



ANNUAL REPORT 2017



**Global Environment
Centre**

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About **GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT CENTRE**

The Global Environment Centre was established in 1998 to work on environmental issues of global importance. The Centre is registered in Malaysia as a non-profit organisation (Reg. no. 473058-T) but works regionally and internationally both directly and through many partners. It supports information exchange and capacity building as well as undertakes strategic projects particularly in developing countries. It works in partnership with other like-minded agencies worldwide.

OBJECTIVE

1. To promote integrated management of biodiversity and water resources with a focus on community involvement and biodiversity conservation.
2. To promote the protection and sustainable use of forests and wetlands with a focus on integrated management for biodiversity and climate change
3. To enhance awareness, understanding and capacity as well as partnerships between different organisations and sectors to address environmental issues.

MISSION

To support the protection of the environment and sustainable use of the natural resources to meet local, regional and global needs, through strategic partnerships with communities and like-minded organisations.

Message from **THE CHAIRMAN**

As Chairman of Global Environment Centre, it is my pleasure to present GEC's 2017 Annual Report. I am honored to be working together with the Board and Advisory Council members and the passionate staff of GEC to serve for betterment of the environment.

Our activities have secured growing recognition at national and regional level and we are continue to expand our partnership in Malaysia and regionally.

In terms of achievements, we continue to invest in empowering and enriching communities and stakeholders on forest and peatland conservation and best management practices, stimulating positive changes for a cleaner rivers and enhanced water resource management and spearheading working groups to transform practices for the oil palm industry.

We will continue to advocate protection, rehabilitation and sustainable use of forests, wetlands and water resources with a key focus on community involvement and biodiversity conservation as well as education empowerment awareness and capacity building with various organisations, sectors and the public

To all our funders, partners and supporters, we thank you for your generosity and your exceptional commitment. We look forward to working with you and creating a sustainable world for our future.



ZAINUDIN ISMAIL

Chairman of Global Environment Centre

Message from **THE DIRECTOR**

At Global Environment Centre, we believe in the strength of building partnerships for the environment. For the past 20 years, we have been working with many partners and funders addressing crucial benefits of environmental protection and sustainability.

With generous support and commitment from our funders and partners, we are making impacts for conservation and restoration of peatland forest in Selangor under the framework of our new MOU with the State government. We have expanded our programme to include action in forest reserves covering nearly 90,000 ha. We have supported rehabilitation of 190 hectares of degraded areas with more than 100,000 trees planted and with support of more than 20,000 volunteers as part of this community – based rehabilitation programme.

We are taking the lead in spearheading engagement of local communities, general public, educational institutions, restaurants, markets, developers and corporates to enhance pollution control and river protection in the entire western half of Kuala Lumpur under the national River of Life Initiative. Through the National River Care Fund (NRCF), we have also invested a total of RM200, 000 in grants and training benefiting 29 recipients comprising community groups, education institutions and interest groups.

At an international level, GEC has been engaging with different stakeholders in the ASEAN region to support sustainable management of peatlands and the road map to a Haze Free ASEAN, with new projects and activities in five countries. In September 2017, Queen's Commonwealth Canopy (QCC) has formally recognised peat swamp forests in Raja Musa Forest Reserve as an important site that needs to be conserved for future generations. This is the first designation for Malaysia after QCC was launched at the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting in 2015.

GEC could not achieve all this without support and commitment given by our funders, supporters, partners, collaborators, staff and volunteers.

Thank you for supporting GEC work in 2017.



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Director of Global Environment Centre

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Former President of the United Nations General Assembly (1996/7)
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STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

GEC's activities are coordinated through a secretariat currently with more than thirty staff. In addition, a broad range of associates and partners assist in the implementation of activities. GEC undertakes projects in more than 10 countries mainly in the Asia Pacific region either operating directly or through local partner organisations. GEC's effort is also widely supported by volunteers, for examples in rehabilitation of Raja Musa Forest Reserve, rivers cleanup and others. GEC currently have 600 people in the volunteer database.

