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# COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

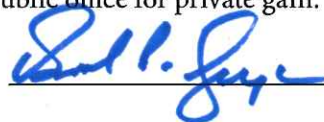
MEMBER/OFFICER POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM  Original  Amendment

This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from a private source for travel taken in connection with a Member or officer's official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report privately-funded travel on the Member or officer's annual *Financial Disclosure Statement*. In accordance with House Rule 25, clause 5, **you must complete this form and file it with the Clerk of the House, by email at [gifttravelreports@mail.house.gov](mailto:gifttravelreports@mail.house.gov), within 15 days after travel is completed.** Please **do not** file this form with the Committee on Ethics.

**NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.**

1. Name of Traveler: David P. Joyce
2. a. Name of Accompanying Relative: Kelly Joyce OR None   
 b. Relationship to Traveler:  Spouse  Child  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_
3. a. Dates: Departure: 11/9/2022 Return: 11/13/2022  
 b. Dates at Personal Expense, if any: \_\_\_\_\_ OR None
4. Departure City: Cleveland, OH Destination: Sharm el-Shiekh, Egypt Return City: Washington, DC
5. Sponsor(s), Who Paid for the Trip: Climate Solutions Foundation
6. Describe Meetings and Events Attended (attach additional pages if necessary):  
 Attended COP27 to participate in meetings with climate organizations and international government leaders to discuss pragmatic opportunities for collaboration and how technology and the reprioritization of energy sources will impact future policy.
7. Attached to this form are **each** of the following, *signify that each item is attached by checking the corresponding box*:
  - a.  a completed *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form*;
  - b.  the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* completed by the trip sponsor **prior** to the trip, **including all** attachments **and** the *Additional Sponsor Form(s)*;
  - c.  page 2 of the completed *Traveler Form* submitted by the Member or officer; **and**
  - d.  the letter from the Committee on Ethics approving my participation on this trip.
8. a.  I represent that I participated in each of the activities reflected in the attached sponsor's agenda.  
**Signify statement is true by checking the box.**  
 b. If not, explain:

**I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.** I have determined that all of the expenses on the attached *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form* were necessary and that the travel was in connection with my duties as a Member or officer of the U.S. House of Representatives and would not create the appearance that I am using public office for private gain.

Member / Officer Signature: 

Date: 11/21/2022



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## SPONSOR POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

Original  Amendment

This form must be completed by an officer of any organization that served as the primary trip sponsor in providing travel expenses or reimbursement for travel expenses to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. **A completed copy of the form must be provided to each House Member, officer, or employee who participated on the trip within ten days of their return.** You must answer all questions, and check all boxes, on this form for your submission to comply with House rules and the Committee's travel regulations. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the denial of future requests to sponsor trips and/or subject the current traveler to disciplinary action or a requirement to repay the trip expenses.

**NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.**

1. Sponsor(s) who paid for the trip: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Travel Destination(s): \_\_\_\_\_
3. Date of Departure: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Return: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Name(s) of Traveler(s): \_\_\_\_\_

*Note:* You may list more than one traveler on a form only if *all* information is *identical* for each person listed.

5. Actual amount of expenses paid on behalf of, or reimbursed to, each individual named in Question 4:

	Total Transportation Expenses	Total Lodging Expenses	Total Meal Expenses	Total Other Expenses (dollar amount per item and description)
Traveler				
Accompanying Family Member				

6.  All expenses connected to the trip were for actual costs incurred and not a *per diem* or lump sum payment. Signify statement is true by checking box.

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

I am an officer of the above-named organization. Signify statement is true by checking box.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Committee staff may contact the above-named individual if additional information is required.**

If you have questions regarding your completion of this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at 202-225-7103.





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## TRAVELER FORM

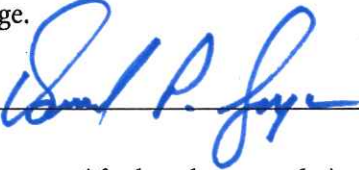
This form should be completed by House Members, officers, or employees seeking Committee approval of privately-sponsored travel or reimbursement for travel under House Rule 25, clause 5. The completed form should be submitted directly to the Committee by each invited House Member, officer, or employee, together with the completed and signed trip sponsor form(s) and any attachments. A copy of this form, minus this initial page, will be made available for public inspection. This form and any attachments may be delivered to the Committee at 1015 Longworth or e-mailed to [travel.requests@mail.house.gov](mailto:travel.requests@mail.house.gov).

