

# Seine, Orge and Yvette basins - Phyt'Eaux Cités project

Programme to help local authorities limit the use of phytosanitary products



Source : SEDIF

## Country

France

## Client

Syndicat des Eaux d'Ile-de-France (SEDIF)

## Date

2007-2010

## Cost of works

€240,000 exc. VAT

## Sogreah's services

- ▶ Project supervision and monitoring
- ▶ Organisation of steering and management committees
- ▶ Annual reports
- ▶ Financial management

## Context

Water taken from the Seine upstream of Paris occasionally contains high concentrations of pesticides. SEDIF, the drinking water producer at the origin of this action, is sponsoring the project in partnership with three other water producers that operate plants on the Seine: Eau de Paris, Société Lyonnaise des Eaux and Veolia Eau.

## Aim

Phyt'Eaux Cités aims to control the use of urban phytosanitary products sufficiently to improve water quality.

This action targets the parks and gardens and highways departments of the towns concerned.

Other users such as private individuals, garden centres, golf courses, local councils and railway managers are also being targeted.

## Performance of the project

The project is broken down into four sections:

- Auditing and training of local authorities.
- Water quality analysis.
- Communication.
- Project management.

## Sogreah's role

Sogreah is responsible for managing the project:

- Coordination of partners, funding organisations and service-providers.
- Organisation and coordination of Steering Committee and Management Committee

meetings, and production of reports.

- Project monitoring, in particular of the state of progress of work by other service-providers and validation of their technical and scientific content.
- Participation in technical activities by other service-providers (audits, presentation of audit results, management plans, training).
- Production of annual reports, organisation manual, etc.
- Financial management: invoice monitoring, mobilisation of funds and subsidy payment applications.
- Introduction of operational resources (twice-monthly phone meetings, extranet server, technical and financial key data, progress schedule using MS project).

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