



## Agenda

### Green Building in North America: International Symposium

Seattle, Washington  
1–2 May 2007

#### TUESDAY, 1 MAY

#### BACKGROUND PAPER PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLIC DISCUSSION

Bertha Knight Landes Room, Seattle City Hall

8:15–8:45     **Registration**

8:45–9:00     **Welcome**

Adrián Vázquez  
Executive Director, Commission for Environmental Cooperation (CEC)

9:00–9:30     **Opening remarks**

Mayor Greg Nickels  
City of Seattle, Washington

Jonathan Westeinde  
Managing Partner, Windmill Development Group  
Chairperson, CEC Advisory Group on Green Building

David Morillón  
National Autonomous University of Mexico

Irene Henriques  
Chair, CEC Joint Public Advisory Committee (JPAC)

9:30–9:45     **Overview of the CEC green building report process**

Geoffrey Garver  
CEC Secretariat

9:45–11:00   **Background Paper One: *Green Building Scenarios for 2030***

**Moderator:** Anne Auger  
Director of Buildings Division, Natural Resources Canada

9:45–10:30     **Presentation by authors**

Odón de Buen  
Chairman, Energy, Technology and Education (ENTE), Mexico City

Steven Selkowitz  
Head, Building Technologies Department, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory,  
Berkeley, California

Martin Adelaar  
Principal, Marbek Resource Consultants, Ltd., Ottawa, Canada

10:30–11:00   **Public comment and discussion**

- 11:00–11:15 **Break**
- 11:15–12:30 **Background Paper Two: *Working Towards Green Building Financing and Market Consolidation***  
**Moderator:** Susan MacLaurin  
 Vice President, GWL Realty Advisors, Vancouver, British Columbia
- 11:15–12:00 **Presentation by authors**
- Luis Antonio García Díaz  
 Sinergia Capital, Mexico City
- Leanne Tobias  
 Principal, Malachite LLC, Washington, DC
- Chris Corps  
 Principal, Asset Strategics, Victoria, British Columbia
- 12:00–12:30 **Public comment and discussion**
- 12:30–2:00 **Lunch with speakers**  
 Gene Duvernoy, President, Cascade Land Conservancy  
 Joe Van Belleghem, Managing Partner, Windmill Development Group
- 2:00–3:15 **Background Paper Three: *Institutional Efforts for Green Building***  
**Moderator:** Don Horn  
 Director, Sustainable Design Program, US General Services Administration, Washington, DC
- 2:00–2:45 **Presentation by authors**
- Ramiro Barrio  
 Project Leader, Mario Molina Center, Mexico City, Mexico
- Alex Wilson  
 President, Building Green, Brattleboro, Vermont
- Doug Webber  
 Halsall Associates Limited, Toronto, Canada
- 2:45–3:15 **Public comment and discussion**
- 3:15–3:30 **Break**
- 3:30–4:45 **Background Paper Four: *Working Towards Accessible and Sustainable Housing***  
**Moderator:** Evangelina Hirata Nagasako  
 Undersecretary, Housing Growth Development, National Housing Commission of Mexico (Conavi)
- 3:30–4:15 **Presentation by authors**
- Innes Hood  
 Senior Associate, The Sheltair Group, Vancouver, British Columbia
- Fernando Mayagoitia  
 Lean House Consulting, Mexicali, Mexico
- Steven Winter  
 Founder, Steven Winter Associates, Inc. (SWA), Norwalk, Connecticut; FAIA
- 4:15–4:45 **Public comment and discussion**
- 4:45–5:15 **Closing discussion**  
 Commission for Environmental Cooperation

## TUESDAY, 1 MAY

### URBAN SUSTAINABILITY FORUM

Benaroya Hall Auditorium, 200 University Street

- 5:30      **Reception**
- 6:30–8:00      **City of Seattle and the Commission for Environmental Cooperation present an Urban Sustainability Forum – *Green Building in 2030 and Beyond: A North American Perspective***
- Bob Berkebile  
Principal, BNIM Architects, Kansas City, Missouri
- Jonathan Westeinde  
Managing Partner, Windmill Development Group, Ottawa, Ontario
- José Picciotto  
Founder, Picciotto Architects, Mexico City

## WEDNESDAY, 2 MAY

### PUBLIC FORUM HOSTED BY THE CEC'S JOINT PUBLIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Hotel Monaco Seattle, 1101 4th Avenue

- 8:00–9:00      **Registration of participants**
- 9:00–9:10      **Welcome and opening remarks by the JPAC Chair, Irene Henriques**
- 9:10–10:15      **Green building presentations**
- Jeff Slye, Kimpton Hotels and Restaurant Group
- Lynne Barker, City of Seattle, Dept. of Planning and Development
- Arq. Alfonso X. Iracheta, National Coordinator, Mexican Network of Cities Moving Toward Sustainability (RMCS)
- Thomas Mueller, President, Canadian Green Building Council
- Jason McLennan, US Green Building Council, Cascadia Chapter
- 10:15–2:15      **Public Forum on CEC Green Building Papers**  
Facilitated by Environmental Consultant, Joel Ann Todd
- 10:15–11:00      **General discussion: *Green Building Scenarios for 2030***  
**Moderator:** Jean Guy Dépôt  
President, Estrie Regional Environment Council, Quebec;  
JPAC member for Canada
- 11:00–11:45      **General discussion: *Working Towards Green Financing and Market Consolidation***  
**Moderator:** Gordon Lambert  
Vice President, Sustainable Development, Suncor Energy Inc.;  
JPAC member for Canada
- 11:45–12:30      **General discussion: *Institutional Efforts for Green Building***  
**Moderator:** Carlos Sandoval  
President, National Council of Industrial Ecologists (Conieco), Mexico;  
JPAC member for Mexico

12:30–1:30    **Networking lunch (provided)**

**Public Forum on CEC Green Building Papers (continued)**

1:30 – 2:15    **General discussion: *Working Towards Accessible and Sustainable Housing***  
**Moderator:** Patricia Clarey  
 Chief Operating Officer, Health Net of California;  
 JPAC member for the United States

2:15–3:00    **Wrap-up discussion**

## WEDNESDAY, 2 MAY

### REGULAR SESSION OF THE JPAC

Hotel Monaco Seattle, 1101 4th Avenue

*The Joint Public Advisory Committee (JPAC) is composed of fifteen members who are appointed by the governments of Canada, Mexico and the United States. Its members act independently and their responsibility is to provide advice to the CEC's governing Council, and information to the CEC Secretariat.*

- 3:15–3:30    **Report by Adrián Vázquez, CEC Executive Director, on CEC developments since the last JPAC meeting**
- 3:30–3:45    **Report from the National and Governmental Advisory Committee representatives**
- 3:45–4:30    **JPAC follow-up and administrative matters**
  - a) Next JPAC meeting and Council Session in Mexico
  - b) Discussion of 2007 JPAC priorities and other meetings
- 4:30–5:00    **Observers' comments**
- 5:00    **End of session**

