

Draft Resolution XXV-2

Framework for the Planning, Implementation and Monitoring of IHP Flagship Initiatives

The Intergovernmental Council of the Intergovernmental Hydrological Programme (IHP) of UNESCO

- Noting** IHP/IC Resolution XXI-8 on the revision and monitoring of IHP's programmes and IHP/IC Resolution XXIII-12 on the preparation of the future governance of all IHP programmes and major initiatives,
- Considering** Document IHP/IC-XXV/Ref.2, Framework for the planning, implementation and monitoring of Flagship Initiatives,
- Expresses** its gratitude to the IHP Secretariat and Working Group for preparing the Framework for the planning, implementation and monitoring of Flagship Initiatives;
- Decides** to adopt the Framework for the Planning, Implementation and Monitoring, which includes also the governance mechanism of Flagship Initiatives;
- Further decides** that all existing and new Flagship Initiatives within IHP-IX shall have to comply to the Framework;
- Recommends** to the hosts/secretariat of the IHP Flagship Initiatives to align their governing mechanisms to the Framework and report the adoption of this alignment to the Council on its 26th Session;
- Requests** the IHP Secretariat to provide an update every biennium on the status of the IHP Flagship Initiatives within IHP-IX and submit it to the ordinary session of the Intergovernmental Council of IHP;
- Encourages** all Members of the UNESCO Water Family to support the implementation of IHP Flagship Initiatives by providing technical, in-kind and/or financial support.