Northern Colorado Regional Water Stratop

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The Stratop Process

1. PERSPECTIVE
   Where are we now?

2. PLANNING
   Planning for tomorrow today
   Where are we headed?

3. ACTION
   What’s important now?

4. STRUCTURE
   What form is needed?

5. MANAGEMENT
   How are we doing?

6. RENEWAL
   What must change?

STRATEGIC
Taking care of today, today

OPERATIONS
Managing today’s resources for tomorrow
1. **Coordinating Group**: charter, purpose, objectives, goals, engagement strategy, policy discussions, shared regional philosophy, core value adherence

2. **Strategic Growth Plan**: discussion, resource requirements

3. **Watershed Protection**: restoration, management, and recovery

4. **Gaps & Opportunities**: New and existing infrastructure, boundaries, definition, drought mitigation and tolerance, water efficiency clearing house (e.g., best practices, publications)

5. **Communication Strategy**: regional messaging around drought response and efficiency, reporting to all major stakeholders
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| Strategy     | NoCo Regional Water Coordinating Group  | The NoCo Region Water Coordinating Group has been defined and launched.    | 1. A Group Charter  
2. An Engagement Strategy  
3. Participant List  
4. Budget and Secured Funding  
5. Legal Review                        | June 1, 2021               | Roy Otto                           | Sean Chambers, Theresa Connor, Darin Atteberry, Ella Fahrlander, John Thornhill |
|              | Strategic Growth Plan                   | We have a plan to address the growing demand for water supply in the region. | 1. Future growth portfolio needs  
2. Carrying capacity recommendations  
3. Economic tradeoff education        |               |                       |                                           |
## Action Initiatives Profile

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| Engineering| Watershed       | We have a watershed protection, restoration, recovery, and management, and management strategy | Protection recommendations  
Restoration recommendations  
Recovery recommendations  
Management recommendations |                           |                    |      |
| Gaps & Opportunities | We have created a regional gaps and opportunities framework. | Framework boundaries and definition  
New and existing infrastructure analysis  
Drought mitigation and tolerance  
Water efficiency clearing house |                           |                    |      |
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