



Conference Speakers

MANAGING SHARED WATERS was pleased to announce the following presenters for the plenary sessions.

Monday June 24, 2002 – Education, Training, Awareness Raising

WELCOME:

Ken Ogilvie, Executive Director, Pollution Probe
Barry Jones, President, Coastal Zone Canada Association

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Honourable David Anderson, President, Governing Council for the United Nations Environment Programme, and Minister of Environment Canada

Elizabeth Dowdeswell, Chair, Counterpart Canada, and former Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme

MORNING CHAIR

Ken Ogilvie, Executive Director, Pollution Probe

PANELISTS

Ralph Daley, Executive Director, United Nations University International Network on Water, Environment and Health

Larry Hildebrand, Manager of Sustainable Communities and Ecosystems, Environment Canada - Atlantic Region

Tuesday June 25, 2002 – Institutional and Participatory Frameworks

WELCOME

Honourable Elizabeth Witmer, Senior Ontario Government Official

MORNING CHAIR

Right Honourable Herb Gray, Chair, Canadian Section, International Joint Commission

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Margaret Catley-Carlson, Chair, Global Water Partnership

PANELISTS:

Michael Donahue, President and CEO, Great Lakes Commission

William Michael Kudoja, Senior Scientist, Lake Victoria Fisheries Commission, Africa

John Karau, UNEP Global Programme of Action for the Protection of the Marine Environment from Land-based Activities

Evening Banquet with **Dr. Joseph MacInnis**

Wednesday June 26, 2002 – Measuring and Understanding Coastal Ecosystems

WELCOME

John Mills, Regional Director General, Environment Canada

MORNING CHAIR

Art Hanson, Ocean Ambassador, Canada

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Chua Thia-Eng, Regional Programme Director, Partnerships in Environmental Management for the Seas of East Asia (PEMSEA)

Gail Krantzberg, Director, Great Lakes Regional Office, International Joint Commission, Windsor

Harvey Shear, Canadian Co-chair, State of the Lakes Environment Conference (SOLEC)

Monthip Tabucanaon, Deputy Director General, Department of Environmental Quality Promotion (DEQP), Thailand

Thursday June 27, 2002 – Infrastructure, Products & Services

WELCOME

Doug Barnes, Assistant Deputy Minister, Ministry of the Environment (to be confirmed)

MORNING CHAIR

Jane Pagel, Vice-President, Jacques Whitford Environmental Limited

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Andrew Benedek, Chairman and CEO, ZENON Environmental Inc

PANELISTS

George Kuper, President, Council of Great Lakes Industries

Steven Halls, Director, UNEP International Environmental Technology Centre

Friday, June 28, 2002 – Finalizing Conference Statement

MORNING CHAIR

Ken Ogilvie, Executive Director, Pollution Probe

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Christine Hogan, Director, Environment Canada

PANELISTS

Patrick Lawrence, Coastal Zone Canada Association

Rick Findlay, Pollution Probe

Ralph Daley, UNU/INWEH

Maxine Westhead, Oceans Biologist, Fisheries and Oceans Canada