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CĂTRE BIROUL PERMANENT

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Vă informez că am primit invitația de a participa, în perioada 9-12 iunie a.c., la conferința „**Regiuni pentru un viitor durabil**”, eveniment organizat sub patronajul domnului János Áder, președintele Republicii Ungaria, cu ocazia celei de a 25-a aniversări de la înființarea Centrului de Mediu Regional pentru Europa Centrală și de Est.

Vă rog să fiți de acord cu motivarea absențelor în perioada mai sus menționată.

De asemenea, vă informez că nu solicit contravaloarea cheltuielilor aferente transportului și cazării.

Anexez invitația primită și programul conferinței.

Cu considerație,

**Borbély László**



**From:** Liisa Joutsenjarvi

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**Subject:** Regions for a Sustainable Future – 25th Anniversary of the REC, 10-11 June 2015, Szentendre, Hungary

Dear Mr Borbély,

We are delighted to extend to you an invitation from Ms Marta Szigeti Bonifert, Executive Director of the Regional Environmental Center for Central and Eastern Europe (REC), to participate in the high-level event "Regions for a Sustainable Future" on the occasion of the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the REC on 10-11 June 2015 at the REC Conference Centre in Szentendre, Hungary. The event will be organised under the patronage of H.E. Mr János Áder, the President of the Republic of Hungary.

The 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the REC is a momentum for jointly shaping strategies in light of the regional priorities and the post-2015 development agenda. The REC was founded 25 years ago to catalyse and facilitate the transition to democracy, stability and sustainable growth in Central and Eastern Europe. Having evolved into an international organisation with regional focus and experience, the REC is today serving its members and partners as a multi-stakeholder platform for sustainability.

We would very much appreciate your presence at and contribution to the high-level event. Please find attached the draft programme and kindly confirm your participation by submitting the online registration form at <http://www.rec.org/registration> by 28 May 2015.

Thanking for your cooperation, we are looking forward to embarking with you on a path for the next 25 years of the REC.

Sincerely yours,  
Liisa Joutsenjarvi

**Liisa Joutsenjärvi**

Senior Expert, Executive Director's Office

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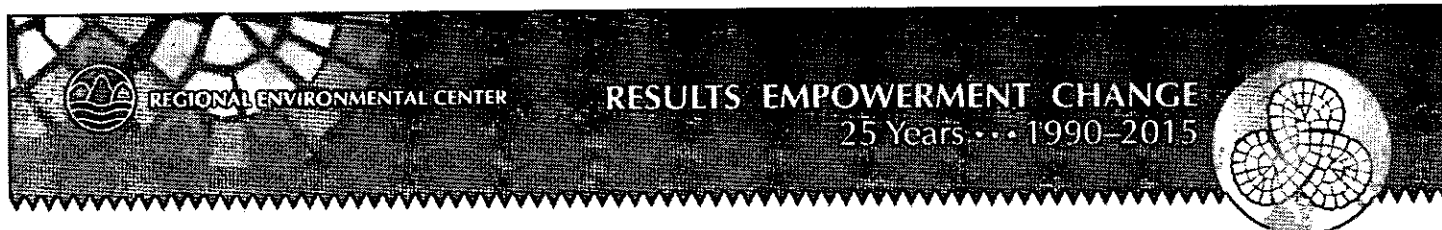
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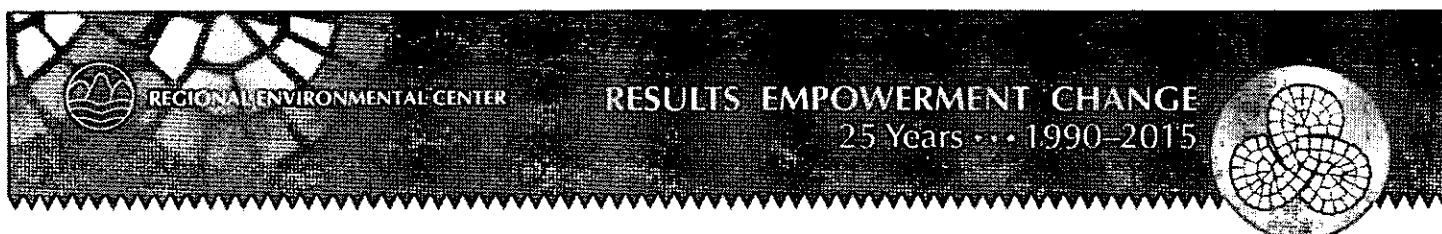
## REGIONS FOR A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