PROGRAMME DESCRIPTION

RIVER CARE PROGRAMME

The focus of this programme is to promote and support the holistic, ecological and people-centric river management through IRBM, ecosystem services and Civic Science approaches. One of our strengths is community (stakeholder) empowerment and engagement in environmental management. The programme closely with all key water, river basin and river related issues management, and believes that every individual has a role to play in the management of the environment.

FOREST AND COASTAL PROGRAMME

The program aims to promote and support sustainable forest and wetlands management to conserve ecology, biodiversity and mitigate climate change. The Forest and Coastal Programme undertakes a wide range of activities related to forest and biodiversity assessment and management at the local and national level with a focus on peat swamp forests, mangroves and coastal waters. The programme also focuses on protecting and preserving environmental resources as well as providing a sustainable alternative livelihood options to local communities. This program is driven by participatory, process-oriented and science-based approach to addressing environmental issues.

PEATLAND PROGRAMME

The Peatland Programme aims to promote sustainable management of peatlands, especially in Southeast Asia. The programme works to support the implementation of the ASEAN programme on Sustainable Management of Peatland Ecosystems 2014-2020 (APSMPE). It works with a broad range of stakeholders to promote best management practices in peatland management, fire prevention and rehabilitation.

OUTREACH AND PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMME

The programme incorporates activities relating to general capacity building, environmental education, information exchange and raising awareness on global environmental issues.



ENRICHING LOCAL COMMUNITY KNOWLEDGE AND THEIR WETLANDS ENVIRONMENT

Through our Forest and Coastal Programme, we help the local community to understand intricate system of wetlands and rejuvenate degraded wetlands to mitigate the impacts of climate change and protect our priceless biodiversity.



REJUVENATING PEAT FOREST OF NORTH SELANGOR

The Raja Musa Forest Reserve is a peat swamp forest reserve located in northern Selangor State and is of global importance for its role in maintaining endangered and endemic species (biodiversity conservation) and as carbon sink and preventing climate change. Prior to 2008, the forest reserve had been illegally encroached by people and turned into farms and settlement area. Drainage canals that were built for the illegal agricultural activities have caused water to drain out from the peat. This had led to extensive fires and degradation; leading to significant carbon emissions.

Through our Raja Musa Peat Swamp Forest Rehabilitation Programme initiated in 2008, we work strategically with local state government, state forestry department and local communities in rejuvenating 1,000 hectares of degraded peat forest area. To date, we have managed to rehabilitate nearly 200 hectares and enrich the degraded area with more than 115,000 indigenous trees. We have expanded the membership of Friends of North Selangor Peat Swamp Forest and engaged more than 22,000 volunteers to be a part of this rehabilitation effort. We have also initiated an environmental education programme known as Peatland Forest Ranger Programme and Junior Peatland Forest Ranger Programme that benefit six secondary schools and fifteen primary schools.

In June 2017, GEC entered a two year partnership with Sime Darby Foundation to conserve and support ongoing rehabilitation of 50 hectares of degraded areas in Forest Compartment 32 and 70 of Raja Musa Forest Reserve. This project does not only dedicate itself to conservation but also to enriching the surrounding smallholders and landowners with knowledge of managing mix farming sustainably on peat soil. The first phase of the project saw 20,000 peat saplings has been raised in a community nursery managed by Friends of North Selangor Peat Swamp Forest; a total of 18,500 saplings were planted in 20 ha area of Raja Musa Forest Reserve and 69 canal blocks were constructed to raise water table to reduce GHG emissions. Thirty piezometers were also installed to monitor the water level at the project site to prevent and control the fires. A capacity building programme on Best Management Practices (BMP) on Oil Palm Plantation for smallholders adjacent to the forest reserve was organised in partnership with Sime Darby Plantation and Sime Darby Foundation.

In July 2017, our partnership was extended with HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad through a three year project to further expand the rehabilitation initiative through local community participation at North-eastern and South-eastern part of the North Selangor Peat Swamp Forest. With total area of 2000 hectare, this rehabilitation initiative implements sustainable management and wise use of peatlands, reduce risk of fire and associated haze and contribute to socioeconomic development of local community. On top of that, it supports the implementation of Integrated Management Plan for North Selangor Peat Swamp Forest 2014- 2023.

