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Principles_Support: Strongly Support

Goal1_Support: Strongly Support

EnviroFlow: Standards

EnviroFlow_Comments: C. B is okay, but exceptions could be made by a review board --- to ensure that all cases can be considered

WaterAllocationPlan: Optional

WaterAllocationPlan_Conditions: in the case of water shortages, water contamination, etc. by the regional water manager

DumpingProhibition: Amend

Goal2_Support: Strongly Support

Goal2_Options: Delegated

Accountability: knowledge of the local water sources backed by scientific investigation

BenefitsOfSharedRoles: every ones interests are addressed and therefore people will be more likely to co-operate,

Goal3_Support: Strongly Support

WaterUseEfficiency_1: Codes for efficient infrastructure and practices

WaterUseEfficiency_2: Use of incentives and economic instruments

AdminEfficiencyOptions_SelfReg: Required self-registration

AdminEfficiencyOptions_WaterUse: Self-register wells

Flexibility_Support: Strongly Support

WaterAllocationSystem_Options: Priority use

WaterScarcityTemporary_Options: Hierarchy of uses

WaterScarcityPermanent_Options: Water Management Planning upon request

Goal4_Support: Strongly Support

Thresholds_Options: 500+100

PriorityAreas_Options: Significant population

AtRiskWatershedCriteria: wells failing, saltwater intrusion, deteriorating water quality

AffectOnCommunity: could reduce our farming activities== less local food and loss of food security in the face of peak oil

Improve_InterestsTakenIntoAccount: ensure that water management is done on a community level

KindsOfCollaborativeProcesses: consultation with the stakeholders

AdequatelyEquipFutureGenerations: probably not but we must try.

WhatHaveWeMissed: how to control large corporations and NAFTA influences