**Your completed request must be submitted to the Committee no less than 30 days before your proposed departure date.** Absent exceptional circumstances, permission will not be granted for requests received less than 30 days before the trip commences. **You must receive explicit approval from the Committee before you depart on this trip.**

Name of Traveler: David P. Joyce

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

I certify that the information contained on both pages of this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: 

Name of Signatory (if other than traveler): \_\_\_\_\_

For Staff (name of employing Member or Committee): \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address: 2065 Rayburn House Office Building

Telephone Number: 202-225-5731

Email Address of Contact Person: edie.doman@mail.house.gov

Check this box if the sponsoring entity is a media outlet, the purpose of the trip is to make a media appearance sponsored by that entity, and these forms are being submitted to the Committee less than 30 days before the trip departure date.

NOTE: You must complete all of the contact information fields above, as Committee staff may need to contact you if additional information is required.

**KEEP A COPY OF THIS FORM.** Page 2 (but not this page) must be submitted to the Clerk as part of the post-travel disclosure required by House Rule 25. Travel Regulation § 404(d) also requires you to keep a copy of all request forms and supporting paperwork for three subsequent Congresses from the date of travel.

If there are any questions regarding this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at 202-225-7103 or via e-mail: [travel.requests@mail.house.gov](mailto:travel.requests@mail.house.gov).



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## TRAVELER FORM

1. Name of Traveler: David P. Joyce
2. Sponsor(s) who will be paying or providing in-kind support for the trip:  
Climate Solutions Foundation (CSF)
3. City and State **OR** Foreign Country of Travel : Sharm al-Sheik, Egypt
4. a. Date of Departure: 11/09/22 Date of Return: 11/13/22  
b. Yes  No  Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense?  
If yes, list dates at personal expense: \_\_\_\_\_
5. a. Yes  No  Will you be accompanied by a family member at the sponsor's expense? **If yes:**  
(1) Name of Accompanying Family Member: Kelly Joyce  
(2) Relationship to Traveler:  Spouse  Child  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_  
(3) Yes  No  Accompanying Family Member is at least 18 years of age:
6. a. Yes  No  Did the trip sponsor answer "Yes" to Question 8(c) on the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* (i.e., travel is sponsored by an entity that employs a registered federal lobbyist or a foreign agent)?  
b. **If yes**, and you are requesting lodging for two nights, explain why the second night is warranted:
7. Yes  No  *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* is attached, including agenda, invitee list, and any other attachments and Additional Sponsor Forms.  
*NOTE: The agenda should show the traveler's individual schedule, including departure and arrival times and identify the specific events in which the traveler will be participating.*
8. Explain why participation in the trip is connected to the traveler's individual official or representational duties.  
**Staff should include their job title and how the activities on the itinerary relate to their duties.**  
Attending COP27 will facilitate meetings with climate organizations and international government leaders to discuss pragmatic opportunities for collaboration and how technology and the reprioritization of energy sources will impact future policy.
9. Yes  No  **Is the traveler aware of any registered federal lobbyists or foreign agents involved planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip?**
10. For staff travelers, to be completed by your employing Member:

### ADVANCED AUTHORIZATION OF EMPLOYEE TRAVEL

I hereby authorize the individual named above, an employee of the U.S. House of Representatives who works under my direct supervision, to accept expenses for the trip described in this request. I have determined that the above-described travel is in connection with my employee's official duties and that acceptance of these expenses will not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Signature of Employing Member \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_





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## PRIMARY TRIP SPONSOR FORM

This form should be completed by private entities offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. A completed copy of the form (and any attachments) should be provided to each invited House Member, officer, or employee, who will then forward it to the Committee together with a *Traveler Form* **at least 30 days before the start date of the trip**. The trip sponsor should *NOT* submit the form directly to the Committee. The Committee website ([ethics.house.gov](http://ethics.house.gov)) provides detailed instructions for filling out the form.

**NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001. Failure to comply with the Committee's Travel Regulations may also lead to the denial of permission to sponsor future trips.**

1. Sponsor who will be paying for the trip:
2.  I represent that the trip will not be financed, in whole or in part, by a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent. *Signify that the statement is true by checking box.*
3. **Check only one.** I represent that:
  - a.  The primary trip sponsor has not accepted from any other source, funds intended directly or indirectly to finance any aspect of the trip: **OR**
  - b.  The trip is arranged without regard to congressional participation and the primary trip sponsor has accepted funds only from entities that will receive a tangible benefit in exchange for those funds: **OR**
  - c.  The primary trip sponsor has accepted funds from other source(s) intended directly or indirectly to finance all or part of this trip and has enclosed disclosure forms from each of those entities.  
If "c" is checked, list the names of the additional sponsors:
4. Provide names and titles of **ALL** House Members *and* employees you are inviting. **For each House invitee, provide an explanation of why the individual was invited** (include additional pages if necessary):
5. Yes  No  Is travel being offered to an accompanying family member of the House invitee(s)?
6. Date of departure: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of return: \_\_\_\_\_
7. a. City of departure: \_\_\_\_\_  
b. Destination(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
c. City of return: \_\_\_\_\_
8. **Check only one.** I represent that:
  - a.  The sponsor of the trip is an institution of higher education within the meaning of section 101 of the Higher Education Act of 1965: **OR**
  - b.  The sponsor of the trip does not retain or employ a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent: **OR**
  - c.  The sponsor employs or retains a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent, but the trip is for attendance at a one-day event *and* lobbyist / foreign agent involvement in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip was *de minimis* under the Committee's travel regulations.
9. **Check only one of the following:**
  - a.  I checked 8(a) or (b) above; **OR**
  - b.  I checked 8(c) above but am not offering any lodging; **OR**
  - c.  I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for one night; **OR**
  - d.  I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for two nights. If you checked this box, explain why the second night of lodging is warranted:



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10.  Attached is a detailed agenda of the activities House invitees will be participating in during the travel (i.e., an hourly description of planned activities for trip invitees). *Indicate agenda is attached by checking box.*
11. **Check only one of the following:**
- a.  I represent that a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent will not accompany House Members or employees on any segment of the trip. *Signify that the statement is true by checking box; OR*
- b.  *Not Applicable.* Trip sponsor is a U.S. institution of higher education.
12. For **each** sponsor required to submit a sponsor form, describe the sponsor's interest in the subject matter of the trip **and** its role in organizing and/or conducting the trip:
13. **Answer parts a and b. Answer part c if necessary:**
- a. Mode of travel: Air  Rail  Bus  Car  Other  (specify: \_\_\_\_\_)
- b. Class of travel: Coach  Business  First  Charter  Other  (specify: \_\_\_\_\_)
- c. If travel will be first class, or by chartered or private aircraft, explain why such travel is warranted:
14.  I represent that the expenditures related to local area travel during the trip will be unrelated to personal or recreational activities of the invitee(s). *Signify that the statement is true by checking the box.*
15. **Check only one.** I represent that either:
- a.  The trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *without regard* to congressional participation and that meals provided to congressional participants are similar to those provided to or purchased by other event attendees; **OR**
- b.  The trip involves events that are arranged specifically *with regard* to congressional participation.  
If "b" is checked:
- 1) Detail the cost *per day* of meals (approximate cost may be provided):
- 2) Provide the reason for selecting the location of the event or trip:
16. Name, nightly cost, and reasons for selecting each hotel or other lodging facility:
- Hotel Name: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost Per Night: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reason(s) for Selecting: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hotel Name: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost Per Night: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reason(s) for Selecting: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hotel Name: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost Per Night: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reason(s) for Selecting: \_\_\_\_\_
17.  I represent that all expenses connected to the trip will be for actual costs incurred and not a per diem or lump sum payment. *Signify that the statement is true by checking the box.*





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COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Washington, DC 20515

October 24, 2022

The Honorable David Joyce  
U.S. House of Representatives  
2065 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Colleague:

Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your and your spouse's proposed trip to Egypt,<sup>1</sup> scheduled for November 9 to 13, 2022, sponsored by the Climate Solutions Foundation.

You must complete a Member/Officer Post-Travel Disclosure Form and file it, together with a Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form completed by the trip sponsor, with the Clerk of the House within 15 days after your return from travel. As part of that filing, you are also required to attach a copy of this letter and both the Traveler and Primary Trip Sponsor Forms (including attachments) you previously submitted to the Committee in seeking pre-approval for this trip. You must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$415 from a single source on the "Travel" schedule of your annual Financial Disclosure Statement covering this calendar year. Finally, Travel Regulation § 404(d) also requires you to keep a copy of all request forms and supporting information provided to the Committee for three subsequent Congresses from the date of travel.

