

Land and Water Management Division Constraints

Program Communication

- Limited networking with other potential in-state partners
- Lack of interaction with state universities on developing issues/research
- Minimal staff attendance at conferences/ inadequate networking with program staff in other states
- Division management overarching focus on budget issues
- Obsolete/inadequate/non-existent publications
- Reduced emphasis on outreach
- Regulated community is often one time and unaffiliated – minimal networking capability
- No clear, supportive constituency

Program Implementation

- High staff turnover/burn out/lack of external support for efforts
- Significant level of staff vacancies
- No division-wide technical training since 2001
- Limited individual technical training opportunities
- Obsolete computer hardware and databases
 - Impacts internal efficiencies
 - Impedes ability to improve CIWPIS on line
- Inadequate tools (digital cameras, GPS units, etc.)
 - Throw away cameras (can't see results, need to get film developed)
 - Many sites are insolated areas, no "street" address
 - Need to resort to tape measures and paper to outline sites

Legislative Issues

- Part 13 deadlines and refund requirements
- Statute and rule changes needed to maintain 404 assumption
- Unclear, even contradictory statutory language
- Artificial priorities set by Legislator or Governor interest