

## 2012/13 WUQWATR Source Water Protection Plan Yearly Results Report

### Key Action

Agency responsible for Key Action:	Results:	Evaluation (please rate this Key Action from 1 to 4, 1 being unaddressed, 4 being complete):	Gaps/Barriers/Successes - If the evaluation of this Key Action received a 1 or 2, please identify gaps or barriers that are preventing completion of this Key Action and how those gaps or barriers can be addressed. If the evaluation of this Key Action received a 3 or 4, please explain why :
1	Key Action: Aquifer and Ground Water Well database		
Agency: <b>1. Water Security agency/Saskatchewan Watershed Authority (SWA)</b> 2. Saskatchewan Ministry of Environment (MOE) 3. Saskatchewan Ministry of Health (MOH) and Regional Health Authorities 4. Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC) 5. WUQWATR	Results: Meeting held with Groundwater Division in 2008 Letter sent to SWA Groundwater Division requesting update for 2009 Identify and developing common approach with other watersheds Regional Health Authorities be removed from Agencies List  Completion Date: April 2010	Evaluation: 4  2011/12 -4	Gaps/Barriers/Successes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SWA response received – Authority has well data online.</li> <li>• Water Availability Study underway</li> <li>• Groundwater availability studies for the Qu'Appelle have priority in 25 Year Water Plan.</li> <li>• WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete province wide in KA 1.6a by 2016</li> <li>• WUQ timeline requires review</li> </ul>
2	Key Action: Aquifer and Ground Water Protection		
Agency: <b>1. WSA</b> 2. MOE 3. MOH 4. WUQWATR	Results: Meeting held with Groundwater Division in 2008 Letter sent to SWA Groundwater Division requesting update for 2010 Regional Health Authorities be removed from Agencies List  Completion date; April 2012	Evaluation: 2  2011/12 - 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Awaiting Water Availability study which will contribute to the data required.</li> <li>• WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KAs2.3a, 3.1i by 2014, 2015</li> <li>• WUQ timeline requires review</li> </ul>
3	Key Action: Aquifers "101", Hydrology "101" and Water Well Management		
Agency: <b>1. SWA</b> 2. MOE 3. AAFC 4. Saskatchewan Research Council (SRC)	Results: Water well management complete Link on WUQWATR Website Completion date: Ongoing	Evaluation: 4 4 on water well management 2 on others	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• WUQWATR to develop and post content on WUQ website</li> <li>• WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA2.3a by 2015</li> </ul>
4	Key Action: Mandatory High-Risk Aquifer/Ground Water Protection		
Agency: <b>1. SWA</b> 2. AAFC 3. SRC	Results: Booklet on well decommissioning produced Strong partnerships emerging Completion date: Ongoing	Evaluation: 3  2011/12- 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SWA response received – procedures for well decommissioning have been streamlined, SWA staff working with contractors to expand expertise</li> <li>• Funding unavailable for decommissioning of non-farm wells</li> <li>• WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA3.1i by 2014</li> <li>• Farm and Ranch Water supply under growing Forward 2 provides enhanced cost share</li> <li>• WUQ timeline requires review</li> </ul>
5	Fund Well Decommissioning		
Agency: <b>1. SWA</b> 2. WUQWATR 3. AAFC 4. Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture (MOA) 5. MOE	Results: 4wells decommissioned through WIA AEGP program, 1 through EcoAction WUQWATR AEGP advertised the availability of funding for well decommissioning funding to 4,500 area producers. Completion date: 2008	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 -3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No program for Decommissioning of non-farm wells</li> <li>• Availability of contractors is a barrier</li> <li>• Availability of new funding under Farm and Ranch Water Supply Program under Growing Forward 2 will be an incentive for well decommissioning</li> <li>• WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA3.1i by 2014</li> <li>• WUQ timeline requires review</li> </ul>
6	Key Action: Communication Strategy Developed/Implemented		
Agency: <b>1. SWA</b> 2. WUQWATR	Results: WUQWATR Communications strategy developed	Evaluation: 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes:

