

As part of the required actions expected of AMCOW as Africa Region Co-ordinator for the 6th World Water Forum taking place in Marseille, France in 2012, the Secretariat hosts a workshop for target coordinators as part of AMCOW events during the World Water Week. The workshop scheduled for the 25th August 2011 comes on the heels of a similar one held on the margins of the AMCOW TAC meeting in Tunis in June 2011 and is to define solutions for already selected water and sanitation targets for the region.

AMCOW had organized the 1st Multi stakeholders Forum for the Africa's Preparatory Process on 20th March 2011 in Cape Town, South Africa. The forum served to inaugurate both the Steering and Coordinating Committees. The purpose of the AMCOW African Caucus multi stakeholders forum was to reach commitments and solutions through defining targets that are SMART (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Realistic, Time bound). The forum was attended by four AMCOW Ministers representing various regions in the persons of Hon. S.S. Nkomo, AMCOW EXCO Vice President, Southern Africa / Minister of Water Resources Development and Management, Zimbabwe, Hon. Mamadou Igor DIARRA, AMCOW EXCO Vice President, Western Africa / Minister of Energy and Water, Mali, Régis IMMONGAULT, Minister of Energy and Water Resources, Gabon, and Kamal Ali Mohamed, Minister of Irrigation and Water Resources for Sudan. Read report of the *Cape Town 1st Multi stakeholders Forum*.