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JANUARY			
1	New Year 2019		
15-16	Technical Meeting for the Preparation of the Special ASEAN Ministerial Meeting on Marine Debris (SAMM)	Thailand	Thailand
21-22	10th EAS High-Level Seminar on Sustainable Cities (HLS-ESC)	AWGESC	Bali, Indonesia
23-25	Third Forum of Ministers and Environment Authorities of Asia Pacific	-	Singapore
28-31	Coordination Meeting on ASEAN Cooperation in Addressing Marine Debris Pollution Scoping Meeting on the ASEAN-Norway Project on Regional Capacity Building of Reducing Plastic Pollution 20th Meeting of ASEAN Working Group on Coastal and Marine Environment (AWGCME)	Philippines	Phuket, Thailand
FEBRUARY			
5	Lunar New Year		
13-15	4th Meeting of the ASEAN Task Force on Peatlands*	Myanmar	Myanmar
19	ASEAN-GIZ ISB Project Completion Forum	ACB	Jakarta, Indonesia
19-20 (TBC)	High-Level Retreat and Legal Scrubbing on the Establishment Agreement of the ACC THPC*	Indonesia	Jakarta, Indonesia
21-22	Inception Workshop on the PaSTI-JAIF Project	AWGCC	Bangkok, Thailand
MARCH			
5	Special ASEAN Ministerial Meeting on Marine Debris (SAMM)	Thailand	Thailand
4-6	Ninth Regional 3R Forum in Asia and the Pacific	Thailand	Thailand
11-15	4th UN Environment Assembly (UNEA)		Nairobi, Kenya

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21-22	Special ASEAN Ministerial Meeting on Illegal Wildlife Trade	ASOF	Chiang Mai, Thailand
TBP	Preparatory Meeting of the 10th Meeting of the ASEAN Working Group on Climate Change Coordination Meeting on ASEAN-EU Climate Action (tbc)		Singapore
APRIL			
1st week (or June)	14th Meeting of the Technical Working Group on Transboundary Haze Pollution in the Mekong Sub-Region (TWG Mekong)* 8th Meeting of the Sub-Regional Ministerial Steering Committee on Transboundary Haze Pollution in the Mekong Sub-Region (MSC Mekong)*	Cambodia	Cambodia
TBC	34th ASEAN Summit		Thailand
13-15	Songkran Festival		
19	Good Friday		
29 April to 10 May 2019	2019 Meetings of the Conferences of the Parties to the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions		Geneva, Switzerland
MAY			
1	International Labor Day		
TBP	19th Meeting of ASEAN Working Group on Water Resources Management (AWGWRM)	Malaysia	Philippines
TBP	29th Meeting of ASEAN Working Group on Nature Conservation and Biodiversity (AWGNCB)	Indonesia	Lao PDR
TBC	ASEAN-China National Focal Point Meeting on Environmental Cooperation	-	China
TBP	4th Meeting of ASEAN Working Group on Chemicals and Waste (AWGCW)	Thailand	Myanmar
14-18	49th Session of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)	-	Kyoto, Japan
JUNE			

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5	World Environment Day	-	
5-6 (TBC)	Islamic Eid Holiday	-	
12	Consultation Meeting on ASEAN-EU Project on Circular Economy		Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
13-14	17th Meeting of ASEAN Working Group on Environmentally Sustainable Cities (AWGESC)	Cambodia	Lao PDR
25-26	11th Meeting of ASEAN Working Group on Environmental Education (AWGEE)	Brunei Darussalam	Brunei Darussalam
TBP	2nd ASEAN Climate Change Partnership Conference (CCPC) (tbc) 10th Meeting of ASEAN Working Group on Climate Change (AWGCC)	Singapore	Singapore
TBP	ASEAN Capacity Building Workshop for Climate Change Negotiators		Viet Nam (tbc)
JULY			
8-12	i. 5th PSC Meeting of CARE4Biodiv ii. 2nd PSC Meeting of BCAMP iii. 21st Meeting of Governing Board of ASEAN Centre for Biodiversity iv. 30th Meeting of ASEAN Senior Officials on Environment (ASOEN) & Related Meetings v. 15th ASEAN Plus Three Senior Officials Meeting on Environment (SOME) vi. 13th ASEAN-Japan Dialogue on Environment vii. Officials Meeting for Preparation of the 5th EAS EMM (TBC)	Malaysia	Thailand
9-18	7th UN High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF)	-	New York, USA
End of July / Early August	21st Meeting of the Technical Working Group on Transboundary Haze Pollution (TWG)* 21st Meeting of the Sub-Regional Ministerial Steering Committee on Transboundary Haze Pollution (MSC)*	Brunei Darussalam	Brunei Darussalam
AUGUST			

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8	ASEAN Day		
SEPTEMBER			
TBP	i. 15th Meeting of Committee under COP to AATHP (COM-15) ii. 15th Meeting of Conference of the Parties to AATHP (COP-15) iii. 15th ASEAN Ministerial Meeting on Environment (AMME) iv. 15th ASEAN Plus Three Environment Ministers Meeting (EMM) v. 6th EAS EMM (TBC) vi. ASEAN Youth Eco-champions Award Presentation Ceremony vii. ASEAN Youth Eco-schools Award Presentation Ceremony	Cambodia	Cambodia
TBC	ASEAN-China Environmental Cooperation Forum 2019	-	Nanning, China
23	UN 2019 Climate Summit		New York, USA
24-25	SDG Summit		New York, USA
17-30	74th Session of the UN General Assembly (UNGA)	-	New York, USA
OCTOBER			
TBP	11th ASEAN Plus Three Leadership Programme on Sustainable Consumption and Production	-	TBC
TBC	6th ASEAN Heritage Parks Conference	ACB	Luang Prabang, Lao PDR
NOVEMBER			

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TBC	35th ASEAN Summit		Thailand
11-22	25th Session of the Conference of the Parties to the UNFCCC	-	Chile
DECEMBER			
25	Christmas Day		
TBC			
TBC	8th ASEM Sustainable Development Dialogue: "Promoting Water Partnership Towards the Sustainable Development and Growth"		Cambodia

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