		with SWA staff complete December 2008 WUQWATR Website developed Standing WUQWATR communications committee WUQWATR Partnership with the City of Regina and other municipalities Time Frame: June 2008 (Ongoing)	2011/12 - 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WUQWATR Board updated strategy May 2010</li> <li>Cost of communications projects is high</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA2.3a by 2015</li> </ul>
7	Key Action: Watershed Environmental Health Report of the Upper Qu'Appelle River and Wascana Creek Watersheds			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOE 3. WUQWATR	Results: Watershed Health Report released in 2010. Regional Health Authorities be removed from Agencies List Wascana Creek Riparian Assessment Project design completed by WUQWATR WUQWATR staff developing format for local EHP Time Frame: 2009	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 - 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SWA Report published in 2010</li> <li>Inconsistent data available at a local level</li> <li>Riparian Health Assessment commenced in 2012</li> <li>WUQWATR Research Inventory began in 2012</li> </ul>	
8	Key Action: Monitor Progress of Agri-Environmental Group Plan Efforts			
Agency: 1. WUQWATR	Results: WUQWATR administering AEGPs in Lanigan Manitou, Buffalo Pound, Lewis Creek. Expansion plans to include Wascana Watershed completed Time Frame: Annually beginning in 2008	Evaluation: 4  2011/12 - 4	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WUQWATR has renewed contracts for AEGP</li> <li>Successful Application to expand program to entire watershed area</li> <li>Adequacy of funding is a potential barrier.</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA3.1j by 2013</li> </ul>	
9	Key Action: Treatment Technologies in Communities/Municipalities			
Agency: 1. MOE 2. Saskatchewan Ministry of Municipal Affairs (MOMA) 3. MOH	Results: MOE provides regular updates to municipalities on water and wastewater technologies as part of its regulatory inspection process MOE provides regular updates to <a href="http://www.saskh20.ca">www.saskh20.ca</a> website Results based regulatory system underway Time Frame: Annually beginning in April 2008	Evaluation: 4  2011/12 - 4	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs continued promotion of website to small communities and watershed organizations</li> <li>Needs more involvement and promotion from all agencies</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA1.1c by 2016</li> <li>WUQ timeline requires review</li> </ul>	
10	Key Action: Apprise on Water Allocation Policy, Regulations and Process			
Agency: 1. SWA	Results: Province announced 25 Year Water Security Plan with focus on allocation Water Availability Study continues Priority given to Qu'Appelle system Time Frame: October 2010	Evaluation: 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Breadth or depth of the required change is a potential barrier to full implementation.</li> <li>Lack of public knowledge of process or mechanisms</li> <li>Water Availability study will inform revised allocation process</li> <li>WUQ timeline requires review</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA1.3a by 2016</li> </ul>	
11	Key Action: Balance Economics with Environment			
Agency: 1. MOE 2. MOA 3. Saskatchewan Ministry of Energy and Resources (MOER) 4. MOMA	Results: Province announced 25 Year Water Security Plan MOE response indicates that results based regulatory framework will meet objectives of this action Time Frame: April 2009 and ongoing	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 - 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Breadth or depth of the required change is a potential barrier to full implementation.</li> <li>Implications of results based changes to new Provincial Environmental Regulations is a barrier</li> </ul>	
12	Key Action: Water/Energy Conservation			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOE 3. MOER 4. Municipal governments	Results: SWA conservation program underway and toilet replacement project expanded to institutional sites. WUQWATR promoting conservation through communications strategy City of Regina is developing strategy Time Frame: October 2008 and ongoing	Evaluation: 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Building codes have not changed recently</li> <li>Level of staff commitment at the municipal level is a potential barrier.</li> <li>Smaller communities lack capacity</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA1.1a Ongoing</li> <li>NRC-CSIR has been eliminated</li> </ul>	
13	Key Action: Funding for Municipal Sewage Management			

Agency: <b>1. MOMA</b> 2. SWA 3. MOE 4. MOH 5. Infrastructure Canada 6. Environnement Canada (EC)	Results: Regional Health Authorities be removed from Agencies List Recent infrastructure funding available WUQWATR has surveyed municipalities on infrastructure needs Time Frame: April 2008 and ongoing	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA2.1c by 2014</li> <li>Requires future infrastructure funding</li> <li>WUQ timeline requires review</li> </ul>
14 Key Action: Cost Recover for Water Infrastructure			
Agency: <b>1. MOMA</b> 2. SWA 3. Infrastructure Canada 4. SaskWater 5. Municipal governments	Results: Many municipal systems are currently full cost recovery or moving in that direction  Time Frame: April 2008 and ongoing	Evaluation: 2  2011/12 -2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Life cycle costs for watershed and aquifer/groundwater protection needs to be determined</li> <li>Uncertainty of whether municipalities are working with actual life cycle costs</li> <li>Cost of meters, staffing is a barrier for smaller water utilities</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA1.1b by 2016</li> </ul>
15 Key Action: Fish Passage Through Works			
Agency: <b>1. MOMA</b> 2. Fisheries and Oceans Canada (FOC) 3. MOE 4. Saskatchewan Wildlife Federation (SWF) 5. Municipal governments	Results: DFO offices in Saskatchewan were closed in 2012, Fisheries Act changed to remove most WUQ waterbodies from federal regulation  Time Frame: Process developed by Oct. 2008	Evaluation: 1  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Municipalities are unclear of process</li> <li>changes to Fisheries Legislation make this objective unclear</li> </ul>
16 Key Action: Economic Support			
Agency: <b>1. Environment Canada</b> <b>2. AAFC</b> 3. FOC 4. SWA 5. MOE 6. MOA	Results: Conservation & Stewardship Awards by City of Regina and Wascana C & D Support for AEGP Program SWA support for Conservation and Development Authorities Needs more follow up with federal agencies Time Frame: April 2008 and ongoing	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires major change in orientation by governments</li> <li>Requires integrated water management approach at all levels</li> </ul>
17 Key Action: Agricultural Plan Framework			
Agency: <b>1. MOA</b> 2. AAFC	Results: WUQWATR has prepared \$3.4 million in funding applications for 253 producers since 2009 Time frame October 2008	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 -3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Renegotiation of Growing Forward for 2013</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to complete in KA3.1j by 2016</li> </ul>
18 Key Action: Ecotourism Development			
Agency: <b>1. Saskatchewan Nature and Ecotourism Association</b> 2. MOER 3. Municipal governments	Results: No lead agency for this key action Time Frame: October 2008 and ongoing	Evaluation: 1  2011/12 - 1	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SNES no longer exists, no central coordinating agency</li> <li>Limits of marketing funds</li> </ul>
19 Key Action: Upper Qu'Appelle River/Wascana Creek Watersheds Advisory Committees' Presence			
Agency: <b>1. WUQWATR</b>	Results: Partnerships continue to expand WACs meeting regularly Time Frame: Immediate and ongoing	Evaluation: 4  2011/12 - 4	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires sustained funding</li> </ul>
20 Watershed Advisory Committee's Independence from Government			
Agency: <b>1. WUQWATR</b>	Results: Project grants received Independent Board functioning Watershed Advisory Committee continuing to work on local issues, identify and discuss new issues Membership fee revenue of \$25,200 received in 2012/13 Continued involvement in Saskatchewan Association of Watersheds Time Frame: October 2007 and ongoing	Evaluation: 3  2011/12- 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Government core funding needs to continue</li> <li>Keeping watershed advisory committees active can be a barrier</li> </ul>
21 Key Action: Local Implementation of the Source Water Protection Plan			
Agency: <b>1. WUQWATR</b>	Results: WUQWATR memberships received WUQWATR website developed and completed WUQWATR programming underway to address priority recommendations	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 - 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Keeping watershed advisory committee active is a barrier</li> <li>SWA communications reduced</li> <li>SWA support limited</li> </ul>

