Potential for Water Action Hub in the EU: Opportunities at a watershed level

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European Water Partnership (EWP)

“Independent and value based non-profit organization structured as an open and inclusive member association”

- Private business
- NGOs
- Research Institutions
- Institutional partners
Water Stewardship Process

Corporate policies and programs

- Operational performance
- Watershed interaction
- Value chain improvements

Sustainable management & collective action

Water Management Strategy
EWP Approach to WAH

Populate the WAH with European projects
- Local Deals
- EWP Partners

Map additional stakeholders
- 20 in Thames

Integrate key actors to link RB information
- Thames Water
- River Basin Authority

Communicate WAH as a tool for compliance
- EWS standard
- WFD
Enhance Local Deals

Visibility

Information exchange

Knowledge Transfer
WAH as a tool for Water Stewards

- Connect with other water users in River Basin
- Identify shared risks & opportunities
- Demonstrate transparency on water-related issues
- Access information on Best Management Practices
Bridging the gaps with WAH

Providing opportunities to

Build critical Mass

Communicate & Disseminate

Involve the private sector

Possibilities for funding
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