Because the trip may involve meetings with foreign government representatives, we note that House Members may accept, under the Foreign Gifts and Decorations Act (FGDA), gifts "of minimal value [currently \$415] tendered as a souvenir or mark of courtesy" by a foreign government. Any tangible gifts valued in excess of minimal value received from a foreign government must, within 60 days of acceptance, be disclosed on a Form for Disclosing Gifts from Foreign Governments and either turned over to the Clerk of the House, or, with the written approval of the Committee, retained for official use.

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<sup>1</sup> Please be aware that the Committee's review of the proposed trip does not extend to either the security situation in the destination country or security related to foreign travel in general. We recommend you contact the Office of House Security (OHS) for a safety and security briefing prior to your departure. OHS may be reached at (202) 226-2044 or ohsstaff@mail.house.gov. House travelers should also register for the U.S. State Department's Smart Traveler Enrollment Program at <https://step.state.gov>.



If you have any further questions, please contact the Committee's Office of Advice and Education at extension 5-7103.

Sincerely,



Susan Wild  
Acting Chairwoman



Michael Guest  
Acting Ranking Member

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**The Climate Solutions Foundation COP27 House Delegation- Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt  
Wednesday, November 9, 2022 – Monday, November 14, 2022**

**Question # 4**

Climate Solutions Foundation included these members due to their interest and commitment of the long-term goals of climate change. As a bipartisan organization we realize it is critical to the mission that we have representation of as many U.S. Congressional Leaders as possible to take part in COP27 and understand what is at stake. We found the experience for the Members that attended COP26 to be extremely beneficial.

TITLE	FIRST	LAST	DISTRICT
U.S. Representative	Ami	Bera	(CA-07)
U.S. Representative	Sean	Casten	(IL-06)
U.S. Representative	Veronica	Escobar	(TX-16)
U.S. Representative	Andrew	Garbarino	(NY-02)
U.S. Representative	Garrett	Graves	(LA-06)
U.S. Representative	Jim	Himes	(CT-04)
U.S. Representative	Chrissy	Houlahan	(PA-06)
U.S. Representative	David	Joyce	(OH-14)
U.S. Representative	Derek	Kilmer	(WA-06)
U.S. Representative	Young	Kim	(CA-39)
U.S. Representative	Jimmy	Panetta	(CA-20)
U.S. Representative	Stacey	Plaskett	(VI-AL)
U.S. Representative	David	Valadao	(CA-21)



**The Climate Solutions Foundation COP27 Programming in Egypt  
House Delegation Schedule  
Wednesday, November 9 to Monday, November 14, 2022**

**Wednesday, November 9, 2022**

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**10:00 PM ET**                      **Depart Washington Dulles International Airport**  
United Airlines Flight #932  
Note: This will be a business class flight  
Flight time: 7 hours 50-minutes

**Thursday, November 10, 2022**

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**11:50 AM GMT**                      **Arrive at Frankfurt Airport (FRA)**  
3-hour 35 minute layover at FRA

**3:25 PM GMT**                      **Depart Frankfurt Airport**  
EgyptAir Flight #786  
Note: This will be a business class flight  
Flight time: 3 hours 50-minutes

**8:15 PM GMT**                      **Arrive at Cairo International Airport (CAI)**  
2-hour 15 minute layover at CAI

**10:30 PM GMT**                      **Depart Cairo International Airport**  
EgyptAir Flight #20  
Note: This will be an economy class flight  
Flight time: 1 hour

**11:30 PM GMT**                      **Arrive in Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt**

**RON**                                      **Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Golden View Beach Resort**  
Al Fanar, Street, Om El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate



**Friday, November 11, 2022**

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**8:30 AM – 9:30 AM GMT      Welcome Breakfast and COP27 Overview with Hon. Carlos Curbelo and Alex Flint, CSF Board Members**  
Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Conference Room, Al Fanar, Street, Om El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate

Hon. Carlos Curbelo serves as Co-Chair of the Climate Solutions Foundation. He represented Florida's 26th district in the United States House of Representatives from 2015 to 2019. He was a founding member and Co-Chair of the House Climate Solutions Caucus. He served on the Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, the Education and Workforce Committee, the Small Business Committee, and the powerful Committee on Ways and Means.