	Time Frame: October 2007 and ongoing		
22	Key Action: Communication and Participation		
Agency: 1. <b>WUQWATR</b>	Results: WUQWATR programming underway Watershed Advisory Committee meetings being held SWPP being promoted and issues discussed Time Frame: April 2008	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 - 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>SWA communications reduced</li><li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address in KA7.5a by 2015</li></ul>
23	Key Action: Involvement in Local and Regional Water Issues		
Agency: 1. <b>WUQWATR</b>	Results: WUQWATR and Board presence is growing Time Frame: Immediate and ongoing	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 -3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>General awareness of WUQWATR and SWPP is growing</li><li>Large number of issues involving water</li><li>WUQWATR lacks jurisdictional status</li></ul>
24	Key Action: Funding of Watershed Coordinator/Liaison		
Agency: 1. <b>MOMA</b> 2. Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities (SARM) 3. Saskatchewan Urban Municipalities Association (SUMA) 4. SWA 5. FOC 6. AAFC 7. MOE	Results: <a href="http://www.saskh20.ca">www.saskh20.ca</a> website and 1-800 number is operating Province initiated saskflood.ca website  Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 - 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Creation of WSA</li><li>Information is available, but only limited facilitation service from government agencies</li><li>Federal government moving away from direct program delivery</li><li>Inadequate funding</li></ul>
25	Key Action: Input in Conveyance Decision-Making		
Agency: 1. <b>SWA</b> 2. WUQWATR	Results: SWA has kept WUQWATR informed Time Frame: April 2008	Evaluation: 2  2011/12 -2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>No formal input into final decision-making</li></ul>
26	Key Action: Co-operation		
Agency: 1. <b>WUQWATR</b> 2. Conservation Area Associations 3. Watershed Associations	Results: Support for WUQWATR programming Growing C & D participation in watershed meetings and workshops Time Frame: April 2010	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 -2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Relationships with stakeholders has expanded</li></ul>
27	Key Action: Zoning Bylaws		
Agency: 1. <b>MOMA</b> 2. Municipal governments 3. MOE 4. SWA 5. MOH	Results: MOMA produced Bylaw and Zoning templates in 2008 Reviewed by WUQWATR committee Area municipalities are introducing OCPs and Bylaws reflecting SWPP Time Frame : April 2010	Evaluation: 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Getting municipalities to adopt new bylaw structures requires time and commitment which is a barrier.</li><li>Lack of municipal capacity to develop and enforcement development plans and bylaws</li><li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KAs 5.1f, 7.1a by 2014</li><li>WUQ timeline needs review</li></ul>
28	Key Action: Aquifer Protection		
Agency: 1. <b>SWA</b> 2. MOE 3. MOH 4. MOA 5. MOMA	Results: Province has committed to review all provincial water legislation by 2014 Time Frame: April 2013	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Breadth or depth of the required change is considerable</li><li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KA 7.1a by 2014</li></ul>
29	Key Action: Aquifer Protection in <i>The Planning and Development Act</i>		
Agency: 1. <b>SWA</b> 2. MOMA 3. MOH 4. MOE 5. Municipal governments	Results: Province has committed to review all provincial water legislation by 2014  Time Frame: April 2013 and ongoing	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-1	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Breadth or depth of the required change is considerable</li><li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KA 7.1a by 2014</li></ul>
30	Key Action: Re-examine Evaluation/Monitoring of Feedlots, Hog Barns, Slaughter Plants		
Agency: 1. <b>MOA</b> 2. MOE 3. MOH	Results: Ag Operations Act continues to monitor Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation: 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Currently no commitment to review</li></ul>
31	Key Action: Stormwater Legislation and Urban Runoff Guidelines		
Agency: 1. <b>MOE</b> 2. MOMA 3. Municipal governments	Results: MOE reports completion of storm water management guidelines in 2006	Evaluation: 2	Gaps/Barriers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Lack of knowledge around manageable, affordable, enforceable and</li></ul>

