

Agenda 4.1: Next PMC Meeting

- Objective
 - Members to discuss and agree on when the next PMC Meeting can be held
- Background
 - Members agreed during PMC-5 in 2019 that the sixth PMC and the third Pacific Ministerial Meeting (PMMM-3) will be hosted in Cook Islands in 2020.
 - One of the benefit of hosting the PMMM physically is to allow Ministers to exchange information and learn about the Met activities around the region
 - Cook Islands Conveyed in 2020 that due to COVID-19 and travel restrictions, the meeting will not be able to take place
 - Since then, we had 2 out-of-session PMC meetings to discuss and endorse critical issues
 - This year 2021 also marks 10 years of PMC existence
 - NMHSs, the six PMC Panels, partners have made a lot of progress to support meteorological activities

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- Members are invited to;
 - **Agree** to host the sixth Meeting of the PMC virtually in the last quarter of 2021 to mark 10 years of the PMC
 - **Agree** for the secretariat to invite members to form a steering committee to discuss and finalize the agenda
 - **Agree** for the Secretariat to liaise with Cook Islands on the best date to host the third Pacific Ministerial Meeting on Meteorology (PMMM-3) once borders are open