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The [OECD Water Governance Initiative \(WGI\)](#) can contribute to the UN 2023 Water Conference in three main ways:

- **Commitments and actions:** The OECD WGI can mobilise Ministers and Mayors to make concrete commitments on implementing good water governance at national and local level at the Conference (e.g. through a pact across levels of government). The OECD WGI will promote the signature of the [Action Plan of Mayors, Local and Regional Governments for Water Security](#) by Mayors and local authorities globally.
- **Special event on Local and Regional Governments:** The OECD is involved in the preparation of the Special Event on Local and Regional Governments with other organisations. The OECD WGI supports a focus on good water governance in cities by fostering a multilevel dialogue where national, regional and local authorities could be engaged alongside sectors beyond water (e.g. energy, waste, built environment ocean...).
- **Acceleration Framework on Water Governance:** The OECD WGI could provide expertise and support the coordination of the Acceleration Framework on Water Governance of the Conference.

Additionally, OECD WGI members would be interested in organising a side event for the 10 years of the WGI to share lessons learned from a decade of collaborative work on water governance with stakeholders from all levels of government, international organisations, civil society and academia.