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COMMITTEE ON RESEARCH AND POLICY OF  
THE KENTUCKY WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH INSTITUTE

The primary role of the Kentucky Water Resources Research Institute (Water Resources Institute) is to coordinate university research in the broad area of water resources throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The Institute administers the Title I Annual Allotment Program, makes recommendations on proposals submitted for the Title I Matching Grants Program, and provides a liaison between Kentucky water resources officials and University faculty.

The Administrative Advisory Committee of the Kentucky Water Resources Institute is appointed by the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies of the University of Kentucky to formulate recommendations and give advice to the Director of the Kentucky Water Resources Institute. The membership of the Administrative Advisory Committee shall be comprised as follows:

Seven faculty representatives from the University of Kentucky;

Two faculty representatives from the University of Louisville;

One faculty representative each from up to four other participating state-supported universities;

The Associate Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies (*ex officio*);

The Director of the Water Resources Research Institute (*ex officio*); and

The Director of the Kentucky Geological Survey (*ex officio*), who provides a liaison between the University Advisory Council and the State Advisory Council, the latter Council consisting of the leading water resources officials throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

The chairperson of the Committee shall be designated by the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies. Committee members other than those with *ex officio* status normally shall have staggered three-year appointments.

The specific charge of this Administrative Advisory Committee is to:

A. Formulate recommendations and provide advice to the Director on proposals submitted to the Institute in competition for the Title I Annual Allotment Program. Proposal

evaluation is based on scientific and technical merit of the proposed research, the competence of the faculty investigators, and relevancy of the research to Kentucky and regional water resource problems;

B. Make recommendations to the Director on the "Kentucky Water Resources Institute Plan," submitted to the Institute by leading water resources officials throughout the Commonwealth. The "Plan" is circulated to all university faculty throughout Kentucky to identify to them the most significant water resources problems of Kentucky and the region;

C. Advise the Director on methods for improving the liaison between university faculty and Kentucky water resources officials, in an effort to direct faculty research to vital Kentucky water resources problems; and

D. Provide advice to the Director on Institute policies and procedures.

The Committee shall be responsible for an annual report and, on request, special reports to the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies through the Associate Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies.