

SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE & NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT WORKING GROUP (SANRM-WG)

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**Meeting Agenda
Wednesday March 23, 2016
9am – 11.30 am**

NGO Resource Centre meeting room, Trung Tu Diplomatic Compound, room 201, building E3
NO. 6 Dang Van Ngu, Dong Da, Hanoi, Vietnam

Time	Content	Responsible
9:00 – 9:10	Introduction – Review agenda	Mr. Trung from VECO
9:10 – 9:40	Sharing results from USAID Mekong ARCC Project in Kien Giang Province. Small rice-shrimp farming pilot resulted in improved government policy for sustainable rice-shrimp farming across 5 Mekong Delta provinces Q&A	Joseph Vile from the Research Center for Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change, Asian Management and Development Institute.
9:40 – 10:00	Sharing on new Project SOFF - Safe and Organic Food Finder Project	Mr. Trung from VECO
10:00 – 10:30	Sharing from other participants	Such as advocacy plan for CC smart agriculture guideline for MARD from SRD
10:30 – 11:00	Review Plan for 2016 as below table	Van Anh from CHIASE

Action Plan for 2016

Area of intervention as in SARNM 2015 Annual Report	Specific Activities/Topic for discussion	Responsible
a. Participation & expansion	Discuss turnover the chairs/co-chairs of the SANRM working group. Increase to 8-10 core group members.	All
b. Development of an effective communication strategy for the WG.	Need to refine communication strategy	All

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c. Learning forum and discussions on critical issues and emerging topics, such as, GMO, Organic Farming/Agriculture, Climate-Smart Agriculture, etc.	Discuss topics and the way to organize sharing and learning for 2016: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing from members • From outside researchers/experts 	All
d. Promotion and dissemination of SANRM practices & technologies.	Any material need to be developed, compiled and shared	all
e. Policy dialogue and advocacy on the themes and issues of (a) Sustainable Agriculture and Agriculture Re-structuring in Vietnam, (b) GMO, (c) Green Growth Strategy, and (d) Organic Farming.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joint advocacy activity with SRD on CC smart agriculture guideline for MARD from SRD? 	all
f. Activity of Sub-group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GMO Sub-Group? • Organic Farming Sub-Group? 	Two Sub-Group representatives
g. Opportunities/challenges	Joint activities and commitment from group's members.	Trung – All.