



## IANRA DISCOVERY AND STRATEGIC PLANNING WORKSHOP BRIEF

**21-22 JUNE 2022**

***JOHANNESBURG, South Africa.***



On 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> of June 2022, the International Alliance on Natural Resources in Africa (IANRA) Secretariat hosted IANRA Steering Committee members in Johannesburg for an in depth Strategic Conversation Meeting.

The members, usually representing different African regions and member countries including Malawi, South Africa, Kenya, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Liberia and Mozambique would participate in a two day workshop facilitated by Strategic Planning Experts to help understand and create a new strategic blueprint for IANRA.

From the engagements during the workshop, the objectives of IANRA would be redefined to capture new global trends and challenges to enable a smooth and relevant transition into the future while analyzing and addressing the existing challenges in implementation to achieve the vision of IANRA while abiding the network's guiding core values.

The Blue print, once adopted will serve as a guide not only for IANRA but also for member organisations in countries across Africa and beyond in their work to ensure just and sustainable use of natural resources for the benefit of communities. The main goal is to revive the work and impact of IANRA and its members to continue to positively impact African Communities whose livelihoods largely depend on natural resources.

The strategic conversation is set to go on, through both virtual and in person meetings to ensure an all-inclusive final draft of the IANRA Strategy for the few coming years.

The workshop also provided a platform for members to learn and network on best practices and opportunities to continue their work at country levels and internationally.