

THE ICCF GROUP

The ICCF Group is a small non profit organization with several programs focused on international conservation and management of natural resources



THE ICCF GROUP - PARTNERS



THE ICCF GROUP - CAPABILITIES

➤ ICCF Group capabilities are:

1. Engaging political, private sector, and NGO leaders (CCN)
1. Providing technical assistance by highly experienced conservation and other professionals (Conservation Corps + Global Parks)

THE ICCF GROUP – POLITICAL WILL

- Over the past 4 years, the ICCF Group has engaged parliaments in Africa, Latin America, soon Asia and the Caribbean
- **Kenya**
 - **Zambia**
 - **Malawi**
 - **Mozambique**
 - **Botswana**
 - **Uganda**
 - **Colombia**
 - **Peru and Mexico**
 - Others in Africa, soon probably Thailand and others in SE Asia, and Caribbean

THE ICCF GROUP – TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

- The Conservation Corps & Global Parks program is volunteer based and provides technical assistance to NGO and government partners, donating \$millions in services through projects in:
- **Kenya** – Masaai Conservancy (land use strategy)
 - **Colombia** – support to national park service
 - **Haiti** – management plan for largest marine national park
 - **Bahamas** – various national park support and forest management
 - **Thailand** – support to most visited / oldest national park
 - **China** – various projects to support emerging national parks, including development of park system
 - **Mongolia** – scoping forest management / urban forest project
 - **St. Vincent and the Grenadines** – various park support
 - **Jamaica** – development of business plans for 5 national parks

THE ICCF GROUP – TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

➤ Example of technical assistance team ... Kenya conservancy project:

1. Former Deputy Chief of the U.S. Forest Service
2. Former U.S. National Park Service Superintendent for national parks in Washington, Alaska, Utah, and Oregon and Peace Corps Country Director for Zambia
3. Former Chief of Refuges Division of Natural Resources in U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
4. President and CEO of BFA Environmental Consultants (groundwater resource management)
5. Former U.S. National Park Service Regional Director / national park Superintendent / landscape architect

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE – HOW IT WORKS

1. Contact by Government or NGO partner requesting assistance
2. Program team works with Gov. / NGO partner to understand and define need
3. Program team finds qualified experts to be part of technical assistance team
4. Technical assistance team travels to country to provide assistance (if funding is available)
5. Technical assistance trips usually last between 10 days – 21 days
6. Technical assistance projects can consist of 1 trip, or last over many years
7. Technical assistance teams usually conduct work and coordination before / after each trip
8. Sometimes assistance can take place without travel, by Skype / Email / Telephone
9. “Volunteers” are highly experienced practitioners usually with over 30 years experience

COLOMBIA – 15 YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN



COLOMBIA – TRAINING PROGRAMS



COLOMBIA - COMMERCIAL SERVICES



COLOMBIA - INTERPRETATION

