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Yeşilirmak Basin Landscape Atlas

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The Yeşilirmak Basin Landscape Atlas aimed to identify the landscapes of the area, to analyse their characteristics based on natural and cultural values of the territory, as well as the dynamics and pressures that transform them. The project was launched in 2012 and was undertaken in three main stages: study, inventory and landscape assessment; constitution of a database; analysis of landscape functions, with the definition of indicators and the evaluation of landscape features. A meeting to launch the project was held in Amasya, and workshops were then organised, with the participation of government agencies, non-governmental organisations and the general public, in Samsun, Tokat and Çorum. Training and finalisation of the work was held in Ankara. A map, indicating sectoral guidelines, has been drawn up.

The Committee of Ministers acknowledged the great value of the achievement presented for the 6th Session of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe's European Landscape Convention 2018-2019, and the importance to make it well-known as a source of inspiration.

In accordance with Resolution CM/Res (2017)18 of the Committee of Ministers, the project is thus part of the Landscape Award Alliance of the Council of Europe.