Joint Executive Committee (JEC) *Advisory Committee
- Chair: H.E. Mr. Yoshiro Mori, President of the APWF, President of the JWF, Former Prime Minister of Japan
- Vice-Chair: Mr. Kazufumi Onishi, Mayor of Kumamoto City
- Vice-Chair: Dr. Norihito Tambo, Vice President of JWF, President of the Hokkaido River Center, Professor Emeritus of the Hokkaido University, Professor Emeritus of the Open University of Japan
- The Committee comprises eminent persons from different sectors.
  The JEC will provide advice and guidance necessary for the smooth and successful operation of the 4th APWS.

Joint Steering Committee (JSC) *Administrative Body
- Chair: Dr. Kotaro Takemura, Chair of the JWF (APWF secretariat)
- Vice-Chair: Mr. Kazufumi Onishi, Mayor of Kumamoto City
- The Committee comprises JWF staff and local officials of Kumamoto City, among others.
  The JSC is jointly organized by the City of Kumamoto and the JWF (APWF secretariat), and will carry out all work with regard to the 4th APWS.

Kumamoto City Steering Committee (KCSC)
- Chair: Mr. Kazufumi Onishi, Mayor of Kumamoto City
- Vice-Chair: Mr. Takahiro Kai, Chief Director of Higo Water and Greenery Protection Fund
- Vice-Chair: Mr. Toru Tajima, Vice-Governor of Kumamoto Prefecture
- Composed of experts in the field of economics from non-profit organizations, universities, and more based in Kumamoto City, Kumamoto Prefecture, and the Kyushu Region.
  Advise on the organization of the 4th APWS main events (thematic sessions and welcome reception) and relevant side events

Working Groups
- Chair: Mr. Masami Mori, Director of the Kumamoto City Environmental Promotion Department
- Composed of business leaders from the private sector, universities, NPOs and the Municipal government
  Discuss and examine the concrete plans of each working group, including the summit management team; side event team; hospitality team; accommodations, transport, and security team; etc.

Supporting Organizations and Sponsors
(Industries and the Local Business Community)
- Comprise the JEC
- Cooperate with the JSC

Affiliated Ministries and Agencies in Japan
Inter-Ministry/Agency Council on the World Water Forums
(Secretariat: Water Resources Department, MLIT)
- Participate in the JEC
- Cooperate with the JSC

Supporting Organizations
(Local Economics Experts)
- Configure the KCSC
- Assist the Working Group

As of 28 May 2019