



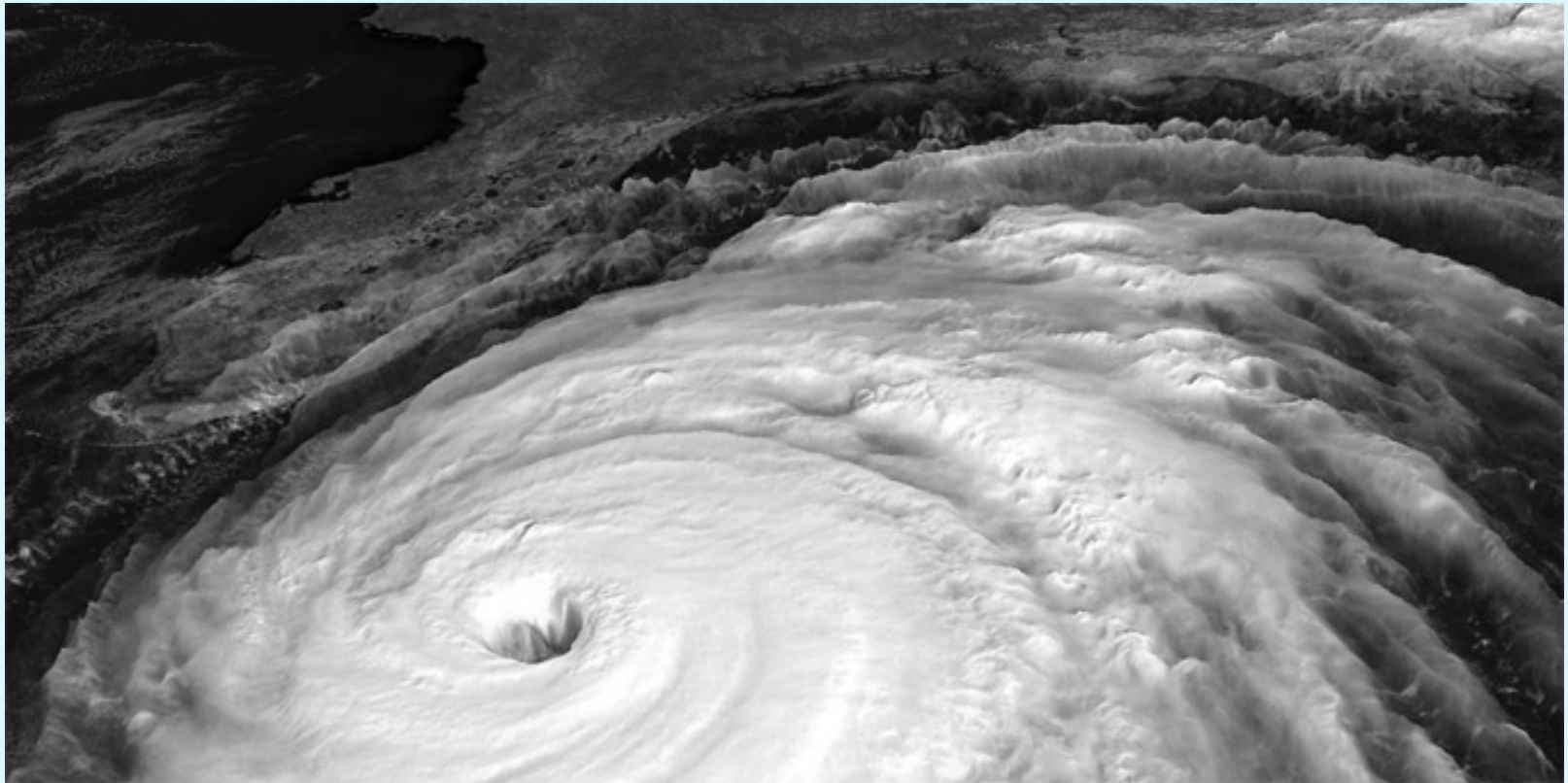
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Disaster Resilient Communities (DRC) Panel Discussion

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Disaster Resilient Communities





Who is the DRC?

TECHNICAL TEAM:

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Rick DeVoe – SC Sea Grant Consortium

State Representatives

Will Salters (Chair) – SC Department of Health & Environmental Control
Jennifer Kline – GA Department of Natural Resources
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Federal Representatives

Linda Rimer – Environmental Protection Agency
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Colton Bowles – U.S. Department of Defense/U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Holly Weyers – Department of the Interior/U.S. Geological Survey

Additional Members

J. Chris Crew – NC State Hazard Mitigation Office
Melissa Berry Potter – SC State Hazard Mitigation Office
Terry Lunn – GA State Hazard Mitigation Office
Miles Anderson – FL State Hazard Mitigation Office
Jessica Whitehead – SC Sea Grant Consortium

2014 DRC Planning

- ▶ GSAA Implementation Plan–Action Items/Implementation Steps
- ▶ Project Snapshots

Action DRC3A

Implementation Steps:

2012

- 1) Review Post-Disaster Redevelopment Planning Processes and inventory what has been done throughout all of the states.
- 2) Hold regional summit to improve understanding of post-disaster redevelopment options.

2013

- 3) Compile an online database of tools and resources with a forum for discussion that could be used to help with post-disaster redevelopment planning.
- 4) Explore land use change analysis and planning tools that could be used during the post-disaster redevelopment process, and implications for implementation.
- 5) Examine current federal recovery resources and evaluate any barriers or obstacles that they present and offer ways to better coordinate with them through the states.



