



RESOLUTION 23-01

**Urging the USEPA Office of Water to work collaboratively with the states  
to create a Class VI Regulator Education and Training Program**

**WHEREAS,** The FY23 Congressional Budget Agreement provides \$1,200,000 to support Class VI regulator education and training programs in conjunction with States, or other eligible entities such as an association of States, and

**WHEREAS,** the Ground Water Protection Council (GWPC) is the national association of state Underground Injection Control (UIC) programs, including the Class VI UIC program, and

**WHEREAS,** the states, through a multi-stakeholder process have designed a *Class VI Underground Injection Control Curriculum for Regulators* which outlines several training modules, and

**WHEREAS,** the GWPC and it's member states have formed a Class VI Workgroup and a Carbon Capture Task Force, and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** the GWPC Board of Directors urges the EPA Office of Water to engage with states through the GWPC at the earliest opportunity to begin to develop a Class VI regulator education and training program beneficial to both states and EPA through a cooperative agreement or similar instrument.

**LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED THAT,** the GWPC, its Board of Directors, and its workgroups and member states are committed to working collaboratively with EPA on a mutually beneficial Class VI regulator education and training program.

Attest

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Dan Yates, Executive Director