

Project Team	Rec #	Project Completion	Implementor	Implementation Target	Recommendation	Status at-a-glance			Status
						Implemented	In Progress	Not Under Consideration at this time	*NOTE* The updates below are provided by the identified implementer(s) and do not necessarily reflect the interpretation of the Alberta Water Council
PEACH	1	19-Nov-09	GoA		The GOA and other decision makers will be informed by these criteria in their subsequent work to produce and utilize a mapping tool for use in regional, watershed and other planning processes (Step 6). *Note* - Though indicated to be a recommendation, the above statement can be found as a concluding statement in the team's report and is intended to provide guidance going forward, however it is not technically a recommendation.	●			In January 2010, the Council released its report and recommendations for <i>Provincial Ecological Criteria for Healthy Aquatic Ecosystems</i> . The report outlines criteria – developed following the Systematic Conservation Planning (SCP) methodology – a science-based, geospatial process primarily used in land use planning. The Council's report is the first time the process has been applied in relation to aquatic ecosystems. Subsequent steps in the process, to be undertaken by the province, will need to identify available data, develop "rules" for applying the criteria to the data, and produce the final map of environmentally significant aquatic areas. Alberta Environment and Water is working with Tourism, Parks and Recreation to include in the Environmentally Significant Areas map supporting watershed and regional planning.

