



Guam Green Growth
Steering Committee Meeting Agenda
February 16, 2022
10:00am-11:00am, Zoom

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Agenda

- A. Updates from SC Co-chairs
- B. Updates from G3 Coordinator
 - a. Save the date: April 4th-8th Biannual meeting during 2022 UOG Conference on Island Sustainability
 - b. Quadrant reports due March 31st
 - i. Meet with your team to prepare updates, reference the updated G3 Action Framework working document
 - c. G3 Dashboard updates
- C. Updates from Team Leads

Meeting Materials

- 1) G3 Action Framework v3 Working Document (.xlsx)
- 2) Biannual meeting reporting quadrant (.pptx)

Attendees:

President Thomas Krise (UOG), Lt. Governor Josh Tenorio, Dr. Austin Shelton (UOG CIS), Lola Leon Guerrero (BSP), Vince Arriola (DPW), Trina Leberer (TNC), Fran Castro (UOG Sea Grant), Melvin Won Pat-Borja (COD), Carlotta Leon Guerrero (GovGuam), Dr. Annette Santos (UOG SBPA), Dr. Margaret Hattori (UOG SOH), George Bamba (GovGuam), Tricee Limtiaco (GPA), Christine Fejeran (DOAG), Taylor Pangelinan (GVB), Theresa Arriola (GBHWC), Juanita Blaz (IGP), Myracle Mugol (UOG CIS), Rita Bernardo (UOG CIS), Victoria Santos (UOG CIS), Alana Chargualaf (UOG CIS), Lawrence Lizama (UOG CIS), Remy Perez (UOG CIS), Rob San Agustin (Lt. Governor's Office), Ken Quintanilla (Lt. Governor's Office), Candise Aragon (Lt. Governor's Office), Jackson Stephens (PDN), Cheerful Catunao (Blue Ocean Law)

A. Updates from SC Co-chairs

a. Lt. Gov. Tenorio

- i. Recognition of the G3 Makerspace opening, revitalizes the CHamoru Village's original purpose as a business incubator
- ii. Two additional engagements featured in the 2022 UOG Conference on Island Sustainability
 - Governor's Youth Council, Guam Youth Congress and the G3 Youth Ambassadors anchor event
 - a. Opportunity for the youth to identify focus areas or action items to develop their version of the G3 Action Framework and to add value to the existing G3 Action Framework
 - Affordable Housing Symposium to focus on the existing housing issues and barriers and the work being done as a response by agencies to bridge gaps
 - a. Will involve the Interagency Council on Homelessness and Guam Homelessness Coalition; Goal is to better provide support for low and moderate income individuals.
- iii. Biannual meeting preparations should include the completion of the quadrant report and updating the framework. Having the meeting at the same time as the conference will provide access to a wider audience.
 - Reach out to the G3 team for presentation assistance when focusing on specific areas that need more exposure or to make a community call to action

b. Dr. Shelton

- i. 2022 Conference on Island Sustainability: Harness Wind in Our Sails to Sustainable 2030. April 4 – 8; will be hybrid at the Hyatt and online. Co-Chaired by the Governor and UOG President Krise.
 - Expecting our partners from HGG and others to join us on island this year.
- ii. Quadrant reports will be the official submission for the Biannual Meeting along with a more innovative presentation from each team.
- iii. 2nd Cohort of the G3 Conservation Corp, currently undergoing interviews. Cohort announcement will be made in early March

iv. G3 Circular Economy Makerspace and Innovation Hub Opening on February 15, 2022; presentation from the Circular Economy Coordinator, Myracle Mugol

- 3 new houses at the CHamoru Village will help grow our circular economy to turn waste products into marketable products.
 - a. Industrial Working Spaces – CNC routers, 3d printers and more. Open Tues.– Sat. 10:30am – 6pm and by appointment
 - b. Innovation Hub – part classroom and part maker store. Open Tues. – Sat. 11am – 5pm
- Annual membership is \$400 and monthly membership is \$50. Email mugolm@triton.uog.edu for scheduling or inquiries regarding other maker needs.

B. Updates from G3 Coordinators

- a. Biannual meeting will take place during the 2022 UOG CIS Conference; opportunity to update the action framework to help us reach our goals for a sustainable future. Save April 4-8, 2022 until we have the final date and registration details.
 - i. Prepare to submit the quadrant reports by Thursday, March 31. G3 Coordinator is available for assistance.
 - ii. The updated working G3 Action Framework document v3 dated January 24, 2022 will be helpful to complete the quadrant report.
- b. G3 Dashboard updates
 - i. ECCI webpages are still under review. Sustainable Alliances webpage expansion webpages are under review. Sustainable Homes, Utilities and Transportation will be shared with the team for review.
 - All Category of Action webpages will be live before G3 Biannual Meeting

C. Updates from Team Leads

- a. Healthy and Prosperous Communities – Lola Leon Guerrero
 - i. Met last week to start updating action items, working with the POCs/action leads. GBHWC and DPW to get a status on their action items to update the framework
- b. Educated, Capable and Compassionate Island – No team leads present
- c. Sustainable Homes, Utilities, Transportation – Vince Arriola
 - i. Most of the recycle bins have been picked up by the mayors, working on the logistics to distribute the remaining.

- ii. 50 or the smaller trash bins are still at the compound waiting distribution
- iii. Action items: Releasing a request for information for interested parties for the CHamoru Land Trust since they are looking to build 160+ affordable 2-3 bedroom homes on their empty lots.
 - Will include sustainable elements in the design and structure of the homes.
- d. Thriving Natural Resources –Fran Castro
 - i. GWA working with USGS and WERI to install additional monitoring wells to collect more data in the aquifer, ongoing until October. Findings will be used in future monitoring.
 - ii. BSP started working on the Guam Sustainability plan, replacing Guam Comprehensive Master Plan and Southern Master plan
 - iii. GEPA and BSP have revived the watershed planning committee, the oversight committee. Prioritizing drinking and marine water resources. This plan ensures the community is aware of the status of activities and can obtain money to address restoration.
 - iv. NOAA – BSP hired a contractor to write a watershed plan for the Manell Gaus watershed
 - v. Habitat Conservation Plan work continues to get stakeholder input for their plan. Website will be launched for review and feedback
 - vi. Micronesia Challenge – Updating the sustainable finance plan. Guam has an endowment to support the goals and this plan will help identify the funding gaps. Effort led by Sea Grant and will send out a survey.
 - Lt. Governor's office will coordinate the meeting to work more on this.
 - Pacific Island Development bank inclusion as a receptive source for climate change funding
 - a. Might look into MCT sharing their experience with this function and accreditation.
 - vii. Kyle Dahilig is looking for outreach events or activities for the youth to participate in
 - UOGCIS Team to support G3 Youth Ambassadors to gauge their engagement and action response.
- e. Sustainable Alliances – Carlotta Leon Guerrero and Trina Leberer
 - i. Working on obtaining research support from GEDA.

- ii. Our Oceans Conference – 18 countries and governments, 32 NGOs including 3 heads of states confirmed. The panelist and proposed commitments are being finalized.
- iii. Looking to expand DoD humanitarian roles and capabilities, such as amending the Denton Amendment to include the donated medicine and medical supplies for transporting. Opportunity to expand the Christmas drop efforts based on needs of island nations that receive cargo.
- f. Data and Public Engagement – No team leads present
- g. G3 Youth Ambassadors – No team leads present

Meeting adjourned 10:55 am
