



Eighth CEC Regular Session of the Council and JPAC Meetings

**27–29 June 2001
 Guadalajara, Jalisco, México**

<p>All meetings will be held at: Expo Guadalajara Avenida Mariano Otero 1499 Colonia Verde Valle Phone: 011 523 343 3000</p>	<p>Lodging for participants : Hilton Guadalajara Hotel Avenida de las Rosas 2933 Col. Rinconada del Bosque Phone: 011 523 678 0505 • Fax: 011 523 678 0521</p>
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Program of Public Events

(As of 20 June 2001. Please note that although no major changes are expected, there may be minor time related adjustments.)

Tuesday, 26 June 2001

18:00–20:00 Accreditation of participants

Wednesday, 27 June 2001

8:00–20:00 Accreditation of participants

9:00–9:45 Joint Public Advisory Committee Regular Session 01-02 *

- Welcome and overview by Liette Vasseur, JPAC chair
- a) Report from the National and Governmental Advisory Committee representatives
 - b) Presentation of the CEC 2002–2004 Program Outline by Greg Block, Director of Programs
 - c) Explanation of the round table process

9:45–10:00 Break

10:00–18:00 Joint Public Advisory Committee Round Tables on Opportunities for Enhancing North American Cooperation

- 10:00–11:15 I) Managing pollutants in North America
- Introduction by Victor Shantora, Program Head
 - Audience participation

AND

- II) Conservation of Biodiversity
- Introduction by Hans Hermann, Program Head
 - Audience participation

11:15–11:30 Break

11:30–13:00 Round tables I) and II) (cont'd)

13:00–14:00 Lunch (not provided)

- 14:00–17:00 III) North American Trade and Transportation Corridors
- Introduction by Greg Block, Director of Programs
 - Audience participation

AND

- IV) Management of Renewable Resources
- Introduction by Jose Carlos Tenorio, Program Manager
 - Audience participation

17:00–17:30 Break

17:30–18:00 Presentation of conclusions from the round tables

18:00 End of the round tables

* Session open to the public as observers

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Thursday, 28 June 2001

8:00–19:00	Accreditation of participants
9:30–10:15	Official opening of the 8th Regular Session of the Council of the CEC
9:30–10:00	Opening Remarks by Council members <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcoming remarks by Lic. Francisco Javier Ramírez Acuña, Governor of the State of Jalisco• Opening remarks by Victor Lichtinger, Mexican Secretary for Environment and Natural Resources• Remarks by Christine Todd Whitman, Administrator US Environmental Protection Agency• Remarks by David Anderson, Canadian Environment Minister
10:00–10:15	Report by Janine Ferretti, Executive Director
10:15–10:30	Break
10:30–16:30	Joint Public Advisory Committee Workshop on Green Goods and Services
10:30–10:35	Workshop opening by Liette Vasseur, JPAC Chair
10:35–10:45	Overview <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction by Scott Vaughan, Program Head
10:45–11:45	Lessons Learned <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction by Chantal Line Carpentier and Jürgen Hoth, Program Managers• Presentations:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Erik Brown, Center for a New American Dream- Fulvio Eccardi, Consultant- Eduardo Esteve, <i>Industrias Unidas Agropecuarias</i>- Carolyn Wild, WILD International, Tourism Consulting Services
11:45–12:00	Break
12:00–13:00	Lessons Learned (cont'd) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Audience participation
13:00–14:00	Lunch (not provided)
14:00–16:00	Electricity Market <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction by Scott Vaughan, Program Head• Audience participation
16:00–16:15	Break
16:15–16:30	Workshop wrap-up by Liette Vasseur, JPAC Chair
16:30	End of the workshop
16:30–17:00	Break

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- 17:00–18:30** **Joint Public Advisory Committee Regular Session 01-02 ***
- 17:00–18:15 Discuss the potential Advice to Council on the CEC Program Outline for 2002–2004
- 18:15–18:30 Observers' comments
- 18:30 Adjournment of the Session
- 18:30–19:30 Free Time
- 19:30–20:30** **Welcoming Reception hosted by the Governments of the Municipalities of Tonalá, Guadalajara, Zapopan and Tlaquepaque**
(Location to be confirmed)

Friday, 29 June 2001

- 8:00–12:00 Accreditation of participants
- 8:45–11:00** **Public Portion of the Council Session**
- Opening of the Public Session
 - Opening remarks by Victor Lichtinger, Mexican Secretary for Environment and Natural Resources
 - Introduction by Liette Vasseur, JPAC Chair
 - Oral statements by pre-selected presenters on the following themes, followed by comments from the Council members:
 - Environment and Trade
 - Conservation of Biodiversity
 - Pollutants and Health
 - NAAEC Articles 13, 14 and 15; public awareness and education
 - Closing of the Public Session
 - Closing remarks by Victor Lichtinger, Mexican Secretary for Environment and Natural Resources; Christine Todd Whitman, Administrator US Environmental Protection Agency and David Anderson, Canadian Environment Minister
- 11:00–11:45** **Presentation of a North American Integrated Taxonomic Information System On-Line**
- 11:45–12:00 Break
- 12:00–12:45** **Press Conference***
- 12:45–13:30 Lunch (not provided)
- 13:30–15:00** **Joint Public Advisory Committee Regular Session 01-02***
- 13:00–13:15 Approve the draft Advice to Council on the CEC Program Outline for 2002–2004
- 13:15–13:45 Follow-up
 - a) 8th Regular Session of Council
 - b) JPAC letter to Council on the North American Symposium on Understanding the Linkages between Trade and Environment, held in October 2000

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	c) CEC Project on Emerging Environmental Trends
13:45–14:15	Articles 14 and 15 of the NAAEC
14:15–14:25	Administrative matters a) JPAC member appointments and rotation, and JPAC working groups b) Next JPAC meetings
14:25–14:30	Other issues
14:30–15:00	Observers' comments
15:00	End of the session
15:00–16:00	Free time
16:00–22:00	Site visits and concert (note: dinner is not provided)
16:00–19:00	Visit and shopping at Tlaquepaque (handicrafts of Jalisco State) (Transportation provided by the State Government of Jalisco)
19:00–20:00	Visit to the historic center of Guadalajara (Transportation provided by the State Government of Jalisco)
20:00–22:00	Special concert featuring the <i>Orquesta Filarmónica del Estado de Jalisco</i> to be held at Teatro Degollado (event to be confirmed) (Return transportation to Hilton Hotel provided by the State Government of Jalisco)