4. WUQWATR 5. SWA 6. NRCC – CSIR 7. EC	Province has committed to review all provincial water legislation by 2014  NRC-CSIR has been closed  Time Frame: April 2013	2011/12-2	environmentally-acceptable has prompted pilot projects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pending federal guidelines</li> <li>Monitoring and analysis not in place</li> </ul>
32	Key Action: Review of the Federal <i>Fisheries Act</i>		
Agency: 1. <b>FOC</b> 2. MOE 3. EC 4. Stakeholders	Results: Changes made to Federal Fisheries Act have resulted in reduced regulation of Sask waterbodies  Time Frame: Ongoing	Evaluation: 1  2011/12-1	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Saskatchewan Environment does not have jurisdiction</li> <li>Impact of legislative changes to the Fisheries Act are unknown</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KA 3.3c by 2013</li> </ul>
33	Key Action: Guidelines for Agricultural, Industrial, and Highway Runoff		
Agency: 1. <b>MOE</b> 2. Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment 3. MOA 4. MOER 5. Saskatchewan Ministry of Highways and Infrastructure (MOHI) 6. WUQWATR	Results: MOE Defers to Federal Environment Follow up required for clarification from MOE, Highways MOE states federal guidelines are deemed sufficient Time Frame: April 2013 (Ongoing)	Evaluation: 2  2011/12- 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guidelines around salt may limit a broader assessment of runoff</li> <li>May require separate actions to determine overall evaluation of runoff</li> </ul>
34	Key Action: Watershed Health Report		
Agency: 1. <b>SWA</b> 2. AAFC – PFRA 3. MOE 4. MOA 5. MOH 6. MOER 7. Partners FOR the Saskatchewan River Basin 8. Saskatchewan Soil Conservation Association 9. Prairie Conservation Action Plan 10. Ducks Unlimited Canada (DUC)	Results: WUQWATR undertaking background work for watershed health assessment and management plan  Time Frame: April 2010	Evaluation: 3 2011/12 -2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires legislative change</li> <li>Province moving away from regulatory requirements in new Environmental Management system</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KA 6.2d on ongoing basis</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
35	Key Action: Health Regulations		
Agency: 1. <b>MOH</b> 2. MOE 3. Health Canada 4. MOMA 5. FOC	Results: Ministry released new versions of Onsite Wastewater disposal guide. Fact sheets have been created on private sewage systems. Info has been posted on MOH website. Time Frame: April 2010	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 - 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KAs 2.2a,2.2b,2.3a,7.1a by 2014,2015,2016</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
36	Key Action: Provincial Flood and Drainage Policies		
Agency: 1. <b>SWA</b> 2. WUQWATR 3. MOA 4. MOE 5. AAFC	Results: Local meeting held to discuss flood and drainage policies Time Frame: April 2010	Evaluation: 2  2011/12 -2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Highly contentious local issue, with little middle ground</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KAs 5.2a,5.2b,5.2c</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
37	Key Action: Provincial Flood and Drought Strategy		
Agency: 1. <b>SWA</b> 2. MOA 3. AAFC 4. EC 5. Climate Change Saskatchewan	Results: Follow up required to inquiries sent to SWA Initiation of PRAC study by SWA and PARC LIRA project underway WUQWATR delivered Extreme Climate workshop for watershed municipalities under PRAC Timeframe: April 2009 (Ongoing)	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Required time for analysis and research may be a barrier</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KAs 5.1a,5.1c,5.1d,5.3a,5.3b,6.2a by 2014,2016</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
38	Key Action: Develop/Implement Flood Plain Regulation		
Agency: 1. <b>SWA</b> 2. MOMA 3. Municipal governments 4. EC 5. AAFC	Results: SWA and WUQWATR municipalities are researching Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of information to define concepts like 1:500 year flood events</li> <li>Adoption into municipal bylaws/zoning plans is required for successful implementation</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KA 7.1a by 2014</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>

