



# NATURE BASED SOLUTIONS INVESTORS FORUM 2022

Positioning Zambia to become a preferred destination for green investments  
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## ABSTRACT

The relationship between the ecosystem and economy has proved that economic solutions cannot be derived in isolation from nature. Economic benefits are directly deduced from nature, agricultural produce, minerals, water, livestock, and forests thus, positioning nature at the core of economic growth. However, over the years the rapid deterioration of the natural environment has produced adverse effects to the climate and weather patterns leading to a rise in natural disasters such as floods, droughts, change in rainfall and extreme temperatures.

Governments across the globe are committing a lot of resources towards net zero carbon emissions. Similarly, Zambia has not lagged behind in these discourses. The government of Zambia introduced the Ministry of Green Economy and Environment, with a goal to green Zambia's economy and curb the effects of climate change. It is estimated that the impact of climate change will cost Zambia approximately 0.4% of annual economic growth. It is further estimated that without action, rainfall variability alone could lead to losses of 0.9% of GDP growth over the next decade, thereby keeping a significant section of Zambia's population below the poverty line as well as cause disruption in biodiversity. (Zambia's 7th NDP, p.36)

Consensus has been on the need to have a multisectoral approach to combat climate change. To this effect both private and public sectors have to work together to lead the desired change. Policy must be forward looking as well as all-encompassing to drive the green agenda and protect biodiversity for a sustainable economic growth. At the same time the private sector needs to clearly appreciate sustainability in business and the communities they do business in order to grow sustainably. Most of these private sector players will have to incur transitional expenses, while others may have origination overlays. At present there remains a huge gap between nature conservation and financing options. This thus leaves a critical need for tailored financial instruments targeted at sustainability of the environment and biodiversity.

In view of the above, WWF partnering with the Capital Markets Association of Zambia and the Securities Exchange Commission bring to you this engagement that will bring policy makers, executive leads, Boards, Investors, capital market players as well as other key sectors into one room to provide a thorough debate on various themes from environment to capital financing for green projects initiatives. The primary emphasis of the Conference will be on presenting status of the actions that the country has taken in greening the economy by mitigating the impacts of climate change. We will also highlight the various progress and financing opportunities within the financial and capital market sector supporting sustainability projects. The conference will also address key opportunities and challenges and address any actions for aggressive uptake of green financing going forward. The theme of this investor conference is dubbed "Current State of Zambia's Nature Based Solutions".



# Keynote Speakers



Hon Collins Nzovu  
Minister of Green Economy and Environment



Hon Rodney Sikumba  
Minister of Tourism



Dr. Danny Kalyalya  
Governor of the Bank Of



Mrs Nkombo Nachilala  
Country Director WWF Zambia



Mr Philip Chitalu  
CEO Securities and Exchange  
Zambia



Mr Nicholas Kabaso  
President of Capital Markets  
Association of Zambia



Mrs Mizinga Melu  
CEO ABSA



Mrs Mukwandi Chibesakunda  
CEO ZANACO



Director General  
NAPSA



Mr Mwindwa Siakalima  
CEO Stanbic Bank



Phil Daka  
Zambia Chamber of Commerce.



Mr. Oswald Magwenzi  
CEO – Zambia Sugar



Mr. Mundia Mundia.  
CEO - ZAFFICO



Walter Rooltd  
CEO ZAMBEEF



Mrs. Priscilla Sampa  
Lusaka Securities Exchange



Mrs. Ella Chembe  
Zambia Farmers Union



Mr. Andrew Chibuye  
CEO PWC



## Who can attend?

Policy makers, Non-governmental Organizations leading green projects, International Organizations supporting green financing, Capital Market Operators, Regulators, Corporate Institutions, Farming and Mining Unions representatives, chambers of commerce and Auditors.

## Venue:

This Investor Conference will take place in Livingstone from the 2nd,3rd and 4th June, 2022 at the Protea Hotel. Confirmations for sponsorship or participation can be sent via the following address: [info@cmaz.co.zm](mailto:info@cmaz.co.zm) | [marketing@cmaz.co.zm](mailto:marketing@cmaz.co.zm) | [fmusana@wwfzam.org](mailto:fmusana@wwfzam.org)/Number, +260 970 787 866

## EXPECTED OUTCOMES FOR THE CONFERENCE

The following are among the many expected outcomes from the conference.

- a) **Outline the global agenda on sustainability and understand Zambia's current policy direction and strategies to enforce sustainability**
  - Understand the environmental and climate risks across key economic sectors and the dangers these pose to economic sustainability
  - Outline Zambia's policy direction for the sustainability development agenda in line with the sustainability development goals (SDGs)
  - Discuss the current state of Zambia's measuring carbon emission , progress towards zero carbon emissions and incentives around carbon credits
  - Highlight the status quo on Zambia's National Determined Contributions
  - Brief outline of Zambia's financing needs for the sustainability agenda



**b) Understanding the key financing opportunities and the regulatory framework in Zambia's green financing agenda**

- Outline the legal and regulatory framework on Green Financing
- Understand the current state of sustainability reporting challenges among listed entities and financial sector players
- Highlight the current landscape of the Green Finance in Zambia – BioFin
- Showcase some of innovative Innovative funding mechanisms for Nature based Solutions.

