



# Oregon's Integrated Water Resources Strategy

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## Meet the Project Team

Led by the Water Resources Department, the Project Team will manage the development of the Integrated Water Resources Strategy as directed in HB 3369. Team members also include agency representatives from the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, Department of Fish and Wildlife, and Department of Agriculture.



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## Request for Comments

The Project Team is seeking your comments on the following draft documents. Comments submitted prior to October 31<sup>st</sup> will be shared at the next Water Resources Commission meeting scheduled for November 19 & 20, 2009, in Salem, Oregon.

- Issue Papers: [http://www1.wrd.state.or.us/pdfs/Issue\\_Papers.pdf](http://www1.wrd.state.or.us/pdfs/Issue_Papers.pdf)
- Preliminary Workplan: [http://www1.wrd.state.or.us/pdfs/Preliminary\\_Workplan.pdf](http://www1.wrd.state.or.us/pdfs/Preliminary_Workplan.pdf)

## Helpful Links

There are many ways you can be involved and stay informed. You can host a workshop, sign up for our listserve, take our kick-off survey or contact the project team. You can do all of this directly from the project website. These links will get you started:

- Website: [http://www.wrd.state.or.us/OWRD/LAW/Integrated\\_Water\\_Supply\\_Strategy.shtml](http://www.wrd.state.or.us/OWRD/LAW/Integrated_Water_Supply_Strategy.shtml)
- Listserve: <http://listsmart.osl.state.or.us/mailman/listinfo/iwrs>
- Email: [waterstrategy@wrds.state.or.us](mailto:waterstrategy@wrds.state.or.us)
- 9/23 Briefer: [http://www1.wrd.state.or.us/pdfs/9\\_23\\_2009\\_Briefer.pdf](http://www1.wrd.state.or.us/pdfs/9_23_2009_Briefer.pdf)

## Recent Activity

- Oregon Business Council Water Working Group (Portland)
- Groundwater Advisory Committee October Meeting (Salem)
- Deschutes Water Alliance Kick-Off Meeting (Bend)
- Oregon Water Resources Congress →  
2009 Water Law Seminar (Eagle Crest)



## Upcoming Events

- League of Oregon Cities' Water Policy Committee (Salem)
- Yamhill Soil and Water Conservation District 2009 Annual Meeting (McMinnville)
- Network of Oregon Watershed Councils 2009 Gathering (Klamath Falls)

## Project Timeline & Progress Bar

Phase I: Setting the Stage (Fall 2009)	Phase II: Identifying Water Resource Needs (Spring 2010)	Phase III: Developing a Toolbox (2010-2011)	Phase IV: Producing the 1 <sup>st</sup> Strategy (2012)	Phase V: Project Review (2012)
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