39	Key Action: Natural Capital			
Agency: 1. MOE 2. DUC 3. Nature Conservancy of Canada 4. Saskatchewan Ministry of Finance 5. FOC 6. SWF 7. EC 8. AAFC 9. SWA 10. MOA	Results: MOE responds that "natural capital" is a consideration in environmental assessment and that the concept will be incorporated in future legislative reform  Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation:  2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scope of concept is very broad</li> <li>• Understanding of concept is limited</li> <li>• Assessing application is difficult</li> <li>• WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KAs 1.6e, 1.7a by 2016</li> <li>• WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>	
40	Key Action: Protect, Conserve and Restore Wetlands			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOE 3. DUC 4. WUQWATR	Results: WUQWATR building partnerships with DUC and ALUS Canada Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation:  2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited incentives or encouragement on private land</li> <li>• Breadth or depth of the required change is large</li> <li>• WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KA 3.2a by 2015</li> <li>• WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>	
41	Key Action: One Water Contact Agency			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOE 3. MOA 4. MOH 5. FOC 6. EC 7. MOMA	Results: Creation of Water Security Agency completes KA 41 Website <a href="http://www.saskh20.ca">www.saskh20.ca</a> and toll-free information line has been set up <a href="http://www.saskflood.ca">www.saskflood.ca</a> website created Regional Health Authorities be removed from Agencies List  Time Frame: April 2009 and ongoing	Evaluation:  4  2011/12- 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completed</li> </ul>	
42	Key Action: One-Stop Information Centre			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOE 3. MOA 4. FOC 5. EC	Results: Creation of Water Security Agency completes KA 41 Website <a href="http://www.saskh20.ca">www.saskh20.ca</a> and toll-free information line has been set up <a href="http://www.saskflood.ca">www.saskflood.ca</a> website created  Time Frame: April 2009 and ongoing	Evaluation:  4 2011/12 - 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completed</li> </ul>	
43	Key Action: Repository of Watershed Information			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOE 3. MOA 4. EC 5. WUQWATR	Results: Water Availability Study underway WUQWATR refining inventory of local research Time Frame: April 2010	Evaluation:  3  2011/12 -2	Gaps/Barriers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address through KAs 1.6b,1.6c,1.6d,6.1a,6.1b by 2015, 2016</li> <li>• WUQ timeline requires review</li> </ul>	
44	Key Action: Pasqua Lake Research			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOE 3. University of Regina (U of R) and other researchers 4. City of Regina 5. City of Moose Jaw 6. Municipal governments 7. SRC 8. First Nations 9. NRCC – CSIR 10. AAFC – PFRA 11. EC	Results: Some studies already completed Federal Environment study on City of Regina effluent released. City working on replacement for City waste Water plant  Time Frame: April 2013	Evaluation:  3  2011/12 -2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Federal study identifies impacts of nutrient and other effluents</li> <li>• Lower Qu'Appelle watershed planning almost complete</li> <li>•</li> </ul>	
45	Key Action: Ecosystem Impact from Salt			
Agency: 1. NRCC – CSIR 2. MOHI 3. MOE 4. City of Regina	Results: NRC-CSIR closed down MOE reports that affects of salt have been adequately addressed Time Frame: April 2011	Evaluation:  2  2011/12 - 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lack of availability of public information on the ecosystem impacts from salt and alternatives to salt is a barrier</li> <li>• Lead agency no longer exists</li> </ul>	
46	Key Action: Incentives for research of Safe Use/Re-Use of Water			
Agency: 1. NRCC – CSIR 2. WUQWATR	Results: NRC-CSIR no longer exists	Evaluation:  1	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allocation of resources to NRC is a</li> </ul>	

3. Communities of Tomorrow 4. MOA 5. AAFC	Time Frame: April 2010	2011/12-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>barrier</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KA 1.1c by 2016.</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
47 Key Action: State of Fisheries Research			
Agency: 1. MOE 2. FOC 3. SWF	Results: MOE indicates that fish studies ongoing. Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation: 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KA 3.3c</li> </ul>
48 Key Action: Little Manitou Lake Study			
Agency: 1. WUQWATR 2. MOE 3. SWA 4. National Hydrological Research Institute 5. Local stakeholders	Results: Community consultation held to develop terms of reference, WUQWATR collecting inventory of previous research, looking for funding opportunities Time Frame: April 2011	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to engage all local stakeholders and government is a barrier to implementation.</li> </ul>
49 Key Action: Eyebrow Lake/Ducks Unlimited Canada Water Quality Investigation			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOE 3. DUC	Results: Contact made with DUC to discuss Time Frame: October 2008	Evaluation: 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to engage local stakeholders, DUC and government is a barrier</li> </ul>
50 Key Action: Effects of Irrigation - Wascana Creek			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. NRCC 3. Wascana Centre Authority 4. City of Regina	Results:  Time Frame: April 2011	Evaluation: 1  2011/12-1	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to engage all stakeholders is a barrier to implementation.</li> <li>Needs better definition of research question</li> </ul>
51 Key Action: Water Conveyance Management			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Municipal governments 3. WUQWATR	Results: WUQWATR has been involved in stakeholder consultations on conveyance issues. South Central REDA undertaking studies Further research has been undertaken in 2012-13 by South Central Enterprise Region consultants Time Frame: April 2009 and ongoing	Evaluation: 3  2011/12- 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Time, demand forecasting and large financial commitment are barriers.</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 1.2a,1.2b by 2014, 2016</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
52 Key Action: Assess Current/Future Conveyance Demand			
Agency: 1. SWA	Results: Provincial Water Availability Study underway. Enterprise Region conducting further studies on conveyance and potential benefits of improved conveyance" to stakeholders AECOM study presented to stakeholders in July 2009 SWA capacity research undertaken Conveyance study stakeholder meeting July 2009 Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation: 3  2011/12 - 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Time, demand forecasting and availability of finances are barriers.</li> <li>SWA notes that environmental studies are required on upland options for conveyance</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 1.2a,1.2b by 2014, 2016</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
53 Key Action: Current and Future Water Demand, Qu'Appelle River			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Local stakeholders	Results: Water Availability Study underway SWA reports AECOM study ranked level of environmental concerns as between options, but did not include water quality data which will require further study. AECOM study presented to stakeholders July 2009 Time Frame: April 2011	Evaluation: 3  2012/13	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Time, demand forecasting and availability of finances are barriers.</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 1.2a,1.2b by 2014, 2016</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
54 Key Action: Adequate Water Conveyance			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Local stakeholders	Results: South Central REDA has completed studies. Water Availability Study underway AECOM Study presented to stakeholders July 2009 Time Frame: April 2011 and ongoing	Evaluation: 3  2011/12- 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Time, demand forecasting and availability of finances are barriers</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 1.2a,1.2b by 2014, 2016</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
55 Key Action: Plans and funding for Conveyance Maintenance			
Agency: 1. SWA	Results: SWA reports that estimates of annual operating and maintenance costs of different options were provided by AECOM study	Evaluation: 3  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Time, demand forecasting and availability of finances are barriers</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by</li> </ul>

