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Annual Meeting of the Members, Volunteers and Associates on
Program Planning for-2022-2023

Date: October 22, 2022 (Saturday)

Location: Meeting Room A, Crofton Library, 1681 Riedel Rd, Crofton, MD 21114

Begins at: 10:30 AM US (EDT); India - 8:00 PM; China/Philippines – 10:30 PM



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FINAL AGENDA

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Registration/Introductions

- PPT - 1**  **PPT - A** 
1. Attendees – sign in - **(10:15 – 10:30 AM)**
 2. Welcome - **William E. Roper (5 mins.)**
 3. Introduction – **Subijoy Dutta (5 mins) –**


A. Project Updates, Plans for 2023


10:40 AM (EDT) – China and




Philippines

- 10:40 – 10:50 PM (Local time) Philippines (Noel/Neil (Summarize 2023 plan), Mary Grace, Evelyn Belleza, Lito Pogoy, Jasmine. –Rivers– Iloilo, Tigum, Butuanon (Cebu)

PPT - 2  10:50 – 11:00 PM (Local) China, (Ms. **Hong Zhao**/Yi Heng – Yangtze River 2023 plan)


PPT - 3  11:00 AM ROW Activities -2021-22 and Plans -2022-23 – **Subijoy Dutta.**
Q&A - 10 minutes


11:30 AM EDT - India  (9:00 PM IST) and Nepal

(group a. to f. 10 min. ea.)

PPT - 4  a. **Anup Samantaray, and Sarat Sahu**, SOA Univ. Bhubaneswar, India

PPT - 5  b. **Sucharit Dutta** - Kolkata, India

PPT - 6  c. **Suresh Soman** – Water Filters – Yamuna New Delhi, and Gokul


PPT - 7  d. **Sudhir Nautiyal** – Himalayan English School(HES) (Uttarakhand)

i. **Neha Negi** (student -HES) – Sustainable Development

e. **Pranuj Malla** - Kathmandu, Nepal. Well water filtration, covid Issues.

f. **Nagjyoti Bollapragada** – Update on Krishna River, Maharashtra

Q & A – 15 minutes

PPT - 8  12:50 PM – WWD 2022 – **Award Announcements**

1:00 - 1:45 PM - Lunch (provided)

1:45 –PM (EDT)

- Updates from US & Europe team: (California, Illinois, Maryland/DC, Oklahoma; Zurich, Switzerland)

Maryland -**Fred Tutman**, Patuxent Riverkeeper

California -**Salvador Rico**, Env. Sustainability Rotary Action Group (ESRAG), Ukiah, California

- **John Kalish**, Palm Desert, California

PPT - 9 → Illinois - **Prakasam Tata**, ESRAG, Rotarian, Naperville, IL

Wash. DC - **Bill Roper, Subijoy Dutta** – Planning WWD 2023 March.

Oklahoma - **Daryl Jackson**, Poteau, OK

PPT - 10 → Europe (Switzerland) –**Marc Emmenegger**, ROW member, Zurich, Switzerland

2:30 –PM (EDT)

–**William E. Roper**

PPT - 11 → a.
b.

Water aspect of smart growth strategies -sustainable cities

Discuss new developments at NASA and potential applications to projects.

Q & A

B. GROUP Discussion –

3:00 PM

Lead: **Subijoy Dutta, Matt Perry, Vikram Pattarkine, and Subi Subramanian**
Action Items For the Coming Year 2022-2023 (low-pandemic)

- i. Environmental Training Seminars – Washington, DC - USA
Bhubaneswar, Hyderabad, Vizianagaram – India, Kathmandu – Nepal , Iloilo city – Philippines.
- ii. Climate Resilience and Revival Projects – Khatling Glacier, Uttarakhand, Kerala Floods/Landslides India
- iii. Climate change – Water-Energy nexus- **Subi Subramanian**
- iv. Water Quality Testing/Monitoring – Rishikesh, Ghansali, Gokul, Kolkata, Sangli (India); Iloilo, Cebu (Philippines);
- v. Murals - Ghansali, Kolkata and others by Jeff Huntington, 2023
- vi. Ponds/Lakes Restoration – Kolkata, Mysuru, Maharashtra

PPT -12 →

Q & A

Place **Qs** in Chat Box.

Participants w/ Qs – **provide your emails for responses.**

3:30 PM

C. Fundraising plus

- **William E. Roper** (Memberships and responsibilities)
- **Subijoy Dutta** (RFPs) – pursue grants
- **Donald Henry** (Grant writing and Financial Report)

D. Wrap Up

- **Q?s** received through chat box – email: Qs Rowfoundation@gmail.com

4:00 PM

Adjourn - Help with Conference Room Tables/Chairs re-stack/fold

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