

Pre-Workshop Survey Template

Workshop Details

WPAC: _____

Workshop date: _____

Name (optional): _____

Organization: _____

Questions

Question #1: Are you familiar with the different types of drought and their impacts? The types are meteorological, agricultural, hydrological, and socio-economic.

Answer: _____

Question #2: Have you experienced drought in your region? If yes, how long ago was it and how long did the drought last?

Answer: _____

Question #3: Do you know which levels of government or local agencies are responsible for different aspects of drought management in your region? Would you like more information on the roles of municipalities, provincial government, federal government, or other agencies (AUMA, RMA, WPACs, Watershed Stewardship Groups, etc.)

Answer: _____

Question #4: Which themes are most relevant to your region? Please select up to 5.

- Monitoring and Data – Reveal major trends, determine triggers, and inform management decisions
 - Planning for Drought – Facilitate actions before, during, and after a drought to reduce risks
 - Supply Management – Provide adequate and clean water for all users at reasonable cost
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- Demand Management – Limit the quality and quantity of water needed for tasks
 - Land Use Planning – Balance the needs of environmental, economic, and social aspects
 - Agriculture – A critical part of the economy which can be devastated by droughts
 - Ecological Systems – Can be severely impacted by multi-year drought
 - Community and Health – Drought induced mental health illnesses
 - Public Education – Create awareness of drought triggers, management, and resources
 - Collaboration – Neighbouring water users in your region are likely experiencing similar challenges
 - Emergency Management – Organize and manage resources and responsibilities for emergencies
 - Funding – Assists with activities from implementing management actions to disaster relief
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Question #5: Please rank your choices from highest to lowest priority.

Answer: _____

Additional Comments

Please let us know if you would like the workshop to include any other aspects of multi-year drought resiliency which are not included in the previous questions.