

# Briefing Paper

## Legislative Overview Comprehensive State Water Plans

State	Law Enacted	Current Plan	Update Frequency	Extent Framework Is Included In Statute	Funding
Florida	1972	1995	Five-year cycle; annual status reports required	Extensive framework provisions in the statute	The plan must include linkages to DEP budgeting and strategies to identify the amount and sources of supplemental funding to implement the plan.
Hawaii	1987	1990	Five-year cycle; revision begins in year three	Basic plan framework in statute	Not specifically stated
Kansas	1963	2000	Updated annually	No statutory language describing plan framework	Statute established a State Water Plan Fund receiving: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- \$6 million/fiscal year from the general fund;</li> <li>- three cent/1000 gallons of water tax imposed on water sold by public water suppliers and water appropriated for industrial or stockwatering uses; and</li> <li>- monies collected from penalties imposed for illegal disposal of sewage and solid and hazardous waste, and failure to obtain a public water supply permit.</li> </ul>
Missouri	1989	In process, began 1989	Updated periodically	Basic plan framework in statute	Not specifically stated.
Montana	1967	In process, began 1993	Biennially or as needed	Basic plan framework in statute	Not specifically stated.
Nevada	1989	1999	Updated periodically	Extensive framework provisions in the statute	Not specifically stated.
Oklahoma	1974	1980	Ten year cycle; continuous updates between submission	No statutory language describing plan framework	Not specifically stated.
Utah	1963	1990	Updated every 10-15 years	No statutory language describing plan framework	The legislature appropriated general funds to conduct water resource investigations, surveys, and studies, prepare plans and perform necessary work.