

Review of: "Promoting Pro-Environmental Behavior for Sustainable Water Resource Management: A Social Exchange Perspective"

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Potential competing interests: No potential competing interests to declare.

The topic is intriguing and the article worth to be published. However, with some improvements, the paper has the potential to be more robust and publishable:

- Lack of Current Citations in Introduction The introduction would benefit from up-to-date citations to support the context and relevance of the study.
- 2. **Methodology Adequacy**: The methodology section is satisfactory.
- 3. **Include Empirical Evidence:** If applicable, include empirical evidence or case studies that demonstrate the effectiveness of the proposed framework in real-world scenarios.
- Highlight Practical Applications: Emphasize practical applications of the framework to make it more actionable for policymakers and practitioners.
- Consider Stakeholder Engagement: Discuss the involvement of relevant stakeholders in the framework's development and implementation.
- 6. **Separation of Conclusion and Discussion**: It's recommended to separate the conclusion from the discussion section for clarity.
- 7. **Cite Current References:** Ensure that the study's references and citations are up-to-date to support the framework's relevance.
- 8. **Inclusion of Policy Recommendations**: Consider incorporating policy recommendations based on the study's findings, as they can provide practical insights.
- Clarification of Study Area/Scope: Specify the study's geographical scope or boundaries to provide context to the reader.
- 10. Addressing Study Limitations: Mention the limitations of the study to ensure transparency and validity.
- 11. Minor Error Correction: The document should be thoroughly proofread for minor errors before publication.
- 12. **Address Potential Limitations:** Acknowledge any limitations or challenges associated with the framework and propose strategies for mitigation.
- 13. **Proofreading and Editing:** Carefully proofread and edit the document to eliminate any grammatical or typographical errors.

By incorporating these suggestions, the study can become a more compelling resource.

