



# CIWA Moving Forward

Meeting the Sustainable Development Goals on poverty, health, energy, the environment and many others relies on managing water resources better. For the countries of Africa – the guardians of so many shared water resources – this often means working together, and as pressure on water increases, working together ever more closely. As countries look to harness untapped water potential, manage floods, droughts and declining water quality, or simply find more cost-effective ways of advancing their broader development agendas, CIWA can play a key role.

CIWA currently has a strong portfolio of projects across Africa, but need and demand from countries, river-basin organizations, regional economic communities, and other stakeholders for additional CIWA support remains high. Scaling up regional approaches to groundwater management, finding ways to enhance basin water conservation, and building the evidence base for rehabilitation of natural infrastructure for climate resilience are just some of the emerging areas CIWA has been asked to support.

CIWA has a regularly augmented and evaluated pipeline of demand-driven projects that await support, and continuing to mobilize additional resources is therefore a priority for CIWA.

If added financing is made available, CIWA will continue to support to priority basins with on-track performance. Additionally, CIWA will welcome new opportunistic engagements and opportunities to build on previous short-term engagements as well as support further knowledge generation and management to help facilitate cooperative management and development.