



2024 CSO Spring Member Meeting

Coastal Hazards Planning & Adaptation Work Group Update

Work Group Co-Chairs

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Framework

- Bimonthly, 60-min full work group meetings
 - Regular staff updates and exchange of member info requests, new resources
 - Scope includes hazard mitigation, climate adaptation, and resilience planning
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Work Group Purpose

The Coastal Hazards Planning & Adaptation Work Group is a venue for knowledge sharing and discussion around coastal hazards topics and provides guidance to CSO on legislative and policy issues related to climate change and coastal hazards.

Recent Highlights

- Discussed navigating the 309 process to meet states goals.
- Facilitated discussion about climate adaptation planning challenges and innovative approaches.
- Provided information about funding opportunities and strategies for effective funding implementation.
- Surveyed work group members for call topic priorities in 2024.
- *Join CHPA to share and learn the latest from the coastal hazards and adaptation world! If interested in joining, please contact Marisa Borreggine.*

Recent Call Topics

February 2023: USACE P.L. 84-99 Proposed Rule
April 2023: CZMA Section 309 Member Panel
June 2023: Digital Coast Connects Initiative
August 2023: FEMA Programs and Benefits, BIL Year One Reflections
October 2023: Coastal Adaptation Through Planning in US Island Jurisdictions
December 2023: Funding and Financing Natural Infrastructure
February 2024: Digital Coast Connects Update, Combining Multiple Hazard Mitigation & Resilience Funding Streams, NSGLC Presentation

Current Efforts

- Planning for the April CHPA call is in progress. Call will focus on the Coastal Flood Inundation Community of Practice.
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