

Table 8c. States using environmental flow parameters based upon site studies.

Flow Parameters/ Scale/ Investment	State	Criteria	Notes
Environmental Flow Components/ Site/ Site studies	TN	tbd	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Based on existing data and limited site hydrologic and geomorphic measurements 2. Only southern state to protect water quantity through water quality standards. 3. Flow recommendations by new fish and wildlife agency instream flow program to water quality agency for state aquatic resource alteration permits.
	FL	Examples: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Minimum wetted perimeter plus 8-12 % daily flow 2. limited departure from baseline flow exceedance curve 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Specifics studies and criteria differ with resource and Water Management District. 4. Use Delphi technique to determine criteria 5. Applies to water withdrawal permits for ground and surface water sources issued by WMD. 6. WMD hydrologic models provide water management decision support system 7. Instream flows inform water allocation limits in priority watersheds under state water management plan
	NC	??	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applies to regulated flows under FERC or Corps operations. 2. State instream flow program guides studies and makes flow recommendations 3. Watershed hydrologic models are under development to provide water management decision support system
	TX	tbd	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Environmental flow study plan approved by National Academy of Sciences. 2. Watershed hydrologic models provide water management decision support system 3. Instream flows inform water allocation limits in priority watersheds under state water management plan