		AECOM study presented in July 2009 to stakeholders. Time Frame: April 2009 and ongoing		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>KAs 1.2a,1.2b by 2014, 2016</li> <li>WUQ timeline needs review</li> </ul>
56	Key Action: Compensation for Qu'Appelle River Shore Erosion			
Agency: 1. SWA	Results: SWA responds that a review is underway of issues of land ownership, erosion siltation and flooding. Conveyance study stakeholder meetings held Time Frame: Ongoing	Evaluation: 1 2011/12-1	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resolution needs to be consistent province wide</li> </ul>	
57	Key Action: Collaboration Among Water Managers			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. WUQWATR	Results: WUQWATR co-ordinating discussions with all stakeholders around the Albert Street/Wascana Lake operating guidelines Time Frame: April 2011 and ongoing	Evaluation: 2 2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to engage all stakeholders and governments is a potential barrier.</li> </ul>	
58	Key Action: Action Plan to Mitigate Flood Potential			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOMA 3. Municipal governments	Results: Initiation of PRAC study by SWA and PARC LIRA project underway WUQWATR delivered PRAC Climate Extremes project Time Frame: April 2010	Evaluation: 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Availability of future funding is a potential barrier, particularly for smaller municipalities..</li> <li>Engagement of municipalities is required for implementation.</li> </ul>	
59	Key Action: Emergency Flood Responses			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Saskatchewan Ministry of Correction, Public Safety and Policing	Results: Water Security Plan addresses flood issues Province has set up flooding committee, provided assistance through PD Initiation of PRAC study by SWA and PARC LIRA project underway WUQWATR delivered PRAC Climate Extremes project Time Frame: Ongoing	Evaluation: 3 2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Availability of future funding is a potential barrier, particularly for smaller municipalities.</li> <li>Engagement of municipalities is required for implementation</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 5.1a,5.1b,5.1c,5.1d,5.1e,5.1f,5.1g, by 2014,2016 and ongoing</li> </ul>	
60	Key Action: Inventory Structures at Risk of Flood			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. MOHI 3. Municipal governments	Results: Initiation of PRAC study by SWA and PARC LIRA project underway SARM has initiated study WUQWATR delivered PRAC Climate Extremes project Time Frame: Immediate and ongoing	Evaluation: 2 2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Availability of future funding is a potential barrier, particularly for smaller municipalities.</li> <li>Engagement of municipalities is a barrier</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 5.1d,5.1e,4,2016 and ongoing</li> </ul>	
61	Key Action: Climate Change			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. EC 3. NRCC – CSIR 4. Prairie Adaptation Research Centre 5. National Hydrology Research Institute 6. SRC	Results: WUQWATR implemented contract with PRAC WUQWATR has identified climate change related Key Actions Board has put priority on these and climate change programming Time Frame: Ongoing	Evaluation: 2 2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Breadth or depth of the required change is a barrier.</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KA 1.5a on ongoing basis</li> </ul>	
62	Key Action: Drainage Works/Control Structure Plans			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Watershed Associations 3. Conservation Area Associations	Results: Operating plans under review and development Time Frame: April 2011	Evaluation: 3 2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires further community discussion</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 5.2a,5.2b,5.2c by 2013</li> <li>WUQ Timeline needs review</li> </ul>	
63	Key Action: Drainage Works			
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Conservation Area Associations 3. Watershed Associations	Results: Flood events have raised priority of this issue. Requires further discussion with SWA Time Frame: April 2010 and ongoing	Evaluation: 2 2011/12-1	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs SARM involvement</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 5.2a,5.2b,5.2c by 2013</li> <li>WUQ Timeline needs review</li> </ul>	
64	Key Action: Surface Water Retention			
Agency: 1. WUQWATR 2. Conservation Area Associations	Results: WUQWATR looking for opportunities to partner	Evaluation: 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires co-operation between large</li> </ul>	