The success and good showcase of the Raja Musa Forest Reserve conservation and rehabilitation programme continue to gain recognition by various international agencies. On 22nd September 2017, Raja Musa Forest Reserve was granted Queens Commonwealth Canopy accreditation by the Queen's Commonwealth Canopy (QCC) partnership with the Royal Commonwealth Society and Cool Earth and the Commonwealth Forestry Association. This is the first accreditation for Malaysia after QCC was launched at the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting in Malta, in 2015.

The work of Raja Musa Peat Swamp Forest Rehabilitation Programme was also supported through generous contribution by many other companies including Innisfree Malaysia, Estee Lauder Malaysia, KPMG and others.



KEEPING PEAT FIRE AND HAZE AT BAY

Kuala Langat North Forest Reserve is a 957 ha area of peat swamp forest. It supports the conservation of rare species of flora and fauna and has significant importance to local and indigenous community that has lived in the area and harvested its resources for hundreds of years. Conservation of Kuala Langat North Forest Reserve is affected by its surrounding development and large portions have been impacted by fire in recent years.

With generous support from BOH Plantation and Gamuda Land, GEC in partnership with Selangor State Forestry Department implemented a range of actions including involvement of local communities in peatland water management and fire prevention and control adjacent areas to reduce the risk of fires in the forest reserve and organised a series of awareness campaigns with the Orang Asli, school children, adjacent landowners and relevant stakeholders. The activities have also supported the implementation of Fire Management Plan for Kuala Langat North Forest Reserve & Kuala Langat South Forest Reserve 2016-2021.



PROTECTING FOREST OF TIDES IN MALAYSIA THROUGH COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION

Mangrove forests in Malaysia are consistently under threat. Reclamation, unsustainable aquaculture farm activities, and water pollution are some of the major causes depleting the mangrove ecosystems in Malaysia.

Support from UPS Malaysia Sdn. Bhd. has enable GEC to implement restoration activities in Sabak Bernam Mangrove Forest such as planting of 3,800 mangrove saplings, ecological forest conservation, monitoring of rehabilitation areas with involvement of Sabak Bernam community to foster a sense of belonging and ensure long-term conservation efforts. We are also working alongside state level government agencies such as Selangor Waters Management Authorities (SWMA) to implement strategies for Integrated Coastal Management of Sabak Bernam and State Forestry Department in implementing environmental policy. The work of conserving mangrove forest in Sabak Bernam and Lekir was also made possible through generous contribution by Forestry Department of Peninsular Malaysia via Treasure the Mangroves Programme.

GEC is also working with local communities in Lekir, Perak (through a community-based organisation known as Friends of Lekir Sitiawan Mangrove Forest) to support the nexus of the local socio-economic needs and mangrove conservation. A four year funding support from Vale Minerals Malaysia that began in 2014, has allowed us to enrich degraded area of Lekir Mangrove Forest Reserve with 36,840 mangrove tree saplings, as well as develop community livelihood programme. The programme is designed in such a way that the local community is stimulated to conserve and protect the mangrove forest, rather than degrade or deplete it. As the result, the forest has been protected and socio-economic status of local community is increased, creating a win-win situation. Ten families and 10 qualified nature guides from members of Friends of Lekir Sitiawan Mangrove Forest are benefiting from the programme and involved in homestay programme and ecotourism packages.

Committed support from Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Forestry Department of Peninsular Malaysia and Perak State Forestry Department has enable GEC to continuously support and work with the Friends of Kuala Gula Mangrove (known as SHBKG) since its establishment in 2006. SHBKG is a community group in Kuala Gula that is committed to the community based mangrove conservation and rehabilitation programme.

Through this partnership, we have been facilitating more than 300 visiting groups, educating approximately 10,000 people on mangrove ecosystem and planted more than 120,000 mangrove trees with volunteers in approximately 60 hectares of degraded mangrove forest at Telok Rubiah in Kuala Gula over the past 11 years.