Alex Flint serves as Executive Director and Board Member of the Climate Solutions Foundation. He also serves as Executive Director of the Alliance for Market Solutions, a pro-carbon tax alliance of Republicans. Alex was also a Senior Vice President of Government Affairs at the Nuclear Energy Institute, Staff Director of the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, and a professional staff member for the Senate Committee on Appropriations.

In this meeting, Alex and Carlos will provide an overview of current COP negotiations and provide a preview of what to expect during the trip.

**10:00 AM – 12:00 PM GMT      Tour of BOO Seawater Desalination Plant**  
Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt

Egypt has invested water desalination projects along its coast to accommodate a growing tourist population and decreasing available water supply. Sharm El-Sheikh boasts over 60 hotels and resorts along its coast. To serve the water needs of this area, the government invested in multiple desalination plants in partnership with private entities. BOO Seawater Desalination Plant is positioned at the entrance of the Aqaba Gulf. The plant is a seawater reverse osmosis desalination plant with a total capacity of 18,000 m<sup>3</sup>/day. International Utilities Company, the private company responsible for building and maintaining the plant, will provide us with an overview of their plan, progress made since 2002, and what to expect in the future.

**12:30 PM – 1:30 PM GMT      Lunch and Discussion with General Electric**  
Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt

General Electric has operated in Egypt since the 1970s and has played a pivotal role in the expansion of Egypt's green electricity capabilities. We will hear from their Egyptian leadership team on how their relationship with Egypt has evolved over time, and what new technology they're introducing to assist in enhancing Egypt's climate change strategy.

## **Friday, November 11, 2022 Continued**

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**1:30 PM – 5:00 PM GMT**      **Delegation Attends COP27**  
Sharm el-Sheikh International Convention Centre

The Conference of Parties, COP, is the decision-making body responsible for monitoring and reviewing the implementation of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, whose objective is to "stabilize greenhouse gas concentrations in the atmosphere at a level that would prevent dangerous anthropogenic interference with the climate system". COPs happen annually and bring together 198 nations and territories – called Parties – that have signed on to the Framework Convention. We will participate in official COP programming where we will engage in discussions furthering our understanding of climate change impacts globally.

**6:00 PM – 8:00 PM GMT**      **Dinner: How Bipartisan Discussions Will Move the Needle on Climate Policy**  
Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt

In keeping with our mission of bringing together ideologically diverse Members of Congress, global leaders, and corporate and trade executives to discuss climate science, economics, and policy, we will host a bipartisan dinner with Members of Congress, corporate executives, and climate scientists. This meeting will provide a collaborative environment to discuss a bipartisan path forward on climate policy globally and domestically.

**RON**                                      **Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Golden View Beach Resort**  
Al Fanar, Street, Om El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate

## **Saturday, November 12, 2022**

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**9:30 AM – 11:00 AM GMT**      **Breakfast: Briefing with U.S. State Department Official on Global Climate Agreement Progress**  
Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Conference Room, Al Fanar, Street, Om El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate

A State Department official will brief us on global climate agreement progress and its impact on the United States. This briefing will provide greater context for meetings throughout the day, including when Members attend the COP.

**11:00 AM – 12:30 PM GMT**      **Meeting with CEOs of International Corporations**  
Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Conference Room, Al Fanar, Street, Om El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate

The Climate Solutions Foundation will highlight several CEOs of international corporations who are making an impact on climate and let them share their goals. We will hear from large companies that continue to think beyond today and focus on the future our planet.

## **Saturday, November 12, 2022 Continued**

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**12:30 PM – 1:30 PM GMT**

**Lunch with Amazon Executives**

Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Conference Room, Al Fanar, Street, Om El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate

Members of Amazon’s executive team will provide us with an update on their climate investments and progress towards meeting The Climate Pledge’s goals.

**2:00 PM – 5:00 PM GMT**

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**6:00 PM – 7:00 PM GMT**

**Evening Recap with the Climate Solutions Foundation Team**

Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Conference Room, Al Fanar, Street, Om El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate

After two days of meetings, our group will discuss each person’s takeaways. Alex Flint, Executive Director of the Climate Solutions Foundation, will lead this meeting. This meeting will provide a collaborative environment to discuss a bipartisan path forward on climate policy globally and domestically.

**8:00 PM – 10:00 PM GMT**

**American Chambers of Congress Dinner**

Park Regency Sharm El-Sheikh Resort

The group will join hundreds of other COP attendees for the American Chambers of Congress dinner. This event will focus on the future of climate talks and ways the United States Government and companies can work together on climate change.