3. Watershed Associations	with DUC and ALUS Time Frame: April 2011 and ongoing		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>number of parties</li> <li>DUC has reduced funding from USA.</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KA3.2a by 2015</li> <li>WUQ Timeline needs review</li> </ul>
65	Key Action: Implement Water Conservation Strategy		
Agency: 1. SWA	Results: SWA Conservation program is underway Materials available Financial incentives available Promotion is ongoing Time Frame: Ongoing	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs more involvement from municipalities, SARM, SUMA and PARC and the public</li> <li>Savings to individuals may be intangible</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KA 1.1a on an ongoing basis</li> </ul>
66	Key Action: Develop a Plan to Mitigate Drainage - Wascana Creek		
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Wascana Creek Conservation Area Association	Results: SWA is undertaking research review on Wascana hydraulics and drainage WUQWATR Riparian Assessment design completed and being implemented Need to add WUQWATR as agency responsible Time Frame: April 2010	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs involvement from RMs and Regina</li> </ul>
67	Key Action: Albert Street Management Plan - Wascana Creek		
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Wascana Centre Authority 3. Wascana Conservation Area Association 4. Local stakeholders	Results: SWA has prepared a draft plan, but has not been available for stakeholder discussions to date. WUQWATR engaging stakeholders in meetings Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jurisdictional issues between province and other parties</li> </ul>
68	Key Action: Local Management		
Agency: 1. SWA 2. Local stakeholders 3. Conservation Area Associations 4. Watershed Associations 5. WUQWATR	Results: Time Frame: April 2009 and ongoing	Evaluation: 1  2011/12- 1	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: Ability to engage local stakeholders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires management plan addressed in other actions</li> </ul>
69	Key Action: Fish Ladder on Ducks Unlimited Canada Dam		
Agency: 1. EC – Canadian Wildlife Service 2. DUC 3. SWF 4. MOE 5. FOC	Results: CWS indicates that study will continue if funds are available. Decision on implementation will be made following study completion. Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding has not been allocated for this project.</li> <li>Timeline requires revision</li> </ul>
70	Key Action: Monitoring Water Flow, Last Mountain Lake		
Agency: 1. SWA	Results: Requires further follow up with SWA Time Frame: April 2009 to address funding issue and ongoing	Evaluation: 1  2011/12-1	Gaps/Barriers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Time frame requires revision</li> </ul>
71	Key Action: Maintenance and Management Plans for Waterways		
Agency: 1. SWA	Results: Initial development of plans underway by SWA Time Frame: April 2009	Evaluation: 2	Gaps/Barriers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Time frame requires revision</li> </ul>
72	Key Action: Need to Develop and Implement Source Water Protection Plans		
Agency: 1. WUQWATR 2. SWA 3. MOE 4. MOH 5. MOA 6. MOMA 7. Stewardship groups	Results: Funding has been secured Membership is growing Board has undertaken Strategic Review Partnerships are being built with other stakeholders Time Frame: June 2008	Evaluation: 3  2011/12-3	Gaps/Barriers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have not received detailed formal response from all lead agencies on all key actions</li> </ul>
73	Key Action: Support For Source Water Protection Plan Delivery		
Agency: 1. SWA 2. FOC 3. EC 4. AAFC – PFRA 5. MOE 6. MOA 7. MOMA 8. DUC 9. Municipal governments	Results: Underway - Core and Project Funding provided by SWA Agencies are engaged in process of implementation and reporting  Time Frame: Ongoing	Evaluation: 3  2011/12-3	Gaps/Barriers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Core and Program funding is year to year</li> </ul>

