



Protection of Biodiversity of the Sava River Basin Floodplains

Toward the Wise Use of Resources along the Sava River workshop(s)

Lonjsko Polje - Krapje, Croatia, June 9-10, 2009

Invitation letter

Dear Madam/Sir,

On behalf of the LIFE/SDC project *Protection of Biodiversity of the Sava River Basin Floodplains* Project Management Team, and the Public Institution Lonjsko Polje Nature Park, we are pleased to invite you to the "**Toward the Wise Use of Resources along the Sava River**" workshop(s), to be held in Lonjsko Polje Nature Park (Croatia) on 9-10 June 2009 at the premises of the Lonjsko Polje Nature Park, Krapje, Croatia.

Background

The workshop is divided into two days - 'Land use practices along the Sava' (9 June) and 'Toward a coherent ecological network' (10 June). The first day is dedicated to exchange of experience on traditional land use practices along the Sava. The second workshop will be focused on existing management practices in the region, ecological network along the river and integrated Sava River Basin management plan. An excursion to the Sava floodplains is planned on the first day afternoon.

The workshop is designed for those interested in traditional land use practices and biodiversity management and synergies between nature conservation and sustainable development.



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Workshop Logistics

The program is attached to the invitation. The organizers will provide you with the detailed background and logistic information in due course. We invite you to confirm your participation to Lubomira Vavrova at lubomira.vavrova@iucn.org not later than **3rd June 2009**. Please indicate which of the two workshops you are interested to attend and date of your arrival and departure.

The organizers will cover travel costs, accommodation and meals upon submission respective travel claims and invoices.

We look forward to welcoming you in Lonjsko Polje Nature Park.

Yours sincerely,

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