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INQUIRY INTO FLOODPLAIN HARVESTING

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Full transparency of water catchment, water diversion, harvesting of water, water usage all need to be fully documented and accessible to the general public.

Doing this is the only way to hold accountable those who are in breach of flood plain harvesting caps.

The commodification of water has resulted in the hoarding of a natural resource relied on by population that does not include production of cotton. It is water for food crops, for animals, for lifestyle - it is water for people, not for profit.