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**EIGHTEENTH CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES (CoP) OF THE IAI  
15-16 June 2011 – Asuncion, Paraguay**

The IAI Conference of the Parties, at its eighteenth meeting held on 15 and 16 June 2011, in Asuncion, Paraguay, adopted the following resolutions:

**RESOLUTION 1**

The CoP approved the Core Budget Request for FY 2011-2012.

**RESOLUTION 2**

The CoP approved the level of Country Contributions for FY 2011-2012.

**RESOLUTION 3**

The CoP approved the Annual Program for FY 2011-2012.

**RESOLUTION 4**

The CoP elected José Marengo, Walter Baethgen, Rodolfo Dirzo and Frank Müller Karger as members of the Scientific Advisory Committee.

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**RESOLUTION 5**

The CoP approved the Strategic Plan for the IAI.

**RESOLUTION 6**

The CoP unanimously decided to call a special meeting in mid February 2012 to choose the host country for the Directorate.

**RESOLUTION 7**

The CoP established an ad hoc committee (Host Country Committee) to provide information and advice to countries willing to host the IAI Directorate. Members are Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Paraguay and the USA. Alternate member is Guatemala. This Committee will also evaluate the proposals received by November 15, 2011.

**RESOLUTION 8**

The CoP endorses the establishment of the virtual Center for Water Security at University of Arizona and Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile.

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