GEC and State Forestry Departments are working towards building a network of community-based forest conservation groups especially wetland forests (e.g. mangrove and peatland) to further strengthen forest conservation efforts in the west coast of Peninsular Malaysia.





EMPOWERING PEOPLE ON WATER AND RIVER CONSERVATION

Through River Care Programme, we have adopted a Civic Science Approach to help people to understand fundamental concept of river basin management and empower them to take actions to conserve water resources.

Educating people on awareness and knowledge, enriching them with skills and empowering them to take action on environmental matters are the approaches adopted by the River Care Programme to create a sense of ownership among people towards rivers. Through the programme's environmental education activities (e.g. the RIVER Ranger, SMART Ranger, DrH2O), we enlighten people on fundamental concept of river address and basin and reconnect them with nature at GEC's open classroom sites.



IGNITING POSITIVE CHANGES FOR A CLEANER WATER RESOURCE

W.A.T.E.R (Working Actively Through Education & Rehabilitation) Project is Spark Foundation's (formerly known as GAB Foundation) flagship initiative for the environment. Since 2007, GEC has been a project partner for this initiative to protect and enhance urban rivers through local community ownership and business community engagement by promoting and supporting the local community, school and other stakeholder's' localize initiatives. Through adoption of GEC's Civic Science approach, the project successfully rehabilitated Sungai Way river water quality from Class IV-V to Class III and the success of this project has been replicated at Penchala River in KL and Selangor and three main tributaries of the Kinta River i.e. Buntong River, Kledang River and Senam River in Perak.

For Sungai Penchala River Education Programme in Selangor, GEC works closely with local communities, food business operators and millennials on river education and monitoring, implementing best management practices and enlist young people to facilitate river educational activities.

Support given by W.A.T.E.R project has enable GEC to train and empower 16 community groups to monitor their local waterways and inspire three community groups from Desa Mentari Block 3 Resident Associates, Taman Tun Dr Ismail Resident Associates and Section 14 Petaling Jaya Resident Associates to expand their existing initiatives. Using GEC's very own river education module entitled RIVER Ranger, we have trained 82 students and educators on river auditing and monitoring. In March 2017, a Waste Segregation Initiative and Oil & Grease Trap for SS2 Food Court was launched in conjunction with World Water Day celebration. Seventy-six food operators took part in this initiative to reduce the amount of waste generated and the pollution of drains. GEC is also working with a few youth groups such as Urban Hijau, a social enterprise involved in permaculture, to inspire them to adopt water conservation initiatives such as rain water harvesting for their urban farming garden. Other activities undertaken through this programme include river restoration at the source of Penchala River, water quality and aquatic invertebrate study, and organising river walk activities along the upstream of Penchala River.

In Kinta, GEC works with local communities, food business operators and youths on river education and monitoring and implementing best management practices. Contribution by the W.A.T.E.R Project has allowed GEC to build the capacity of five community groups on river monitoring and solid waste management and spur the interest of two community groups to initiate organic vegetable garden and rainwater harvesting system. In addition, we showcased to more than 800 student and educators on best management practices on water conservation and waste management as well as river basin concept. A waste reduction campaign was initiated in partnership with UTAR Kampar to encourage business food operators and consumers to recycle. GEC is working closely with Majlis Bandaraya Ipoh to promote river conservation and best management practices. In June 2017, 3,000 reusable food containers were distributed at 23 selected food vendors at Ramadan Bazaar to encourage consumers to reduce plastic bag usage.

In addition to rehabilitating the rivers, Spark Foundation and GEC are working together to further outreach the to the public on the importance of preserving water resources at schools and businesses through Mobile River Care Unit (MRCU).



NATIONAL RIVER CARE FUND – HEALTHIER RIVER FOR A HEALTHIER SOCIETY

The National River Care Fund (NRCF) is an initiative established by GEC to support local community, community-based /non-profit organisations to pursue their own river conservation initiatives. The goals are to establish and encourage a river care civil society that has the capability to contribute and demonstrate the best management practices of River Care in Malaysia and to support establishment and sustainability of community based water and river care programme in Malaysia. GEC believes this initiative will motivate the local community in to take action for river protection and provide a platform of collaboration among government, corporates and public.