**RON**

**Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Golden View Beach Resort**

Al Fanar, Street, Om El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate



**Sunday, November 13, 2022**

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**9:30 AM – 11:00 AM GMT      Breakfast: Egypt’s Commitment to Green Energy Transition**  
Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Conference Room, Al Fanar, Street, Om  
El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate

Earlier this year, the United States and Egypt released a statement reconfirming their commitment to working together to move Egypt forward in its path towards a green energy transition. Egypt and the United States expressed their determination to strengthen and support adaptation action in Africa. Both countries continued to push for mobilizing climate finance to achieve the goals of the Paris agreement. They agreed to an additional push for goal implementation. This includes carrying through on existing commitments, including moving to timely implementation at scale and mobilizing flows of support to implement NDCs of developing countries – and doing much more, including strengthening NDCs not yet aligned with the Paris temperature goal, taking into account different national circumstances; redoubling efforts to stabilize long-term climate by decarbonizing the global energy sector; invigorating work to reduce near-term warming by rapidly cutting methane and other non-CO2 greenhouse gases while ending deforestation; enhancing adaptation efforts; and making financial flows consistent with the pathways towards low greenhouse gas emissions and climate-resilient development.

This breakfast meeting will highlight what the United States government has done to assist Egypt in their green energy transition, and what U.S.-based corporations have contributed to this effort as well. We will be joined by State Department officials and corporate leaders based in the United States and their counterparts in Egypt.

**12:00 PM – 2:30 PM GMT      Tour of Ras Mohamed Nature Reserve and Lunch**  
P6RM+RW2، شرم الشيخ، رأس محمد، Qesm Sharm Ash Sheikh

We will be given a tour of Ras Mohamed Nature Reserve In Ras Mohamed National Park (RMNP) that highlights how Egypt has ensured the coral reef remains intact despite it being one of the most famous diving sites in the world. Over the past 15 years, the United Nations has pushed for increased funding for site conservation. In 2018, the RMNP received the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) Green List certification for its fair and effective management efforts that have ensured the protection and survival of natural ecosystems, especially coral reefs, mangroves, and sea grasses. Learning more about Egypt’s investments in coastal ecosystem management may help us identify areas of funding and support that could be lacking in local congressional districts.

**3:30 PM – 4:15 PM GMT      Closing Conversation**  
Renaissance Sharm El-Sheikh Conference Room, Al Fanar, Street, Om  
El Seid Hill, South Sinai Governorate

Prior to departing Sharm El-Sheikh, our group will gather one last time to discuss potential opportunities for growth and investments in climate change both domestically and internationally. Hon. Carlos Curbelo, CSF Board Member, will lead this closing discussion.

**Sunday, November 13, 2022 Continued**

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**5:00 PM GMT**                      **Arrive at Sharm El Sheikh International Airport (SSH)**  
2 El-Salam, Qesm Sharm Ash Sheikh, South Sinai Governorate

**8:55 PM GMT**                      **Depart Sharm El Sheikh International Airport**  
Egyptair Flight #29  
Note: This will be an economy class flight  
Flight time: 1 hour

**9:55 PM GMT**                      **Arrive at Cairo International Airport (CAI)**  
2-hour layover at CAI

**11:55 PM GMT**                      **Depart Cairo International Airport**  
Egyptair Flight #981  
Note: This will be a business class flight.  
Flight time: 12 hours 15-minutes

**Monday, November 14, 2022**

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**5:10 AM ET**                      **Arrive at Dulles International Airport (IAD)**

**The Climate Solutions Foundation COP27 House  
Delegation- Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt  
Wednesday, November 9, 2022 – Monday, November 14, 2022**

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COP27 is being held in Sharm El-Shiekh, Egypt and as a bipartisan Foundation we want to continue on the momentum in building programming opportunities around the larger events being offered at COP27 as we did in COP26 hosted in Glasgow, Scotland in the Fall of 2021. This will allow Climate Solutions Foundation (CSF) an opportunity to share ideas and showcase some of the finding related to climate change. In addition, we are planning to collaborate with other partners that are integral in the development of ideas enhancing the solutions to climate change like BOO seawater Desalination Plant. We found Climate Solutions Foundation's experience in participating in COP26 to be extremely valuable to the organization and the Members that participated as well as allies in the industry.