

Key Principles

In addition to the eleven themes, the key principles or ‘means of implementation’ to ensure successful implementation of the Strategy were identified as follows:

- a) National ownership and political commitment across the region to the concept of complementary collective action and regionalism in helping countries address the economic, social and environmental challenges of the region.
- b) Commitment at both national and regional level in meeting global human rights and other international legal obligations that recognizes the rights of all people, the protection of our natural environment and ensures no one is left behind.
- c) People-centered to ensure inclusion and broad community engagement in defining and implementing specific actions to achieve the 2050 Strategy.
- d) Participation of Pacific governments, non-government agencies, private sector representatives, faith-based organizations, academia and the media in monitoring, evaluating and reporting on progress under the Strategy.
- e) Flexible, responsive and complementary to national action.
- f) “Safeguarding” be enshrined in the 2050 Strategy to ensure that all Pacific peoples are empowered, included and protected through the 2050 Strategy.
- g) A responsive and collaborative regional architecture (not limited to the CROP agencies) in the implementation of the 2050 Strategy and the specific actions identified by the Forum Leaders.