GEC has providing seed or operation grants of RM2,000 to RM5,000 per project for categories such as awareness raising, education and capacity building, riverine biodiversity conservation, river pollution

and clean-up, river Rehabilitation and protection, sustainable livelihood, and best management practices to reduce the pollution.

With generous support from Yayasan Hasanah and Malaysian Plastic Manufacturers Association (MPMA), NRCF has supported on-the ground river and water conservation initiatives that have substantial impact in creating healthy river ecosystems that will lead to cleaner river water and improving behaviour changes of the public towards river care.

Since 2015, NRCF has invested a total of RM200,000 in grants and trainings benefiting 29 recipients comprising community groups, education institutions and interest groups. Nine training programmes have also been organised for community groups.



RECONNECTING PEOPLE AND RIVER

In early 2017, GEC was engaged by Department of Irrigation and Drainage Malaysia to implement a 4-year public outreach programme under the River of Life (RoL) Phase 5 Project for the purpose of improving the Klang River water quality. The programme aims to promote a sense of ownership towards the river and initiates long term and sustainable change in behaviours towards protecting the river.

The Phase 5 project area covers the western portion of Kuala Lumpur covering 98km² of the Klang River catchment areas (area of Gombak River, Batu River, Jinjang River, Keroh River and western catchment of Klang River).

Through this project, we are working together with five target audiences (i.e. general public; educational institutions; local communities; food establishment, hawkers, wet markets and workshops; industries, corporation and developers) to better understand their perception, concerns and issues about river and implement strategies and action plans to curb the river pollution. As of 2017, 30 community groups participated in the public outreach programme activities, 19 community groups and 10 educational institutions express their interest in RoLPOP Phase 5.



HELPING PANGKOR ISLAND COMMUNITY TO TURN TRASH TO TREASURE

This three year project that began in 2015 focuses on empowering local community to reduce coastal water pollution by managing waste and water sustainably via Waste to Wealth concept. The project introduces 4R2C formula (rethink, reduce, reuse, recycle, compost and close the loop) – a holistic approach developed by GEC to minimise waste generation and create income generation options.

Contributions made by Vale Minerals Malaysia has enabled us to create an environmental stewardship community that conducts river water monitoring regularly and implementing best management practices such as recycling and composting to reduce waste generation. The project has also inspired the local community to initiate a number of creative upcycling projects and allow GEC to build their capacity in financial and marketing literacy to help to improve their income.





WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP FOR PEATLAND CONSERVATION AND REHABILITATION

Through Peatland Programme, we work closely with various stakeholders to promote best management practices in peatland management, fire prevention and rehabilitation.

Managing peatlands involves many parties including government agencies such as the Forestry Departments, District Councils, Fire and Rescue Departments, Department of Agriculture, Department of Environment, private sector, local communities and many more.

Through the Peatland Programme, we work closely with these stakeholders to promote best management practices in sustainable land use, hydrological management, fire prevention and rehabilitation of degraded peatlands in Malaysia.

For the peatland-related projects for the Southeast Asia region, we have been working collaboratively with the ASEAN Secretariat, International Fund for Agricultural Department (IFAD), the government institutions of ASEAN Member States, private sector (oil palm and pulpwood), NGOs (Roundtable for Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO), Flora and Fauna International) the Global Peatland Initiative as well as community groups in Malaysia and Indonesia and other interest groups.

Support has been provided for the development of a range of projects under the framework of the ASEAN Programme on Sustainable Management of Peatland Ecosystems 2014-2020 (APSMPE) including the Sustainable Management of Peatland Ecosystems in Malaysia Project to be funded by a US\$9.5 million grant for IFAD-GEF, the Integrated Management of Peatland Landscapes in Indonesia to be supported by a US\$4.5 million grant from IFAD-GEF as well as the \$3.5 million IFAD-funded Measureable Action for Haze-free land management in Southeast Asia (MAHFSA) project.

