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The visit also served to make an approach with the permanent delegation of Saudi Arabia in the institution, to which an invitation was extended to visit the Canaima National Park, located in southern Venezuela,

so that they can learn about the geological importance and the attractions of the indigenous peoples that inhabit the place, among others.

The Minister of Ecosocialism also met with the ambassador of the permanent delegation of the Russian Federation, Rinat Alyautdino, with whom he exchanged ideas on how to carry out actions in the management of World Heritage Sites.

"We remain committed to preserving the spaces that have been the cradle of civilizations and historical sites of importance to humanity,

guaranteeing the sovereignty of the peoples and the good life of present and future generations," said Minister Lorca.

He also held a meeting with the permanent Venezuelan delegation to Unesco, the president of the Institute of Cultural Heritage and the Vice-Ministry for Multilateral Issues, with whom he worked on the roadmap to strengthen the management of Venezuela's universal heritage, as instructed by President Nicolas Maduro.

"We are committed to the preservation of the Exceptional Universal Value of Venezuela and the world," he sentenced.

Government and People Power implements special decontamination plan

6 companies on the shores of Lake Maracaibo closed for failure to comply with environmental health standards

At least six companies located on the shores of Lake Maracaibo were temporarily closed for non-compliance with environmental health regulations, informed César Solís, Director General of Environmental Impact Control and Inspection, César Solís.

The Ministry for Ecosocialism (Minec) and the Institute for the Control and Conservation of the Maracaibo Lake Basin began the inspection of the 48 companies located on the shores of the lake.

The companies did not comply with the environmental control standards established for the conservation and sanitation of Lake Maracaibo. In order to reopen, they will have to adapt to the regulations.

During the deployment made by the officers, a citizen was arrested for wildlife trafficking and placed under the order of

the Public Prosecutor's Office. The subject had 9 birds that are in danger of extinction.

More than 80 officials, including technicians, biologists, scientists and inspectors, were involved in the operation to board the coastal companies.

The Minister of Popular Power for Ecosocialism, Josué Lorca, announced that together with the organized community of the people of Zulia, through the Technical Recycling and Cleaning Tables, 600 kilos of plastic waste have been collected on the shores of the lake, as part of the Integral Action Plan for the Sanitation of Lake Maracaibo.

Special decontamination plan

The inspections are part of the Special Plan for the Decontamination and Recovery of Lake Maracaibo announced by President Nicolás Maduro

on the occasion of the 200th anniversary of the Naval Battle of the Lake.

The Venezuelan President informed that for this task he has ordered an in-depth technical-scientific study, which "came into my hands a few days ago and I have personally prepared it with the support of the scientists, the technicians, the Ministers of Ecosocialism, Petroleum, Fishing and Aquaculture, the Vice-President of the Government for Public Services, Néstor Reverol".

President Maduro pointed out: "we are going to enter the Lake, we are going to enter with depth and seriousness, in spite of the sanctions and the blockade. We will provide the resources, we will provide the answers, but Lake Maracaibo, a beautiful lake, has to be recovered, we have to recover it, that is how I put it to myself".



People's Power has collected about 6 thousand kilos of plastic from the shores of Lake Maracaibo

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In order to learn about the activities of the center and possible joint strategies, a meeting was held between authorities of the National Observatory of the Climate Crisis (ONCC), under the Ministry of Popular Power for Ecosocialism (Minec), and representatives of the Ministry for Communes and Social Movements.

The meeting was held at the ONCC headquarters in the Minec Tower, in Plaza Caracas, to inform the spokespersons of the Communes and Social Movements about the advances in atmospheric diagnosis from the meteorological and climatological approach, in addition to a tour of the place.

In the meeting, which was led by the ONCC coordinator, Reybert Carrillo, they talked about possible joint strategies to articulate efforts in favor of the National Climate Action Plan.

In this regard, Carrillo

commented that, "the articulation with the Popular Power, with the communities, is essential to consolidate this plan, we had already had a previous link in which the director of the ONCC, Franklin Leal, was present, leaving some first intentions".

"Already here we are talking about joint, concrete actions, to prevent overlapping between institutions, to avoid that one institution does one thing and another does the same thing, that there is a single action with greater institutional strength," he added.

The representatives of Communes and Social Movements emphasized that they promote policies in ecological matters, which have to do with raising awareness in the community.

The visitors pointed out that the purpose is to combine scientific knowledge with popular knowledge, since the

communities are the ones who know the different problems and thus it is taken for granted that the plans are by and for them.