Results – Empowerment – Change: the REC towards the next 25 years

*The event is organised under the patronage of H.E. Mr János Áder, the President of the Republic of Hungary*

Venue: REC Conference Centre, Ady Endre ut 9-11, Szentendre, Hungary

| <b>Wednesday 10 June 2015</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| Time                          | Agenda item                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 17:00 – 18:00                 | Registration                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 18:00 – 18:15                 | Welcome                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|                               | Andrzej Kassenberg, Chair of the REC Board of Directors<br>Marta Szigeti Bonifert, REC Executive Director                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 18:15 – 19:15                 | <b>Roundtable discussion</b><br><b>Part 1: Results</b><br><b>Moderator - Elaine Wright</b><br><br><i>A "before and after" retrospective on the REC's key successes and highlights of 25 years, and overall changes in the region. How have the REC programmes created results that benefit the stakeholders in the region?</i> |
| 19:30 – 21:30                 | <b>Garden Reception on the occasion of the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the REC</b><br><br>Welcome: Miklos Verseghe-Nagy, Mayor of the town of Szentendre<br>Guest of Honour: Prof. János Martonyi, former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Hungary                                                                            |
|                               | <i>Poster Session with REC Experts</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>Thursday 11 June 2015</b>  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Time                          | Agenda item                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 08:30 – 09:30                 | Registration                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 09:30 – 10:30                 | <b>Welcome and the REC Founders' keynotes</b><br><br>Andrzej Kassenberg, Chair of the REC Board of Directors<br>H.E. Janos Ader, the President of the Republic of Hungary<br>William K. Reilly, former Administrator of US Environmental Protection Agency<br>Representative of the European Commission                        |
| 10:30 – 11:30                 | <b>High-level session</b><br><b>Part 2: Empowerment</b><br><b>Moderator - Anita Orban</b><br><br><i>How have the REC programmes empowered beneficiaries and increased ownership and commitment to the organisation?</i>                                                                                                        |



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| 11:30 – 12:00 | <i>Break &amp; Press Conference</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | <b>High-level session</b><br><b>Part 3: Change</b><br><b>Moderator - Jari Vilen</b><br><br><i>How has the REC adapted to the constant change in the region to deliver successful programmes? How can change create opportunities and mandates for the REC to meet future challenges?</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 13:00 – 13:30 | <b>Summary of the key points of the sessions</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 13:30 – 15:00 | <i>Lunch, Poster Session &amp; Bilateral Meetings</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 15:00 – 17:00 | <b>Meeting of the REC General Assembly (GA)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opening of the session by the GA President</li> <li>• Approval of the agenda and the minutes of GA 2014</li> <li>• Introduction to the debate on the implementation of the REC Strategy for 2016-2020</li> <li>• Discussion in three parallel working groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Result 1: Strengthened environmental governance;</li> <li>Result 2: Promoted low emission development, enhanced resilience to impacts of climate change, and fostered healthier lifestyles;</li> <li>Result 3: Improved natural resource management</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Reports of the working groups by the selected rapporteurs</li> <li>• Discussion and closing of the session</li> </ul><br>GA members, co-opted members and observers |
| 17:00 – 17:30 | <i>Break</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 17:30 – 18:30 | <b>Meeting of the Signatories to the REC Charter (Closed session for the Signatories)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adoption of the Political Declaration</li> <li>• Signing of the REC Charter by the Government of Cyprus</li> <li>• Election of the Members of the REC Board of Directors</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 18:30         | <b>Social event for the participants and the REC staff</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |