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## Interactive comment on "Urban water sustainability: an integrative framework for regional water management" by P. Gonzales and N. K. Ajami

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Thank you for your comments and interest in the topic. We appreciate your detailed suggestions for the structure of the article and the necessary clarifications of the methods, terms, and grammar. We will incorporate these suggestions in a revised manuscript to make it more clear and accessible. Regarding the context of our work, we acknowledge that our introduction quickly narrows the context to urban water management in the state of California, which although a good example, is not the only place where our framework would be applicable and useful. We also acknowledge that a literature review on existing sustainability frameworks, and on the use of diversity in-

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dicators needs to be expanded in order to explain the unique contributions of our work. A revised manuscript will be submitted soon. We appreciate any other feedback you may have.

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