**c) Understand how critical financial sectors such as National Pension Fund can take a leading role to unlocking the massive opportunity to enable green finance.**

- showcase some of the lessons learnt from peer markets and explore how Zambia can turn its challenges into opportunities.
- NAPSA the key to unlocking Green Finance
- Alternative Fund Managers and Green Finance – Tue Kukula
- Wrap Up

# BOOKING FORM

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ARRIVAL		
Time	Activity	Responsibility
10:00	Arrival and check in of Delegates	Organizing Committee
FIRST DAY		
07:00-08:30	Registration of Delegates	All
08:30-08:45	Foreword by WWF Foreword by CMAZ	Ms. Nachilala Chilala Nkombo Mr. Nicholas Kabaso
08:45-09:00	Foreword by BOZ Governor	Dr. Denny Kalyalya
09:00-09:15	Foreword by SEC	Mr Philip Chitalu
09:15 -09:50	OFFICIAL OPENING REMARKS	Hon Collins Nzovu
09:50-10:10	TEA BREAK	
10:10-10:40	Current State of Zambia's National Determined Contributions - Overview and current progress, opportunities and challenges	Mr Ephraim Shitima Ministry of Green Economy and Environment
10:40 – 11:00	Legal and regulatory Framework on Green Finance in Zambia	Mr Benson Mwileli SEC
11:00 – 12:00	Strategies for positioning Zambia as preferred global green investment hub.  Panel Discussion: NAPSA Stanbic Bank Biofin Kukula CEC Zanaco Stockbrokers Zambia Pangaea Securities	Mr Phil Daka ZACCI
12:00 – 12:30	Regulatory perspective creating an enabling environment	CMA Kenya
12:30 – 13:00	Plenary Session and Discussion	Bruno Mweemba
LUNCH		



14:00-14:30	A Global Perspective	TBA
14:30-15:00	Zambia's progress towards net zero carbon emission -Measuring Carbon emissions and imple-mentation of Carbon Credits	WWF- Abel Siampele
15:00-15:10	Audience Reactions and Questions	All
15:10-15:30	The role of women in sustainable finance	Moderator : Women Leaders For Climate Actions
<b>15:30 -15:45 TEA BREAK</b>		
15:45-16:45	Water Stewardship: Good for Business, Good for sustainable development.  Panel Discussion: Kascol Trade Kings Manzi Valley Coca Cola Lusaka Water and Sanitation Co Ltd Zesco	Moderator : Mr Chabuka Kawesha
<b>SECOND DAY</b>		
07:00-08:30	Registration of Delegates	All
08:30-08:35	Welcome Remarks and House Keeping	Nicholas Kabaso (CMAZ)
08:35 – 09:05	Sustainability Reporting among Listed Entities – Challenges and opportunities	Mrs Priscilla Sampa CEO LuSE
09:05 – 09:35	Topic: How are the LUSE listed companies tackling Sustainable Development Goals?  Panel Discussion:  Zambia Sugar plc Zambeef plc Zambian Breweries Plc Zaffico Plc CEC	Moderator: David Mwamba Nonde (GIZ Senior Technical Advisor natuRES)
09:35 – 10:05	Sustainability Reporting Audit Perspectives – Challenges and Opportunities	Mr. Andrew Chibuye (CEO PWC )

11:15-12:10	<p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Sustainability- A Real Economy Perspective.</p> <p>ZACCI Chamber of Mines Zambia Manufacturers ZNFU</p>	Moderator Ms Tidale Mwale Chisunka (Pangaea Securities)
12:10-12:30	Sustainable Tourism in Zambia-Environmental Economical and Social Perspective.	Ministry of Tourism and Arts
12:30-13:00hrs	Green Financing-Case Studies	Pangaea Securities
<b>LUNCH</b>		
14:00-14:30	Banking Sustainability Projects Risks and Opportunities	Mr Mwindwa Siakalima, Stanbic Bank, CEO
14:30 – 15:00	Sustainability Agenda – Are we having enough Board Room Conversations?	Mrs Mizinga Melu Absa Bank, CEO
<b>TEA BREAK</b>		
15:20 – 16:20	<p>Moving Beyond the Rhetoric of Sustainability Finance</p> <p>Panel Discussion:</p> <p>1.SEC 2.CMAZ 3.MOF 4.MOGE 5.Stockbrokers Zambia 6.Pangaea Securities</p>	Bruno Mweemba (BioFin Zambia)

16:20-16:50	Nature Based Solutions – Showcase some of the Nature Based Solutions	Mr. Fungai Musana (WWF)
16:50-17:00	WRAP UP	CMAZ
<b>THIRD DAY</b>		
07:00-08:30	Registration of Delegates	All
08:30-08:35	Welcome Remarks and House Keeping Rules	Mrs. Tidale Mwale (CMAZ)
08:35 – 09:05	CASE STUDY: Lessons learnt from Peer Markets – Turning Zambia’s Challenges into Fortunes	Mr. Fungai Musana (WWF)
09:05-09:20	Kenya Issuer that Issued the First Green Bond	
09:20 – 09:45	Unlocking the Potential of Long Term Funding to Support Zambia’s Sustainability Goals	Director General (NAPSA)
09:45 – 10:15	Role of the NABII in Sustainability Financing - Risks and Opportunities in meeting the gaps of both Green and Social Impacts	Mr. Haggai Chomba (NABII)
<b>TEA BREAK</b>		
10:35 – 11:05	Alternative Fund Managers Role in Sustainable Finance – Risks and Opportunities	Mr. Tue Andersen (Kukula)
11:05 – 11:45	Capital Raise: Key Local Market Challenges and Opportunities	Mr. Mundia Mundia (ZAFFICO)
11:45 – 12:00	Questions and Answers	Audience
12:00 – 12:30	Closing REMARKS	Nicholas Kabaso (CMAZ)

