Widening and strengthening MPA stakeholder engagement through integrated Ecosystem based approach

WCCBMPA Governance Activity 3 workshop 3
Recap: WCCBMPA Activities

- 3 Fishermen Consultation meeting.
MPA Governance: WCCBMPA Activities

1 Multi-stakeholder meeting with fishermen, Yachting sector, Marina operators and developers.
Preliminary Findings

* lack of coordination and communication between government departments in the current process of WCCMPA planning.

* More information is needed to see how the MPA management plan is going to deal with cumulative pollution (Factory & Yachting industry) problem in the bay.
A clear vision is needed to see how the ongoing marina development and private home developments will be incorporated in the WCCBMPA management planning.
This issue had been also frequently highlighted by National Implementation Strategic Partnership members, how current national natural resource economic development plans in the MPAs or in protected areas going to be addressed by respective protected area management plan.
Introduction

• higher recognition of strengthening and integrating all sectors that impact the protected areas planning, management, regulation and enforcement.

• There is greater need for understanding the diverse mix of regulations.
The complexity of the issues facing in case of WCCB require that governance must be integrated, just as ecosystems are interconnected.

Governance that allows and promotes cooperation between agencies, between governments, and between government and other institutions is essential.
Ecosystem based approach provides this integrated approach. It seeks to link previously sector-based management to consider the full range of uses that affect an ecosystem or ecosystems.

Rather than single sector management, the EBM process seeks management of the whole ecosystem; integrating all sectors that impact, or are impacted by, the ecosystem; with coordinated management at all levels relevant.
Objectives

* To apply integrated ecosystem based approach to WCCBMPA management planning process.
* To develop clear informative and procedural understanding with different government sectors in relation to industrial development and resource management and biodiversity protection and strengthen the relationship.
Method: Administrative

* Agreement on the integrated approach
* Workshop agenda.
* Invite letter to the PS: Call for high level inter-sectorial integration.
* Invite letter to the departments
* Workshop presentations: Fisheries MPA plans and what is Integrated EBM approach
* Facilitator
List of target Institutions

- Ministry of Finance: Physical planning unit (PPU).
- Grenada industrial development Commission, (GIDC).
- Clarke’s Court Rum Distillery, Grenada Distillers Limited (GDL).

Is the largest distillery in Grenada? The distillery wastewater outfall is in the WCCB MPA.

- National Water Sewage Authority (NWSA).

Is responsible for the treatment and disposal of liquid sewerage.

- MAFF: Department of land, Fisheries and Forestry
Results: 3 main stakeholder groups

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Stakeholder analysis

* Table 2: Multi stakeholder Matrix.
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Creating an enabling environment for cross-sector engagement is a key step towards integrated ecosystem based.

- Necessary steps recognized in the participatory approach during this exercise was the
  - High level commitment and call
  - Consult interagency liaisons early in the planning process, organized around specific issues.
Enabling Administration and communication systems for EBM approach

More capacity building is needed with government officials (decision makers) in integrated EBM process and systematic steps.

EBM process initiation and process is long and needs stronger drive, coordination, national and expert support.
Questions