

Basin Collaboratives bring together corporates, government, and civil society to address urgent water challenges. Activities include engagement and capacity building, research and innovation, benefit sharing and practical learning, and investments in nature-based solutions — all tracked to demonstrate basin-level impact. The Water Resilience Coalition is adding 10 more priority basins to expand this model further.

California Water Resilience Initiative (CWRI)



A time-bound initiative to achieve a quantitative water target through accelerated corporate engagement in California water projects and policy. Established to advance the WRC's ambition to mobilize corporate water stewardship in 100 basins globally — the first basin to organize.

 [CWRI One-Pager](#)

Mississippi River Water Action Collaborative (MRWAC)



A basin-scale collaborative advancing water stewardship across the Mississippi River Basin, bringing together public, private, nonprofit, and regional stakeholders to identify shared water challenges and support implementation of high-impact watershed projects.

 [MRWAC 2-Pager](#)

The Rio Bravo (Grande) Water Action Collaborative (Manos al Agua)



A multi-stakeholder platform addressing urgent water challenges facing the region — engaging corporates, government, and civil society in collective action through engagement and capacity building, research and innovation, benefit sharing and practical learning, and investments in nature-based solutions.

 [Manos al Agua Update .pptx](#)

The Godavari Initiative (TGI)



The first phase of a full-basin vision for the Godavari River Basin — one of India's largest and most complex river systems, spanning six states and supporting over 70 million people — coordinating multi-stakeholder investment in water security and nature-based solutions projects, monitored for basin-level impact.

 [Brief Profile](#)

Arno Basin Water Resilience Lab



The Arno basin in Tuscany is one of the largest catchments in central Italy and serves as the hydrological lifeblood of the regional economy. The innovation lab approach aims to achieve positive water impact through ecosystem regeneration, supplier engagement, and collective basin-wide action.

 [Basin brief](#)

New & Upcoming Basin Collaboratives



The Water Resilience Coalition (WRC) continues to expand its Collaborative model — a structured approach to coordinated basin action — building on the success of the **California Water Resilience Initiative (CWRI)** and the **Mississippi River Water Action Collaborative (MRWAC)** in North America. Each new Collaborative pairs a Basin Champion with the WRC’s Project Management Office (PMO) to set basin-specific targets, build a roadmap of priority projects, and standardize progress tracking — turning individual company action into coordinated, measurable progress at the basin level across Europe’s priority water systems.

PRIORITY BASINS

 Colorado	Colorado River Basin Collaborative (CRBC)	
 Guadalquivir	Guadalquivir Basin Collaborative	 Basin brief
 Rhône	Rhône-Mediterranean Basin Collaborative	 Basin brief
 Orange	Lower Orange Water Resilience Lab	
 Java		
 Krishna		 Basin brief



Interested in a basin or in bringing a Collaborative to a new region?

Contact the Water Resilience Coalition team to discuss engagement as a Basin Champion, Sponsor, or funding partner.

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