







### 35<sup>th</sup> TC-RPPO Bogota, Colombia

Looking ahead to the 2024 IPPC Regional Workshops (RWs)



#### It is not too early to plan for the 2024 IPPC RW

Questions for RPPOs, FAO and partners:

Why an IPPC regional workshop?

**Who** in your region will comprise and lead the 2024 RW organizing committee?

**What** information do you want to prioritize on the RW agenda?

When will the 2024 convene and where?

What month in 2024 will planning begin for your RW?

**How** will RPPOs communicate and engage RW organizing committees to prepare NPPOs for participating in the RW?



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Each IPPC Regional Workshop has organizational, logistical and funding peculiarities and efforts should be made to find a balance between addressing global and regional issues.

A regional workshop organizing committee should be composed of:

- 1. the IPPC Secretariat,
- 2. representatives from the Standards Committee (SC) and the Implementation and Capacity Development Committee (IC),
- 3. co-organizers which are representatives of RPPO(s),
- 4. FAO regional and sub-regional offices,
- 5. host country and any other relevant organizations supporting the workshop.







#### **Roles of RW Organizing Committees**

#### Co-organizers

1. liaise with contracting parties to comment on the draft agenda;

2. provide the facilities needed for the workshop;

3. provide additional logistical arrangements, as agreed with the IPPC Secretariat;

4. provide funds or help mobilize resources;

\$\$\$ Each organizing committee and participant are encouraged to make efforts to help secure funding for their workshop. \$\$\$



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#### A regional workshop organizing committee:

1. Nominates an individual(s) with the appropriate expertise to attend the workshop;

2. Mobilizes resources (full or at least partial) for the attendance of the designated participant;

3. Ensures that the participant selected to represent the NPPO in the workshop has analyzed, before attending the workshop, the draft ISPMs and other documents and completed pre workshop exercises;

4. Ensures the NPPO's comments on draft ISPMs are entered into the Online Comment System (OCS) before the workshop;

5. If applicable, after the workshop, provides additional NPPO's comments on draft ISPMs to the IPPC Secretariat, by 30 September of each year or at least submits one general comment for each draft ISPM.



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### The organizing committee may agree to invite resource persons

- 1. including Bureau members, stewards or experts from their regions or other regions and they may participate in discussions. A resource person should not influence discussions on regional issues, particularly comments on draft ISPMs.
- 2. or observers from relevant international organizations and NPPOs outside the region. Observers should not influence discussions on regional issues, particularly comments on draft ISPMs.





#### 2023 IPPC Regional Workshops in Africa and the Caribbean









#### News of the seven 2023 IPPC Regional Workshops on the IPP





# Seven IPPC regional workshops, one common agenda-strengthening global phytosanitary capacity

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### The IPPC Secretariat looks forward to working with the regional organizing committees in 2024







## Thank you

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