Action DRC3B

Implementation Steps:

- 1) Coordinate with Emergency Support Function (ESF)-14, guidance focused on long-term recovery at the Federal and State level.
- 2) Meet with FEMA Region 4 and Headquarters to discuss how to better coordinate with ESF-14.
- 3) Evaluate state growth management laws, state hazard mitigation plans and federal hazard mitigation laws to create a framework for Post-Disaster Redevelopment Planning that connects the local, state and federal post-disaster redevelopment planning processes.
- 4) Develop guidance on how to best coordinate these efforts.
- 5) Evaluate RiskMAP as a tool for post-disaster redevelopment planning efforts



Action DRC3C

Implementation Steps:

- 1) Evaluate successful public-private partnerships
- 2) Evaluate current tools available for this collaboration and their effectiveness
- 3) Create guidance on what a successful partnership may look like in organization and practice.
- 4) Begin to forge regional state collaborative efforts on sectors of the economy that span all states and ways to leverage opportunities for expedited recovery



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Implementation Steps:

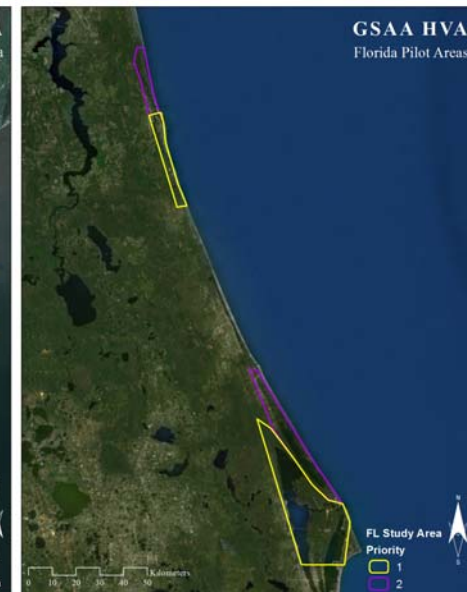
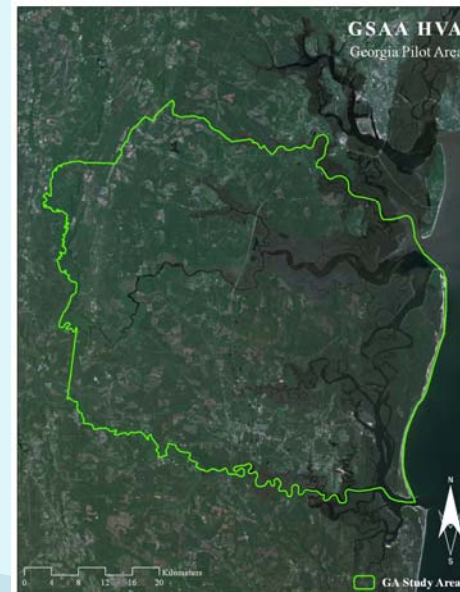
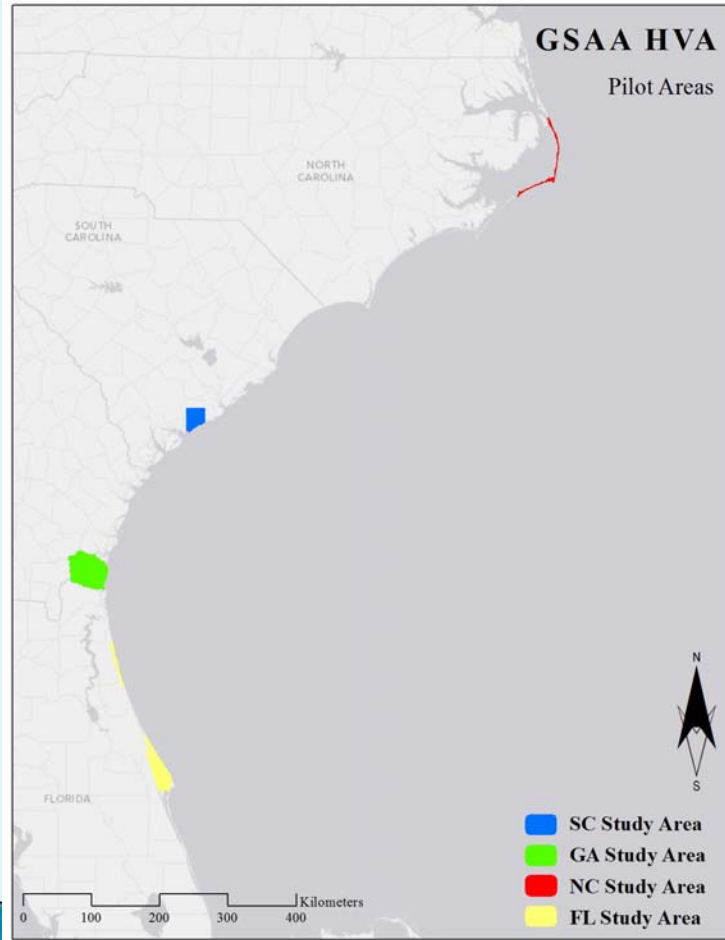
- 1) Develop/improve upon beachfront and estuarine shoreline digitization, change analyses (e.g. DSAS), and economic/natural resource vulnerability assessments
- 2) Develop guidebook and decision support tool to help local governments define and identify areas for management responses.



Living Shorelines



Predicting Future Shoreline Migration





Develop Adaptation Strategies Facing Water-Dependent Uses



