



Open Meeting for the EAAF Partnership at Ramsar COP11 July 5th, 2012, 17:30-19:30 *ROOM 8, Branco-Vanesc, Palace of Parliament, Bucharest, Romania*

1. Theme of the Meeting

The meeting is to introduce Ramsar delegates from the Asia-Pacific region to EAAFP, explain the relationship between EAAFP and Ramsar, encourage communication and collaboration between Ramsar and EAAFP, particularly in regard to site nomination to the EAAFP Flyway Site Network as well as to invite government partners to join the EAAFP.

Participating organizations are EAAFP Partners, National Focal Points of Ramsar and Potential Partners. It is an open meeting in which all relevant Ramsar parties are encouraged to participate. The *Branco-Vanesc* (Room 8) is the same venue as the Asia/Oceania regional meeting, immediately preceding this EAAFP meeting. Dinner boxes will be provided during the meeting. Please kindly RSVP (communication@eaaflyway.net) at your earliest convenience.

2. About EAAFP

The Partnership for the East Asian-Australasian Flyway (EAAFP) is an informal and voluntary initiative of government and non-government partners, aimed at protecting migratory waterbirds, their habitats and the livelihoods of people who depend on them. It is a Ramsar Regional Initiative. The EAAFP spans 22 countries and includes critical sites and habitats for over 50 million migratory waterbirds. There are currently 27 partners, comprising 14 countries, 3 intergovernmental agencies, 9 international non-government organisations and one transnational corporation. For More information on EAAFP please visit www.eaaflyway.net

Program

Time	Agenda: Chair Dr Sunleang Srey, Chair of EAAFP (Cambodia)
17:30-17:40	Opening Remarks: Yoo Yeon-Chul, Republic of Korea, Head of Standing Committee of Ramsar
	1. Introductory Session
17:40-17:50	1.1 Introduce Attendees
17:50-18:00	1.2 Introduction of EAAFP, its relationship to Ramsar, and the Flyway Site Network: Spike Millington, Chief Executive, EAAFP Secretariat
18:00-18:10	1.3 Ramsar and EAAFP: Future Directions: Lew Young, Regional Coordinator for Asia and Oceania, Ramsar Secretariat
18:10-18:20	Dinner
18:20-18:30	2. Progress, Plans and Partners
18:20-18:40	2.1 Presentation by China, Experience and Future Prospects: Lei Guangchun, Vice-Chair EAAFP Beijing Forestry University
18:40- 18:50	2.2 Presentation by Indonesia, Host of MoP, EAAFP in Indonesia: Agus Sriyadi Budi Sutito, Ministry of Forestry, Indonesia
18:50-19:00	2.3 Presentation by Japan: EAAFP and Ramsar: Linkages from a Country Perspective, Nobuhiko Kishimoto, Birdlife International
19:00-19:20	3. Q&A and Any Other Issues
19:20-19:30	4. Group photo session