Castillo assured that the purpose of these meetings is to unify criteria, time and follow the same line.

"I believe that, in the end, a joint action is stronger than several scattered ones. The protocol part has to consider that, the unification in times and actions. That is to say, if the Ministry of Planning proposed a day of reforestation, well, let it be under the standards of what is already established, be it because the ministry itself has a plan of action for reforestation," he said.

"I leave this meeting very satisfied, knowing that there is an articulation, that we are working along the same lines. It is to make these proposals of actions and systematize them, to give them institutional weight", concluded Carrillo.



Articulation with the People's Power is essential to consolidate this plan

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Stations will allow the monitoring of climatic variables

The Ecosocialist Management team delivered community weather stations in Trujillo State, in a ceremony attended by representatives of Civil Protection (PC), local firefighters and authorities in the area of security and prevention.

The stations will allow the monitoring of climatic variables in order to strengthen early warning systems and contribute to the supervision of Task Force Andes 2023.

The assigned devices are in the context of the creation of the National Network of Community Meteorological Stations, which seeks to address the climate crisis throughout

the Venezuelan territory.

The activity was attended by the director of the National Observatory against the Climate Crisis (ONCC), Franklin Leal, who in addition to assigning the stations, inaugurated the headquarters of the organization he directs in the region, which will operate in the areas of the Territorial Ecosocialist Unit (UTEC) Trujillo, of the Ministry of People's Power for Ecosocialism (MINEC).

The event gives continuity to the policies of President Nicolás Maduro Moros, in matters of climate crisis, executed by the head of the Minec, Josué Lorca.

In Barcelona

Wooden plastic playground delivered to Las Casitas community

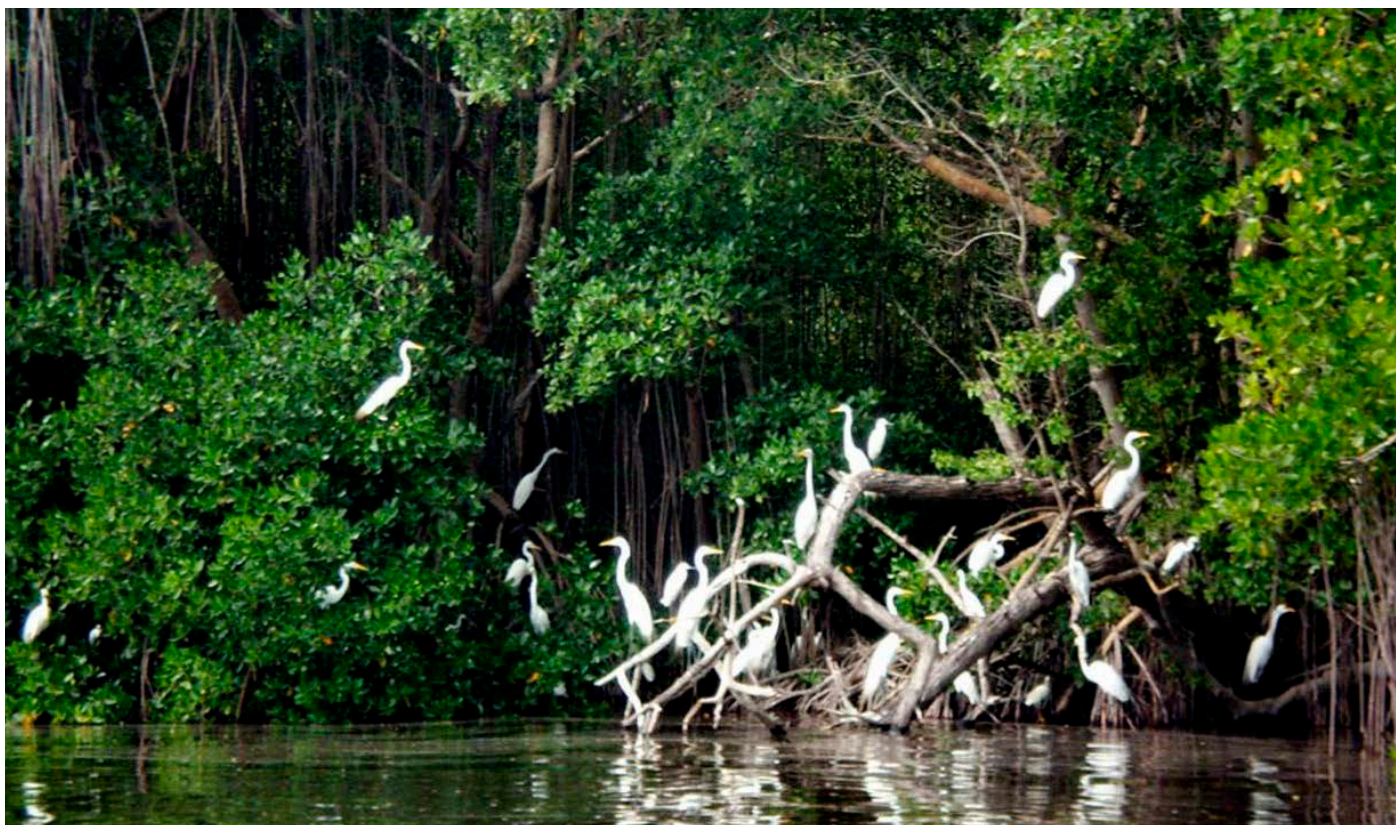
The Ecosocialist Management Team of the Ministry of People's Power for Ecosocialism (Minec) delivered to the community of Las Casitas in Barcelona, Anzoátegui State, a recreational park for children, made of plastic wood.

