

INTRODUCTION

Groundwater is a major source of drinking water in many Northern European countries. Protection of groundwater is an important issue for water suppliers, authorities and for the stakeholders involved. Up to now, the legislation and the possibilities for groundwater protection have been very diverse in different countries.

Now the Water Framework Directive and the Groundwater Directive provide a common legislative framework.

LOCATION

Conference Center Klarskovgaard Korsør,
Denmark
www.klarskovgaard.dk/UK/

Klarskovgaard is a modern conference centre with excellent facilities, located in the nature close to the Great Belt.

ATV Jord og Grundvand

Arranged by ATV Soil and Groundwater.

GROPRO

– GROUNDWATER PROTECTION

PLANS AND IMPLEMENTATION IN
A NORTH EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVE



INVITATION FOR A CONFERENCE

Korsør, Denmark

15-17 September 2008



OBJECTIVES

We wish to take advantage of the great variety of knowledge and approaches experienced on groundwater protection in different countries. The conference will focus on the practical development and implementation of groundwater protection plans, on the involvement and cooperation with stakeholders, and the need for new knowledge and tools. The focus area of the conference will be Northern Europe, given the similarities in hydrogeology, land use and climate.

Therefore we invite all interested parties to a conference about groundwater protection in Denmark in September 2008.

TOPICS

- Planning groundwater protection
- Groundwater protection from theory to practice
- Cooperation between water suppliers and land owners
- Stakeholder involvement
- The toolbox for groundwater protection
- Need for knowledge and handling of data
- Practical experience and obstacles.

Papers will be given by invited keynote speakers and papers selected from abstracts submitted.

Information about submission of abstracts will be provided in October 2007.

TARGET AUDIENCE

- Water suppliers
- Authorities
- Farmers
- NGOs
- Advisers and consultants
- Universities

DEADLINES

October 2007

Second announcement and call for abstracts

January 2008

Deadline for abstracts

March 2008

Final Programme

September 15-17, 2008

Conference

