

## Provisional agenda

(\* includes a draft resolution)

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1.	Opening statements	No documents
	1.1 Chair of the Standing Committee (United Arab Emirates)	
	1.2 Director General of the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)	
	1.3 International Organization Partners	
	1.4 Secretary General of the Convention	
<b>Procedural matters</b>		
2.	Adoption of the provisional agenda	SC59 Doc.2
3.	Adoption of the provisional working programme	SC59 Doc.3
4.	Admission of observers	SC59 Doc.4
<b>Administrative and financial matters</b>		
5.	Report of the Executive Team and Chair of the Standing Committee	SC59 Doc.5
6.	Report of the Secretary General	SC59 Doc.6
7.	Report of the Management Working Group	Document to be confirmed
8.	Financial and budgetary matters: Report of the Subgroup on Finance	
	8.1 Report on financial matters for 2018-2020 including the audited statements for 2020	SC59 Doc.8.1
	8.2 Status of annual contributions	SC59 Doc.8.2
	8.3 Budget scenarios for 2022-2024 and draft resolution on financial and budgetary matters *	SC59 Doc.8.3
	8.4 Potential financial implications of draft resolutions	SC59 Doc. 8.4
<b>Strategic matters</b>		
9.	Urgent challenges to the wise use of wetlands to receive enhanced attention: Best practices in the development of wetland inventories	SC59 Doc.9
10.	Report of the Working Group on the Review of the Strategic Plan of the Ramsar Convention *	SC59 Doc.10
11.	Report of the Effectiveness Working Group *	SC59 Doc.11
12.	Review of the Rules of Procedure	SC59 Doc.12

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13.	Review of all previous Resolutions and decisions	SC59 Doc.13.1, SC59 Doc 13.2, SC59 Doc.13.3
14.	Report of the Working Group on Observer status in the United Nations General Assembly	SC59 Doc.14
15.	Roles and responsibilities of the Standing Committee *	SC59 Doc.15
16.	Enhancing the Convention's visibility and synergies with other multilateral environmental agreements and other international institutions *	SC59 Doc.16
17.	Communication, capacity building, education, participation and awareness (CEPA)	
	17.1 Report of the Chair of the CEPA Oversight Panel	SC59 Doc.17.1
	17.2 Report of the Secretariat on World Wetlands Day	No document
	17.3 World Wetlands Day themes for 2022-2024	SC59 Doc.17.3
	17.4 Implementation of Resolution XIII.1 on World Wetlands Day (declaration by the United Nations General Assembly)	No document
18.	Work plan of the Secretariat for 2021	SC59 Doc.18
19.	Management of requests for data	SC59 Doc.19
<b>Implementation matters</b>		
20.	Preparation of the 14th meeting of the Conference of the Parties	
	20.1 Report of the Subgroup on COP14	No document
	20.2 Report of the Secretariat on COP14	SC59 Doc.20.2
	20.3 The Ramsar Wetland Conservation Awards	SC59 Doc.20.3 for discussion in closed session – document to members of the Subgroup on COP14 only
	20.4 Process for preparation and review of draft resolutions	SC59 Doc.20.4
21.	Ramsar Regional Initiatives	
	21.1 Report of the Ramsar Regional Initiatives Working Group *	SC59 Doc.21.1
	21.2 Report of the Secretariat on the Ramsar Regional Initiatives	SC59 Doc.21.2
22.	Report of the Co-chairs of the Independent Advisory Committee on Wetland City Accreditation *	SC59 Doc.22 for discussion in closed session – document to SC members only
23.	Update on the status of Sites on the List of Wetlands of International Importance *	SC59 Doc.23
24.	Draft resolutions submitted by Contracting Parties	
<b>Scientific matters</b>		
25.	Report of the Chair of the Scientific and Technical Review Panel	SC59 Doc.25

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26.	Draft resolution on future implementation of scientific and technical aspects of the Convention for 2022-2024 *	SC59 Doc. 26
<b>Concluding matters</b>		
27.	Dates and venues of the 60th and 61st meetings of the Standing Committee	No document
28.	Adoption of the report of the meeting	No document
29.	Any other business	No document
30.	Closing remarks	No document