74	Key Action: Ecological Assessment of Wascana Creek and Upper Qu'Appelle River Watersheds		
Agency: 1. <b>WUQWATR</b> 2. NRCC – CSIR 3. SRC 4. EC 5. U o f R 6. SWA 7. MOE 8. MOA 9. FOC	Results: Underway WUQWATR beginning by developing riparian assessment, contacts with researchers, developing inventory of research, adding staff capacity WUQWATR building partnerships with program partners  Time Frame: April 2013	Evaluation: 3  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provincial State of the Watershed report requires data consistency</li> <li>Funding is required to conduct research</li> <li>Requires an inventory of local research data and co-operation among research institutions</li> <li>Water quality testing not available for entire watershed area.</li> </ul>
75	Key Action: Ecological Management Plan for Wascana Creek and Upper Qu'Appelle River Watersheds		
Agency: 1. <b>WUQWATR</b>	Results: WUQWATR is initiating with riparian assessment project, building linkages with researchers. Time Frame: April 2010	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires more definition of objectives/scope</li> <li>Requires funding for research</li> <li>Requires governance mechanism/legislation</li> <li>Timeline needs revision</li> </ul>
76	Key Action: Waste Water Treatment		
Agency: 1. <b>MOH and Regional Health Authorities</b> 2. <b>MOE</b> 3. SWA	Results: Ministry released new versions of Onsite Wastewater disposal guide. Fact sheets have been created on private sewage systems. Fact sheets and has been posted on MOH website and <a href="http://saskh20.ca">saskh20.ca</a> . MOH has created procedures to address rural subdivisions that are serviced by private systems. Regional Health Authorities be removed from Agencies List  Time frame: April 2013	Evaluation: 3 MOE 3 Health  2011/12-3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 2.1c,3.1a,3.1b by 2013</li> <li>WUQ Timeline needs review</li> </ul>
77	Key Action: Waste Water Treatment		
Agency: 1. <b>MOE</b> 2. Urban municipal governments	Results: New federal standards being implemented, information available from <a href="http://www.saskh20.ca">www.saskh20.ca</a> Time Frame: April 2011	Evaluation: 3  2011/12-3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs to involve RMs and RVs, SUMA, SARM</li> <li>Potential conflicts between provincial agencies</li> <li>Local management plans do not exist</li> <li>Lack of fiscal capacity at municipal level</li> <li>Needs to coordinate with local planning and zoning</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 2.1c,3.1a,3.1b,3.1c,3.1d,3.1e by 2014</li> <li>WUQ Timeline needs review</li> </ul>
78	Key Action: Beneficial Management Practices		
Agency: 1. <b>MOMA</b> 2. WUQWATR 3. FOC 4. MOA 5. AAFC – PFRA 6. MOER 7. SWA 8. MOE 9. MOH	Results: WUQWATR has posted BMP's on website, promoting BMPS at trade shows, Time Frame: April 2009 and ongoing	Evaluation: 3  2011/12-3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs more involvement from urban municipalities</li> <li>Needs more definition of lead agencies for each category</li> <li>Role of baseline standards and BMPS needs to be defined for regulatory agencies</li> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KAs 1.1a,2.3d,3.1</li> <li>WUQ Timeline needs review</li> </ul>
79	Key Action: Funding for Water Monitoring		
Agency: 1. <b>MOMA</b> 2. MOE 3. MOH 4. Municipal governments 5. SWA	Results: WUQWATR providing support to Last Mountain Lake Stewards for water monitoring Time Frame: Ongoing	Evaluation: 2  2011/12-2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need to involve municipalities, SUMA, SARM</li> </ul>
80	Key Action: Continue Water Testing Program		
Agency: 1. <b>SWA</b>	Results: Testing made available arising from flooding Time Frame: Ongoing	Evaluation: 2	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WSA 25 Year Plan commits to address by KA 23.c by 2015</li> </ul>
81	Key Action: Landfill Decommissioning		

Agency: 1. MOE 2. MOMA	Results: MOE responds that they have inventoried all municipal landfills and carried out relative risk assessments. 77% of operating landfills are now permitted. MOE advises that as a regulator, they do not have funding for closure and decommissioning. Time Frame: April 2013	Evaluation: 3 Regulation 1 Funding for decommissioning	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of resources to close and properly decommission landfills</li> <li>Issue of informal and unlicensed landfills needs to be addressed</li> </ul>
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82	Key Action: Contaminated Sites		
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Agency: 1. MOE	Results: ME responds that an Impacted Sites Information System database will be completed in 2010, based on the National Contaminated Sites Classification System and that amendments to The Environmental Management and Protection Act( 2009) and the new Results Based Regulatory process will address this action Time Frame: April 2013	Evaluation: 3	Gaps/Barriers/Successes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fund hasn't been created yet</li> </ul>
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Key Actions that are not in the SWPP but that have been completed – add additional rows as required			
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Key Action: WUQWATR has developed a role as a facilitator between agencies and communities/stakeholders			
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Agency:	Results:	Evaluation :	Gaps/Barriers:
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Key Actions that should be added to the SWPP – add additional rows as required			
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Key Action: (1) The SWPP needs to include a more definitive recommendation on Climate Change adaptation (2) The issue of dealing with increased water demand from industrial and population expansion needs to be addressed			
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Agency:	Results:	Evaluation :	Gaps/Barriers:
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Please answer the following questions:

Q 1. What are your membership issues and how do you intend to address them?

A 1. The number of potential members is over 150, and in 2012 WUQWATR received memberships from 49 municipalities and agencies. The time and money required to recruit and maintain member involvement is an issue. Many of the municipalities are small in population and capacity, but have the greatest challenges. WUQWATR needs to engage and involve large industrial users without giving them too much undue influence.

WUQWATR will continue to contact potential members and try to involve them in local Watershed Advisory Committee's. WUQWATR will strive to provide relevant programming to establish confidence among potential members. WUQWATR will strive to balance the needs of all stakeholders in the watershed and try to facilitate consensus among water users.

Q 2. Given that SWA will continue to provide core funding, how do you plan to address non-core funding issues?

A 2.

WUQWATR recognizes that our independence requires a diversity of funding sources beyond SWA core funding, including membership, donations and project funding. WUQWATR will continue to apply to federal, provincial and private sector funders for funding that supports the Source Water Protection Plan key actions, particularly in actions that WUQWATR is the lead agency.