The inauguration ceremony was attended by the governor of the state, Luis José Marcano and the mayor of the Simón Bolívar municipality (Barcelona), Sugely Herrera, as a demonstration that good things can be done with recycling in favor of the environment.

The work is the result of the action of the State institutions, the "Fruto Vivas" Recycling School and the neighbors, with their commitment to collect the necessary plastic for the treatment and transformation in the recreational park.

The experience is a sample of the implementation of the circular economy, which avoids the exploitation of natural resources and resorts to reuse and recycle the materials that can be recovered, so that they do not end up in garbage dumps.





Mangroves contribute to soil formation, retain sediments and accumulate organic matter

Mangroves contribute to detoxification of Mother Earth

Since 2015, every July 26, the International Day for the Conservation of the Mangrove Ecosystem is commemorated, following a decision of the General Conference of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (Unesco).

The purpose of the date is to highlight the value and importance of these ecosystems, which are located on the boundary between land and sea in the planet's tropical zones, making mangroves unique, special and vulnerable ecosystems.

Mangroves contribute to soil formation, retain sediments and accumulate organic matter, which favors the consolidation of new land.

They are systems of protection and buffering of the sea's influence on the coasts, protecting them from erosion and extreme meteorological phenomena. Likewise, they

protect communities that could be affected by the rise in sea level that may occur due to climate change.

According to data from the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), in the last 40 years more than 50% of the world's mangroves have disappeared due to the overexploitation of shrimp industries in the areas where this type of natural habitat is developed.

For this reason, on this day it is necessary to raise the flags for the conservation of these ecosystems that extend over much of the planet, since they are of great help for the metabolic processes and detoxification of our mother earth.

Mangrove ecosystems could store up to 10 times more carbon than any other forest, according to the United Nations Environment Program (UNEP), the world's mangroves retain each year up to 22.8 million tons of carbon in their roots, trunks

and soil, making them a carbon-rich system that per hectare would have an average of more than 1,000 tons of carbon, according to a study published in 2011 in the scientific journal Nature Geoscience.

Mangroves are present in 126 countries, mainly concentrated in Africa and Asia, are highly productive, and are located in tropical and subtropical regions of the planet.

These ecosystems are present in Venezuela's coastal marine national parks, under the administration and management of the National Parks Institute (Inparques).

Six mangrove species known as *Rhizophora mangle*, *Rhizophora harrisoni*, *Rhizophora racemosa*, *Avicennia germinans*, *Laguncularia racemosa* and *Conocarpus erectus* are found throughout Venezuela's coastal zone, which occupies approximately 10% of the country's territory.

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I received Mohamed Hamel, Secretary General of the Gas Exporting Countries Forum; a productive working visit aimed at consolidating strategic alliances and complementarity in the different energy sources.



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I instructed the Vice President for Science, Technology, Education and Health @Gabrielasjr, to articulate with other countries so that our health professionals can continue their training in other medical specialties needed by the country, through scholarships to study abroad. The Venezuelan people deserve to have a National Public Health System of the highest quality!



@NicolasMaduro
07/24/2023

Maracaibo will have a Monumental Park that will be named after our great "Ana María Campos", a project we have been working on with the Venezuela Bella Mission and its president @JacquelinePSUV. The communities will have a space for recreation and joy.



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