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The Experience of the Artois-Picardie River Basin

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Cooperation agreement: Renewed on the 22nd of March 2017 (World Water Day)

- Duration: 5 years
- Apele Moldovei (Moldovan Water Agency) from the Ministry of Environment
Content of the cooperation agreement

- Overall institutional organization and governance
- Mechanism of Water fees (control, registers, retribution, etc.)
- Water Framework Directive’s application
  - Objectives and monitoring indicators of the Management Plan
  - Quantitative and qualitative assessment of ground waters
  - Ecological and chemical status of surface waters, diffuse pressures, modeling
- Flood Directive
- Climate changes in the management of water resources actions to implement efficiently for their protection
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Some projects have occurred within this agreement

1. Solidarity Water Europe project on governance (mission in the Nirnova basin with the Ministry of Infrastructure and Construction)

2. EURO INBO in Lourdes (France) in 2016

3. EUWI East plus (European project in progress)
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1. Solidarity Water Europe project: good governance in the Nirnova river

- Respond to the problems of access to water and sanitation in the Nirnova river
- Ensure a good knowledge of the territories and the institutional frame
- Implement an inter municipal body to ensure sustainability of water and sanitation works
- Assessment of water and sanitation works on the field
- Implement a water network of stakeholders to facilitate exchange of database and works
- Develop local cooperation with a network of municipalities
2. EURO INBO in Lourdes (France)

- Share of information and needs
- Organization of a cooperation agreement signed in March 2017
- List of topics to be implemented in the agreement
3. EUWI East plus (European project supported by Artois Picardie Water Agency and IOWater)

- Capacity building at basin level
- Improve the legal frame as for the WFD
- Develop monitoring capacity for water states
- Bring technical help for the construction of a Management Plan at a basin level
- Develop and strengthen national water database according to the shared Environmental Information System
- Organize stakeholders’ participation
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