



GEF 66th Council Meeting: **Logistics note**

Registration: <https://www.thegef.org/events/66th-gef-council-meeting>

Location: The GEF Council will be held at the [Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill](#) located at 400 New Jersey Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001, United States of America.

Dates: The 66th Council will be held February 5 till February 9 from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm (EST - DC time).

Welcome reception: The traditional welcome reception will be offered to all participants on Sunday February 4th at the venue (Thornton Room at [Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill](#)) from 6:30pm to 8:30pm.

Format: The 66th Council will be an in-person meeting. Council members who have indicated impossibility to be physically present will be able to join via Zoom and participate fully in a manner similar to previous Council meetings.

Agenda: Draft agenda has been sent separately and is also available [here](#).

Related Meeting: The CSO Consultations will be held on February 2nd in fully virtual format from 7:00 am to 11:00 am (EST – DC Time). Agenda, Zoom link and further details on this meeting will be sent separately.

Lodging: GEF funded participants will be staying at the [Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill](#). Self-funded participants who wish to stay at the Hyatt can request the preferred rate of \$319 US dollars a night.

Observers: Anyone who is not present in the Council venue will be able to follow the proceedings by joining the meeting via Zoom. Link to register is provided above and on the [GEF website](#).

Interpretation Interpretation to French and Spanish will be provided throughout the Council Meeting.

