

## **Freshwater Trout Aquaculture Dialogue (FTAD) Public meeting in Verona, Italy September 7-8<sup>th</sup>**

On September 7-8<sup>th</sup> the FTAD will host a public meeting in Verona, Italy to further discuss the draft standards for responsible Freshwater Trout aquaculture, which were released for their first 60 day public comment period on July 27, 2010. The meeting will be from 9 am to 5 pm both days.

The goal of the meeting will be to discuss critical issues raised during the first public comment period for the draft trout aquaculture standards that are being developed by the 200 plus people participating in the FTAD. Input from the meeting will be used by the FTAD Dialogue's Steering Committee to revise the draft standards before they are posted for the final public comment period.

### **How to get to the Verona meeting?**

The venue for the Verona meeting is in Lavagno, a scenic location about 15 miles from the center of Verona (see address below). Transportation, via bus, will be provided to the meeting from Hotel Leon D'oro, Grand Hotel Verona, Hotel Mastino and Hotel Firenze in Verona. **I encourage you to book a room as soon as possible at one of these hotels (see further contact details below).**

The venue bus will leave from the hotels at approximately 8:30 am. The bus will bring you back to Verona at the end of the day around 5pm.

### **Address of venue:**

Villa Fraccaroli  
Via Boschetto 6  
37030 Lavagno (VR)

*Accessible by bus from above mentioned hotels in Verona or by taxi.*

Please let me know by 15 August 2010 if you will be attending. Also, I welcome your suggestions on who to invite to the meeting. Send your responses to [c.mathiesen@wwf.dk](mailto:c.mathiesen@wwf.dk)

If you have questions about logistics in Verona please contact Elizabeth Vincent at WWF US via phone: +1 202 495 4464 or email: [Elizabeth.Vincent@WWFUS.ORG](mailto:Elizabeth.Vincent@WWFUS.ORG)

Look forward to receive your comments and hopefully see you in Verona.

Sincerely,

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## **FURTHER CONTACT DETAILS FOR HOTELS IN VERONA:**

### **- Hotel LEON D'ORO**

Viale Piave 5 - 37122 Verona

Approximate prices: Single €.103.00; double €.118.00

Phone: +39 045 804 9049

### **- Grand Hotel Verona (\*\*\*\*)**

Corso Porta Nuova 105 - - 37122 Verona

Approximate prices: Single €. 140.00; double €.170.00

Phone: +39 045595600

### **- Hotel Mastino**

Corso Porta Nuova 16 - 37122 Verona

Approximate prices: Single €. 115.00

Phone: +39 045595388

### **- Hotel Firenze**

Corso Porta Nuova 88 - - 37122 Verona

Approximate prices: Single €. 129.00

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