

# How does the online system showcase PNLG Action?

A PNLG member's profile, including highlights around the targets, management plan, key actions taken, investment opportunities, and a profile of the Local Chief Executive.

Aggregated data will show the collective impact of all PNLG members toward the PNLG Targets, including total population and socio-economic benefits and impacts.

Linkages will be made to the UN SD Goals and SDS-SEA goals and objectives.

# PEMSEA support for the PNLG Members

Tools and methodologies for each step of the process

Technical assistance and training in the use of the tools

Direct support through SeaKnowledgeBank including access to expert services and development and marketing of investable projects

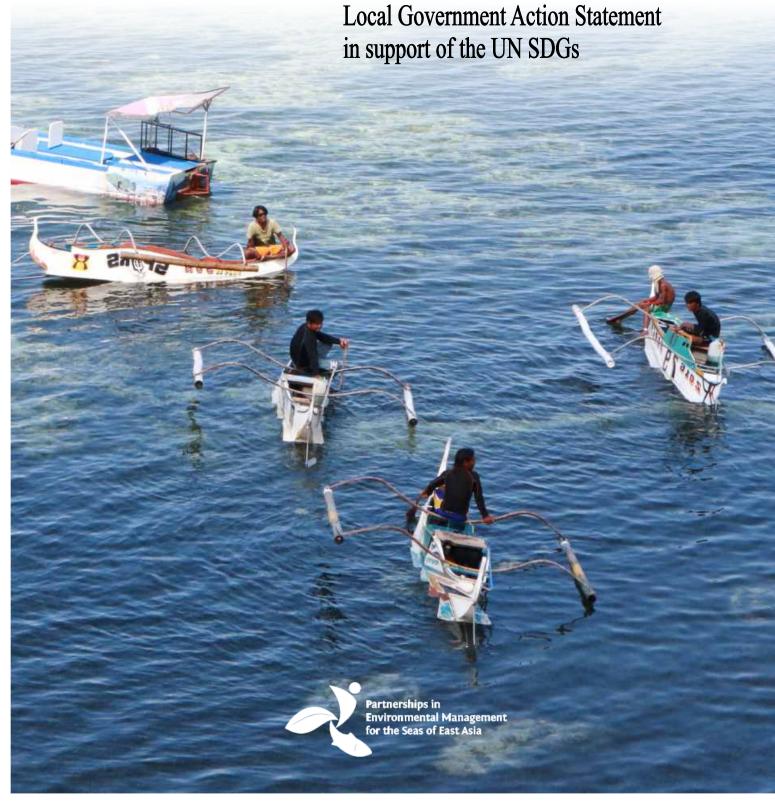


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# PNLG and the ANSAN DECLARATION



### **Situational Analysis**

PNLG Members are already acting – through the implementation of ICM programs – to improve conservation efforts, protect biodiversity, adapt to climate change, reduce pollution, build sustainable communities, but progress too often goes unrecognized and is not measured or reported consistently. Sharing the impact of these ongoing efforts and catalyzing new actions is imperative, in part because of the recently adopted UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), but also as a core objective of the PNLG network.

Real momentum can only occur when national and local governments collaborate – the updated SDS-SEA 2015 and its Implementation Plan 2017-2021 provide the prospect for improving alliances between the two levels of government. The timing is right.

PNLG Members have an enormous opportunity to make even greater impact. The PNLG Members' actions in four sectors of the SDGs — water and sanitation, sustainable communities, climate, and food security and conservation — brings attention to and quantifies local government commitments and actions, provides investment opportunities and enhances investor confidence and capital flows into sustainable development efforts at the sub-national level.





# What makes the PNLG SAP 2016-2021 different and unique?

**No new requirements.** Builds on ICM initiatives that are already underway but focuses on greater impact and recognition for contributions to national, regional and global sustainable development targets.

**Standardizes measurement and reporting** so that data can be used consistently to highlight individual member efforts, as well as the collective impact of the PNLG membership.

**Makes information readily available** to the public through existing knowledge management and marketing platforms.

### How does it work?

**Participation** is voluntary. Registration of a PNLG Member's commitment to UN SD Goal(s) is a significant first step.

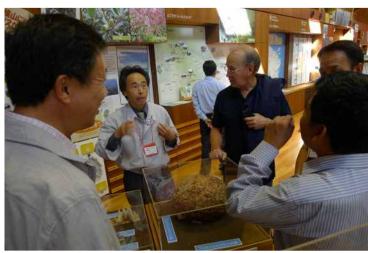
A PNLG member has up to 5 years (2021) to meet a series of requirements and comply with the PNLG SAP.

#### The principal outcomes are:

- a) the establishment of an management plan showing how a PNLG member will deliver on its commitment(s)
- b) reporting on the progress toward the commitment(s) using agreed indicators to measure progress.

Many existing PNLG members have already completed their management plan(s) and can be compliant in fewer than five years.

Monitoring progress and sharing knowledge and lessons across the PNLG and internationally is required in order to maintain a compliant status.



#### **How can the PNLG contribute to the SDGs?**

**PNLG Goals** 

#### **SDG Goals**



Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation



By 2021, implement integrated coastal and water resources management at ICM sites, including across local government jurisdictional boundaries as appropriate.



Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable



By 2021, improve access to and benefits derived from new communities, housing projects and urban renewal programs that are inclusive and sustainable.



Take urgent action to address climate change and its impacts



By 2021, reduce the vulnerability and enhance the resilience of coastal communities to the impacts of climate change and other natural and manmade hazards.



Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development



By 2021, increase the economic benefits to coastal communities/ sectors under the jurisdiction of local government from sustainable use of marine resources including through sustainable management of fisheries, aquaculture and tourism.



Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize global partnerships for sustainable development



Develop technical, financial and institutional capacity of the PNLG to enable the achievements of agreed targets

## **How to participate?**











## REGISTER COMMITMENT

A PNLG Member registers the UN SD Goal(s) that will be the focus of the ICM implementation program, using online reporting platform or a Letter of Intent addressed to PEMSEA and the PNLG Secretariat.

#### BASELINE

The PNLG Member completes a baseline assessment using PEMSEA's SOC reporting system, sector(s). The SOC baseline report is uploaded to the online platform.

#### TARGET

The PNLG Member registers its target(s) under each registered SD Goal(s), specifying concrete and measurable metrics to track performance, based upon scientific assessment (e.g., vulnerability, risk, socio-economic). Each target and supporting assessment report is uploaded to the on-line platform.

#### PLAN

The PNLG Member shows how to deliver on its PNLG target(s) by developing a management plan. The management plan is uploaded to the online platform.

#### SHARE

The PNLG Member reports progress annually to the PNLG Forum; packages and shares ICM Solutions and other knowledge products through local, national and regional knowledge sharing platforms, including the on-line platform.