The Peatland Programme was also involved in a group of Australian scientists to undertake a survey of peatland in the Tibetan Plateau in Sichuan, China with support by La Trobe University, with local support from the Wetlands International-China and Sichuan and district government departments.

ENGAGEMENT WITH IOI PLANTATIONS

Since 2016, GEC has been working with IOI plantations to support peatland management and rehabilitation in plantations covering 30,000 hectares in West Kalimantan. GEC has conducted assessments and recommended follow-up actions. More than 200 hectares of degraded peatland has been rehabilitated and 2500 ha included in conservation areas within the concessions. GEC continues to guide and support the company's rehabilitation efforts.

CLIMATE LEADERSHIP - RSPO

ERWG co-chair & PLWG co-chair; Representative of Environmental NGOs for RSPO Principles and Criteria 2017

Faizal Parish, GEC Director is the co-chair for the RSPO Peatlands Working Group (PLWG) as well as a member of the Task Force for Revision of the RSPO Principles and Criteria. The Peatland Working group is overseeing measures to conserve and promote best management practices for peatlands by RSPO members.

UPDATING OF RSPO BMP MANUALS FOR PEAT

In November 2017, the RSPO Secretariat appointed GEC to facilitate the revision and updating of 2 existing RSPO manuals on BMP on peat. During the revision period, consultation workshops and field visits will be conducted; an online feedback and comments from stakeholders on the current BMPs collated. The revised BMP manuals are expected to be finalized in late 2018.

ROADSHOW ON PEATLAND

Loders Croklaan BV has appointed GEC to undertake a series of road shows in six peatland landscapes in Malaysia. The objective is to guide third party suppliers on the relevant/ required BMPs for plantations on peatland (Nov 2017-Dec 2018). The first road show was conducted in Sukau, Kinabatangan, Sabah in November 2017.



Year 2018 marks our 20 years of building partnership for the environment.

It also marks two decades of GEC's accomplishments.

We are growing stronger and reaching further, working strategically side by side with the governments, NGOs, corporate partners and local communities for the betterment of our environment.

Faizal Parish

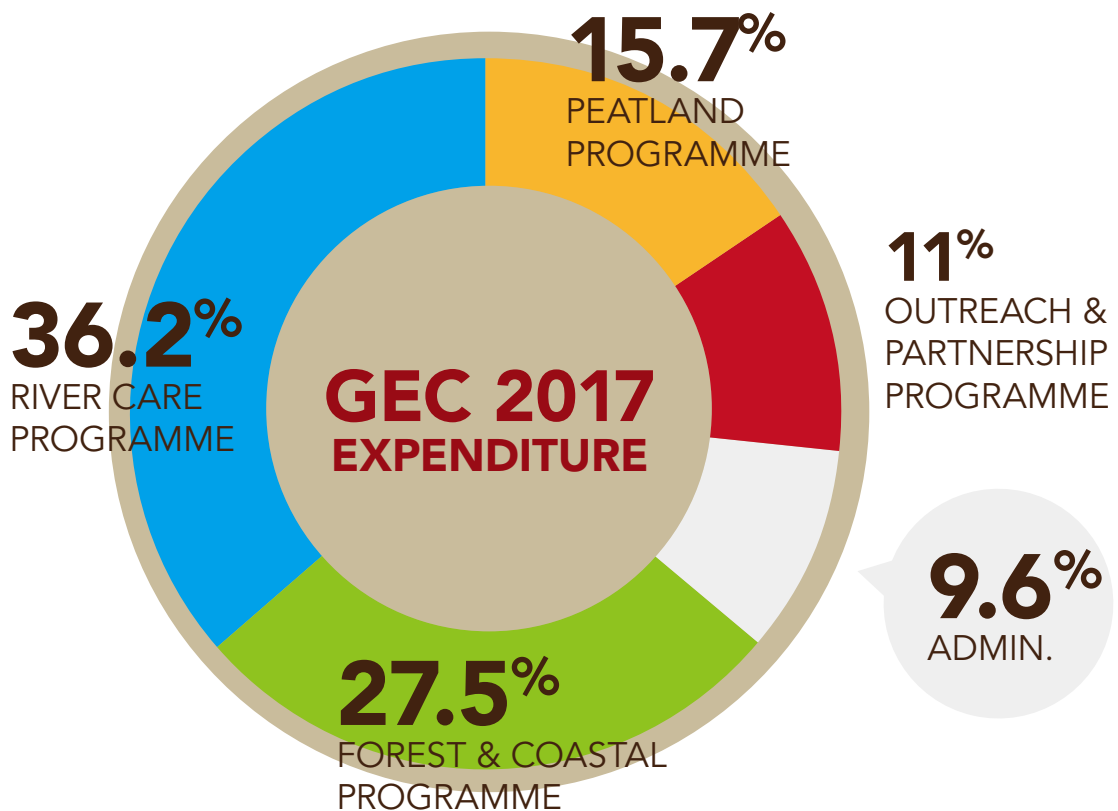
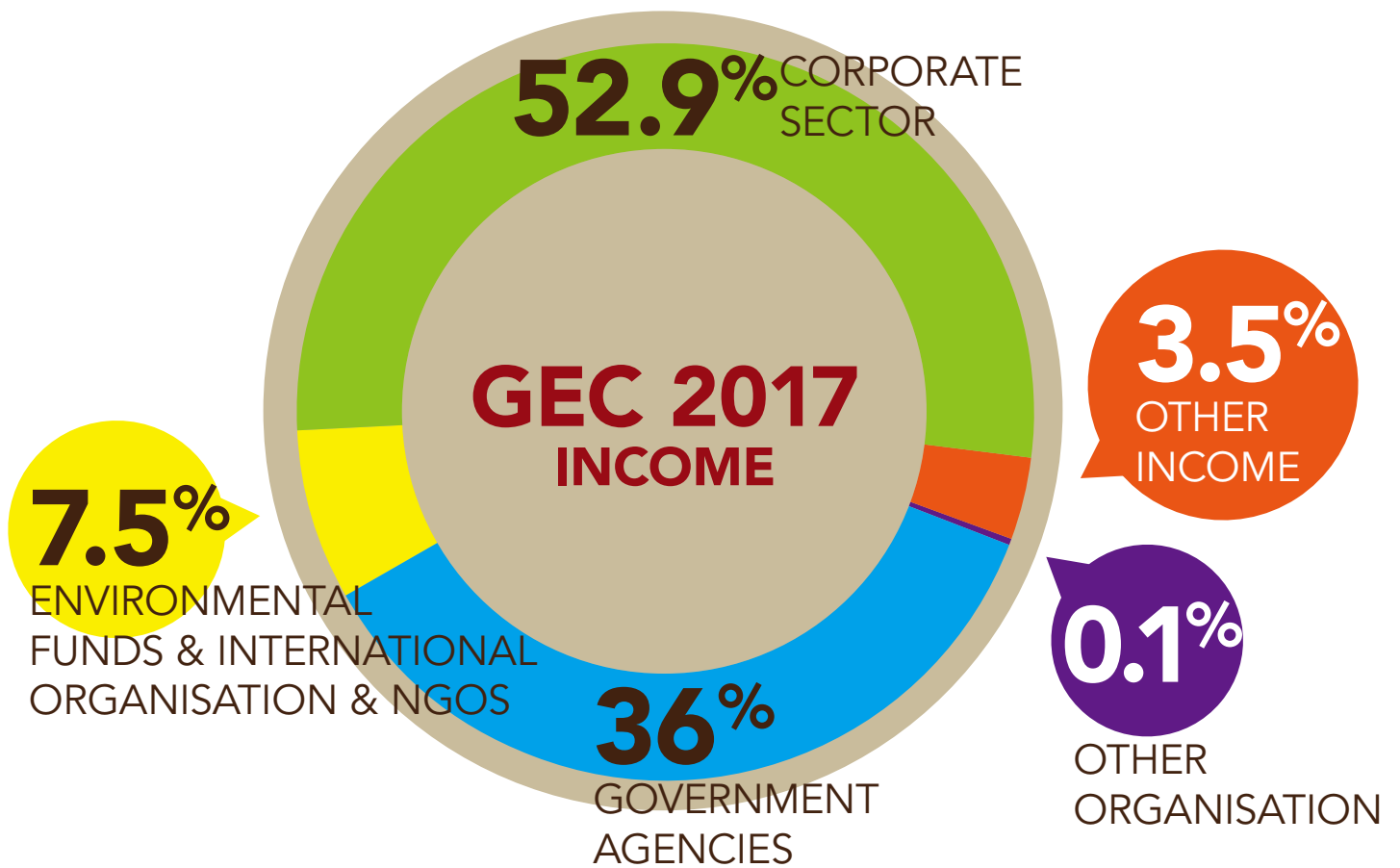
Founder and Director of GEC

