

AGENDA

Workshop: “Neighborhood-scale” Adaptation Planning for Sea Level Rise in California

Host: California Coastal Commission (CCC) Local Government Sea Level Rise Working Group

Date: January 27, 2023

Time: 9:00 am – 3:30 pm

Workshop Goals:

- Describe areas of convergence, divergence, and key questions for phased and local/regional approaches to sea level rise adaptation that comply with the Coastal Act
- Explore opportunities and challenges to “neighborhood-scale” adaptation planning
- Assess interest in ongoing collaborative problem solving and priorities for Working Group focus

#	Time	Topic + Objective
1	8:30	Room Opens Early arrival encouraged; coffee provided.
2	9:00	Agenda Review
3	9:05	Welcome Purpose, history, and progress of the Local Government SLR Working Group.
4	9:15	Participant Introductions
5	9:45	Presentation: Phased Adaptation Planning is Possible! Examples from other places and resource management questions.
6	10:30	<i>Break</i>
7	10:45	Exercise: Testing Statements of Principle for Agreement and Common Goals <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Law and policy regarding property rights and adaptation is very complex. There is unlikely a simple legal solution to provide certainty to property owners, regulators, and jurisdictions in the near term.2. Sea level rise predictions and risk assessments are improving. However, uncertainty about the timing, location and intensity of impacts will remain.3. Parcel-by-parcel planning, permitting and projects result in sub-optimal solutions and costly processes for most or all involved.4. All adaptation strategies have secondary impacts.5. Phased and locally specific approaches are required for better progress on adaptation planning and Local Coastal Program (LCP) updates.
8	12:30	<i>Lunch Provided</i>
9	1:00	Discussion: “Neighborhood-scale” Approach to Planning and Projects <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Applicable Coastal Act policies- Definition and examples- Potential benefits- Challenges, opportunities

10	2:00	<i>Break</i>
11	2:15	<p>Next Steps: Identifying Topics for Working Group and Stakeholder Discussions Options may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Terms and vocabulary: e.g., “neighborhood” - Scenario planning around multiple levels of risk - Phased adaptation for public vs. private development - Revenue sources and constraints: What can we afford to do in the near- and medium-terms? - Considering equity in local and phased approaches - How can these principles and priorities support LCP planning in the near term?
12	3:00	<p>Seeking Commitment to Shared Problem Solving</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Observations from Working Group members - How will we know when it is time for another workshop like this? - How else can we maintain contact, build trust, and engage in problem solving outside of workshops? - Who else needs to be a part of these discussions?
13	3:25	Summary Statements and Acknowledgements from Working Group Members
14	3:30	Adjourn

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