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## **INVITATION TO SUBMIT BIDS TO HOST 10WCCA IN 2027**

For attention: Participants of the 9th World Congress on Conservation Agriculture, and institutions and companies involved in conservation agriculture worldwide.

Dear colleagues,

The 9WCCA Organising Committee has established an ad hoc Bid Committee to oversee the process to select the host country for the 10th World Congress on Conservation Agriculture (10WCCA) – currently scheduled for 2027.

The winning bid will be announced at the closing ceremony of the 9WCCA on 24 July 2024 at the Cape Town International Convention Centre.

In my capacity as the Chair of the Bid Committee, I hereby announce that bids to host the 10WCCA should be submitted to the 9WCCA Secretariat by 20 May 2024.

Please include the following information in each bid:

- Why should 10WCCA be held in the proposed country, including the background of the country and region and the importance and advance of conservation agriculture?
- Who would be the lead agency and key institutions in the country and region who have agreed in principle to support the bid as well as in assisting to organise the congress?
- A description of the lead agency's experience and capacity to organise and manage a congress such as 10WCCA.
- Whether the government in the country and any regional organisations is agreeable to support the bid in principle and facilitate the visit of international participants from all countries.
- The description of the venue including ease of access, logistical arrangements, and the issuance of visas.
- The proposed theme and concept for the 10WCCA, under which papers and topics will be selected, and the expected goal to be achieved with the congress.
- What type of field visits and/or post-congress tours could be organised?

- Approximate cost and how the budget would be funded.
- Any further information.
- Contact details.

The bid should comprise a complete bid proposal and a video presentation of 15-20 minutes or a voiced over PowerPoint presentation.

Please submit the bids via e-mail to [cajoin2024@gmail.com](mailto:cajoin2024@gmail.com)

Best regards.



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