



Water Information Network: Strategic Direction

Presentation to WSLG

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Repositioning of WIN-SA

- **Vision:**
 - **Knowledge sharing** contributes to water security and sustainable and equitable service delivery in South Africa and the African continent
- **Overall Objective:**
 - To better enable the water sector to meet the MDGs and ensure sustainable resources and services for growth & development by **sharing and applying its knowledge**



Challenges and Action Taken

➤ Funding of WIN-SA

- Prioritised activities for 2009/10, internal documentation of content and stakeholder collaboration

➤ Sustainability of WIN-SA

- National workshop targeted at WSIP scheduled for end July/August in collaboration with DWAF(WRIM),DBSA and WRC.
- Sustainability plan for WIN-SA i.e. Rethinking of WIN-SA as a service provider? Should the sector pay WIN-SA for knowledge sharing and dissemination?
- Evaluation of WIN-SA products for evidence based towards improved sustainable service delivery at a local level



Decisive Leadership

- The reality is - 2010 onwards WIN-SA future is not certain – **Ideas** and **Mandate** on process forward (Do we need to reconfigure WIN-SA)
- **Strategic Advisory Committee** membership must be strengthened moving forward