

SWIM-SM COMMUNICATION & DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES

4th SWIM Steering Committee Meeting Barcelona, 15 December 2014

MAIN OBJECTIVES....

Enhance SWIM Programme

- achievements
- visibility
- wide dissemination of results





→ Towards "common knowledge and reference" for relevant actors in the South Mediterranean Region and beyond

MAIN TOOLS

- SWIM website
- Quarterly News Flash
- Monthly e-mail alerts
- SWIM Media Kit
- Updates for the media
- Dissemination of information material
- New SWIM video



→ Promote & streamline SM and Demos visibility to provide an overall solid image of the SWIM Programme

FARMERS AWARENESS RAISING CAMPAIGN

Objective: safer re-use of treated wastewater in agriculture (info sessions)

Targets: Farmers and extension services

Countries: Algeria & Tunisia



- →Consultations with relevant stakeholders
- → Drafting of information material needed (contents)

FARMERS AWARENESS RAISING CAMPAIGN

- **→**Engagement of NKE in Tunisia
- Eoordination with relevant institutions to set dates, content of sessions, finalise information material
- Information sessions are expected to be held in January 2015
- Algeria: modalities still under discussion with the relevant National authorities

FARMERS AWARENESS RAISING CAMPAIGN

Envisaged information material and dissemination means (2015)

- Brochure/poster for <u>farmers</u> with key protection measures to use safely treated wastewater in irrigation.
- Manual for <u>Algerian extension trainers</u> working with farmers.
- → Distribution of material during info sessions and later on in collaboration with relevant National institutions to guarantee the sustainability of the activity

SYNERGIES WITH OTHER RELEVANT INITIATIVES

- 5th Beirut Water Week "Water, energy, food and ecosystems nexus in the Mediterranean Region: current challenges and future insights" (Lebanon, May 2014)
- IMPROWARE International Symposium "Policies and Techniques for a Sustainable Present" (Tunisia, October 2014)
- UfM Governance & Financing for the Mediterranean Water Sector project (Greece, October 2014)
- 2nd Mediterranean Water Forum (Spain, November 2014) in preparation to the World Water Forum

SYNERGIES WITH OTHER RELEVANT INITIATIVES

- Sustain Water MED Regional Conference "Sustainable Integrated Wastewater Treatment and Reuse" (Egypt, December 2014)
- 3rd Arab Water Forum (Egypt, December 2014)
- •H2020 Initiative, GEF UNEP/MAP MedPartnership
- Coordination with other organisations, centres, (UNEP/MAP Medpol, UNESCO IHE, ICU NGO, etc.)

Thank you for your attention

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