

Collaborating Your Way to Coastal Resilience

Tips for Creating Partnerships with FEMA, NOAA, and State Emergency Programs

Along the coast, the population is growing, as is the risk from flooding and other natural hazards. State coastal management programs and national estuarine research reserves have many initiatives dedicated to making communities safer and more resilient. Joining forces with other organizations with similar goals is a powerful way to strengthen these efforts.

Coastal management programs and research reserves can use the information found here to spark ideas regarding partnership opportunities that support coastal resilience, risk reduction, and storm preparedness goals. Topics covered in this quick reference include the following.

People to Know, Resources to Use

- FEMA
- State hazard mitigation staff
- NOAA Office for Coastal Management
- Digital Coast

Partnership Opportunities

- Planning
- Funding
- Incentives
- Stakeholder engagement
- Training

This quick reference sheet is one of many resources available from NOAA's Digital Coast. Visit the Digital Coast Academy (coast.noaa.gov/digitalcoast/training) for additional quick reference materials, online and in person training courses, case studies, and more.

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