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**Nuclear Waste Management Organization  
Implementing Adaptive Phased Management 2008 to 2012**

First, the draft Plan is built around objectives in seven key areas.  
**Have we identified the right objectives? Have we missed key areas?**

Objectives look good. I don't think any key areas have been missed.

Second, the draft Plan identifies work and activities we propose to undertake to accomplish these objectives.

**Have we set out appropriate activities?**

Yes. You cannot emphasize too much the importance of "building trust and confidence in the NWMO and its operations" (p. 22). It is essential that you "build working relationships with communities, Aboriginal people, NGOs, etc" (p. 11). Without this, the best will fail.

**Third, what more would you like to know about the NWMO's draft Implementation Plan?**

**Please provide us with any comments on our draft transparency policy.**

It also looks good. I like the background notes (p. 3) that refer to "socially acceptable, technically sound, environmentally responsible and economically feasible". The list of documents (p. 4) have about the series of documents ending with "Choosing a Way Forward" which came out of the initial consultation period of 2 years? They were very good.

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