNMS, the Centre for Coastal Studies and Whale and Dolphin Conservation, the CARI'MAM, CARIB-COAST and new Marine Mammal projects

<sup>\*\*</sup> Required balance reflects any shortfalls between budgeted Total Cost and expenditure amounts from the CTF + Other Contributions to be calculated at the end of the biennium and reflected in the Status of Activities Report for 2021-2022



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