

## Issue Action Group: E1 Point and Non-Point Source Pollution

### IAG Recommendations

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Warrior and Coosa Projects Combined

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#### Summary of Tasks

E1 IAG members completed the following tasks as outlined in the E1 Point and Non-Point Source Pollution Work Plan:

- Consolidated a comprehensive list of know Point and Non-Point Source pollution sites within the Warrior and Coosa Basins;
- Coordinated relicensing efforts with the State's Clean Water Partnership program;
- Identified and discussed ways in which APC could work to control, reduce and improve the affects of Point and Non-Point Source pollution and
- Created recommendations for the WCRT and the CCRT's consideration.

#### Summary of Meetings

Meeting Date	Tasks Addressed	Products Produced and/or Resolution
01-30-02	1 & 2	Draft Work Plan, Finalized IAG Membership
03-12-02	1, 2, 3, 4 & 5	Comprehensive List of P&NPS Pollution Sites, CWP Cooperation
06-25-02	4, 6 & 7	CWP Cooperation, Draft Recommendations

#### Discussion

The Coosa Ecological Resource Advisory Team and the Warrior Cooperative Relicensing Team both stated in their Ecological Issue Statements that they were concerned with the "effects of the

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various sources of pollution that originate within the Warrior and Coosa Basins on the water quality of the lakes and rivers of the project study area.” In order to assess these effects, the E1 IAG was formed and tasked with gathering information describing the existing condition of point and non-point source pollution in both the Coosa and Warrior basins. The IAG, composed of interested relicensing stakeholders, working together over a six-month long period successfully developed the recommendations listed below.

### **Recommendations**

The following recommendations were agreed upon by the E1 IAG and are formally proposed to the WCRT and the CCRT:

1. The IAG recommends that APC use the Coosa Basin Assessment, the Warrior Basin Assessment, the ADEM 303(d) list, and the NPDES information for developing the Coosa and Warrior Environmental Assessments. Additional information identified by the IAG will also be used in this effort.
2. The IAG recommends that APC continue to stay involved with the CWP process.
3. The IAG recommends that APC share technical data with the CWP.
4. The IAG recommends that APC coordinate with ADEM and ADECA to cooperate on public education efforts at the state and local levels.
5. The IAG recommends that APC incorporate ADEM and ADECA public education information into their Shoreline Management Plan.
6. The IAG recommends that this IAG consolidate its efforts with those of the E3 IAG.

All E1 P&NPS Pollution documents are available on the Internet at

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