LOCAL AND REGIONAL GOVERNMENTS AT COP23
2017 UN CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE
6-17 NOVEMBER / BONN, GERMANY

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FEATURING THE LEADERS’ SUMMIT, SUMMIT DAYS AND CITIES & REGIONS PAVILION

At the 23rd United Nations Climate Change Conference in November 2017, local and regional governments will once again prove they are at the forefront of climate action. They will show their contribution to accelerating national and global efforts.

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LEADERS’ SUMMIT
The culmination point for all local and regional government proposals, commitments and messages at COP23. It is designed to unlock key partnerships, strengthen collaboration between local and regional governments and facilitate direct interaction with national delegates.

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SUMMIT DAYS
Six consecutive days of heightened activity by local and regional governments before, during and after the Leaders’ Summit. The Summit Days will shape messages delivered to nations and other climate stakeholders.

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CITIES & REGIONS PAVILION
The home base for local and regional governments, offering a space for constant exchanges, meetings and partnership-building.

The Summit will focus on four key themes:

MULTILEVEL GOVERNANCE
TO ACHIEVE NATIONALLY DETERMINED CONTRIBUTIONS
Local and regional governments are in a unique position to help national governments shape and implement national climate action plans and raise their current levels of ambition.

HOLISTIC APPROACHES TO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
Greater synergy among global frameworks is the way forward on sustainability. Local and global action alike can connect climate, sustainable development goals, territorial and urban development, renewable energy, biodiversity, health, resilience and other core issues.

COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS ENGAGEMENT
Participatory planning, stakeholders engagement and awareness-raising with communities and business leaders plays a major role in local action.

PARTNERSHIPS FOR ACTION IN AFRICA, LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES AND SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES
Increased support and collaboration are critical for local and regional governments in Africa, Least Developed Countries and Small Islands Developing States, which face significant climate risks.

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