



Georgia's
State Water Plan

Welcome

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2009				
March	May	June	September	November
Kickoff Meeting	Council Meeting 1	Council Meeting 2	Council Meeting 3	Council Meeting 4
Training and Introduction: > State Water Plan and Council Development Overview - Dr. Carol Couch > 'A Vision for Georgia's Future' - Former US Representative and Altamaha Regional Council Member, Lindsay Thomas > Governor's Charge - Governor Sonny Perdue > Georgia Water Resources Overview - Dr. Jim Kundell > Regional Council Breakout Sessions	Training and Introduction: > Regional Visioning > Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) > Planning Process and Schedule > Regional Water Resources Overview > Forecasting (Population and Employment) > Election of Chair and Vice Chair	Continuation: > Regional Visioning > MOA (Execute) > Regional Water Resources Overview > Forecasting (Population and Employment) Introduction: > Resource Assessments > Forecasting (Agricultural Water Use)	Continuation: > Initial Regional Vision (Prepare) > MOA (Execute as needed) > Resource Assessments > Forecasting (Agricultural Water Use) > Regional Water Resources Overview Introduction: > Management Practice Training & Selection Criteria > Joint Meetings/Council Coordination (Preparation) > Forecasting (Municipal and Industrial Water and Wastewater)	Continuation: >Initial Regional Vision (Review and Refine As Needed) > Resource Assessments > Regional Water Resources Overview > Forecasting (Municipal and Industrial Water and Wastewater) > Management Practice Training & Selection Criteria > Joint Meetings/Council Coordination (Preparation) Introduction: > Forecasting (Energy Water Use) > Land Use Scenarios > Begin Drafting Initial Recommended Plan

We are here.

2010							
January	February - March	April	May - June	July - August	September	October	November
Joint Meetings	Council Meeting 5	Joint Meetings (As Needed)	Council Meeting 6	Joint Meetings (As Needed)	Council Meeting 7	Joint Meetings (As Needed)	Council Meeting 8
>Councils with shared water resources will meet to receive baseline resource assessments > EPD to announce and provide update on public notice, review, and comment period for baseline resource assessments (January through March 1, 2010)	Continuation: > Review Baseline Resource Assessments > Review Water / Wastewater Use Forecasts (1.Agricultural, 2. Municipal, 3. Industrial, 4. Energy) > Review Land Use Scenarios > Review Regional Vision (Refine As Needed) > Review and Refine Initial Recommended Plan > Joint Meetings/Council Coordination (Preparation) Introduction: > Gap Analysis > Select Initial Set of Management Practices	>Councils with shared water resources will meet to review preliminary future resource assessments and initial selection of management practices >Gap Analysis	Continuation: > Review Future Assessments > Review Water / Wastewater Use Forecasts (1.Agricultural, 2. Municipal, 3. Industrial, 4. Energy) > Review and Refine Management Practice Selection > Review Land Use Scenarios >Gap Analysis > Review Regional Vision (Refine As Needed) > Joint Meetings/Council Coordination (Preparation) Introduction: > Review and Refine Initial Recommended Plan	>Councils with shared water resources will meet to review refined future resource assessments and refined selection of management practices >Gap Analysis	Continuation: > Review Refined Future Assessments > Review Water / Wastewater Use Forecasts (1.Agricultural, 2. Municipal, 3. Industrial, 4. Energy) > Review and Refine Management Practice Selection > Review Land Use Scenarios > Gap Analysis > Review Regional Vision (Refine As Needed) > Review and Refine Initial Recommended Plan > Joint Meetings/Council Coordination (Preparation)	>Councils with shared water resources will meet to review refined future resource assessments and refined selection of management practices >Gap Analysis	Continuation: > Review Refined Future Assessments > Review Water / Wastewater Use Forecasts (1.Agricultural, 2. Municipal, 3. Industrial, 4. Energy) > Review and Refine Management Practice Selection > Review Land Use Scenarios > Gap Analysis > Review Regional Vision (Refine As Needed) > Review and Refine Initial Recommended Plan

2011	
January - March	April - June
Council Meeting 9	Council Meeting 10
>Council Submits Initial Recommended Plan to EPD by January 31, 2011 > 45-day Public Notice and Comment Period > EPD Reviews Initial Recommended Plans > EPD Advises Council of Necessary Changes > Council Reviews and Refines Initial Recommended Plan	> Council Reviews and Refines Initial Recommended Plan >Council Submits Final Recommended Plan to EPD By June 30, 2011



Council Meeting Four Objectives

- Approve the Public Involvement Plan
- Learn about the Metro North Georgia District
- Plan for Joint Meetings
- Establish Council Vision and Goals
- Continue Agricultural, municipal, and industrial water forecasting discussion
- Draft WDCP outline and management practices