SUMMARY FINANCIAL REPORT

(FROM AUDIT REPORT)

INCOME	2017	2016
GOVERNMENT AGENCIES	2,377,804.65	473,991.37
ENVIRONMENTAL FUND & INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATION & NGOS	494,204.19	1,183,811.44
CORPORATE SECTOR	3,503,211.77	3,476,937.44
OTHER ORGANISATION	6,530.00	5,185.95
OTHER INCOME	233,055.82	82,002.60
TOTAL	6,614,806.43	5,221,928.80

EXPENDITURE	2017	2016
FOREST & COASTAL PROGRAMME	1,681,524.30	1,480,000.58
RIVER CARE PROGRAMME	2,215,548.32	1,219,549.15
PEATLAND PROGRAMME	963,692.69	1,019,154.75
OUTREACH & PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMME	676,745.17	461,886.62
ADMIN & FINANCE	590,174.07	499,682.68
TOTAL	6,127,684.55	4,680,273.78
NET SURPLUS	487,121.88	541,655.02



PARTNERSHIP & SPONSORSHIP

Global Environment Centre relies on the generosity of individuals and companies to continue our conservation work and community education/building. Through corporate partnerships and donations, many donors have funded our projects. Key initiatives that have attracted a lot of supporters have included rehabilitation of North Selangor Peat Swamp Forest – from helping to rehabilitate the forest, prevention of peatland fire and haze and to provide sustainable livelihood for local community, and in river conservation and public outreach programme. GEC is fortunate to work in partnership with a number of dedicated companies who are committed to protect our environment. For their exceptional support during the past year, we gratefully acknowledge the generosity of the following:

List of International & Government Partners:

- ASEAN Secretariat
- Global Environment Facility (GEF)
- International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)
- Jabatan Pengairan dan Saliran Malaysia
- Jabatan Perhutanan Selangor/Selangor State Government
- Jabatan Perhutanan Sememanjung Malaysia
- Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Malaysia
- Ministry of Environment and Forestry, Indonesia
- MyWater Partnership
- Suruhanjaya Perkhidmatan Air Negara (SPAN)

List of Contributors:

For grants/contributions more than RM200,000

- HSBC Bank (M) Berhad
- International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)
- IOI Plantations Sdn Bhd
- Jabatan Pengairan dan Saliran Malaysia
- National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)/USAID
- SPARK Foundation
- Vale Minerals (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd
- Yayasan Sime Darby

For grants/contributions more than RM100-199,000

UPS Malaysia Sdn Bhd

For grants/contributions more than RM50-100K

- Amorepacific
- Boh Plantations Sdn Bhd
- Gamuda Land Bhd
- Jabatan Perhutanan Selangor
- Loders Croklaan BV
- Malaysian Plastic Manufacturers Association
- Roundtable of Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO)
- Yayasan Hasanah

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 - BMS Diagnostics Sdn Bhd
 - Bright Tree
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 - Croesus IT Solutions Sdn Bhd
 - Eco-Fields
 - Ericsson Malaysia Sdn Bhd
 - Estee Lauder Malaysia Sdn Bhd
 - Jabatan Perhutanan Semananjung Malaysia
 - KPMG
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