

Technical Work Group Chair Report

Adaptive Management Work Group Meeting

November 17, 2020

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Meetings

- Past
 - October 14-15, 2020
- Future
 - January 20-22, 2021

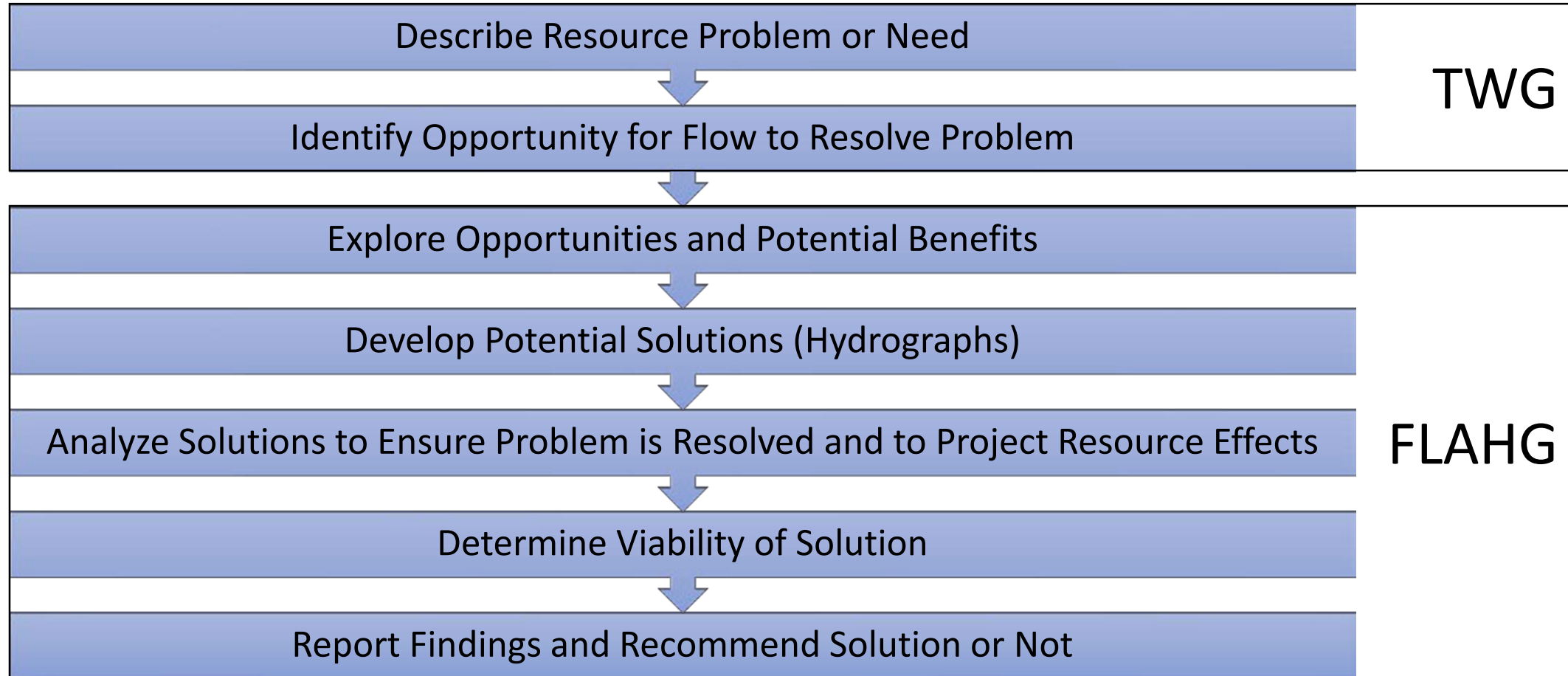
Background - How did we get here?

- August 2018 – AWMG requested GCMRC to assess effects of past HFE's and present findings...
- May 2019 – TWG takes on AMWG's "next step" to identify experimental flow options that consider resources of concern...
- August 2019 – Secretary's Designee guidance to explore opportunities to conduct Spring HFE's and, as a first step, higher spring releases within LTEMP protocol...

Background - How did we get here?

- Winter 2019/2020 – TWG forms FLAHG and develops charge to:
 - Explore higher spring release opportunities...
 - Work with GCMRC to develop budget element...
- August 2020 –
 - AMWG directs TWG to review Project O and make recommendation by October 30...
 - TWG charges BAHG to make Project recommendation...

FLAHG Workflow



Hydrograph/Project O Tasks Since August Meeting

- Sept. 4 – Project O comments due from AMWG
- Sept. 16-18 – FLAHG reviews hydrograph predicted effects and makes recommendation to TWG
- Sept. 21-25 – BAHG reviews Project O and makes recommendation to TWG
- Sept. 28-Oct. 7 – GMCRC revises Project O in response to BAHG comments
- Oct. 7 - Revised Project O submitted to TWG
- Oct. 14-15 – TWG approves, by consensus, a hydrograph and proposed Project O recommendation for AMWG to consider.