

Rebuild by Design Project Locations

Comprehensive Solutions: City, Shore, Regional

Hunts Point: Lifelines

A look at jobs and food supply as critical resilience infrastructure and communities as integrators of economic, social and ecological potential to strengthen the whole, rather than the water's edge alone.

The Big 'U'

A community driven, integrated protection system, wrapping from West 57th St down to The Battery and up to East 42nd Street

New Meadowlands Productive City + Regional Park

A resilient district combining an innovative urban mix of residential and logistics around a regional tidal park

Resist, Delay, Store, Discharge: a comprehensive strategy for Hoboken

A comprehensive flood strategy that both defends the entire city, and enables commercial, civic, and recreational amenities to take shape.

Living Shorelines & Habitat Breakwaters Staten Island/Raritan Bay

A stepping down of risk for coastal communities by pairing living breakwaters with absorptive shoreline edges, working with local communities & schools.

Resilient Bridgeport Network

Spaces and programs for the South End to become more self-sufficient through public safety, education and job training, community activities, and a mix of commercial and housing functions

Living with the Bay: Resiliency-Building Options for Nassau

A collection of resiliency-building options ensure safety of residents during extreme weather events while also enhancing the quality of everyday life.

Designing with Nature for the Future of the Mid-Atlantic Coast

Modeling the risks and benefits of large-scale natural barriers designed for individuals, communities and the region.

Coastal Commercial Resiliency Financing

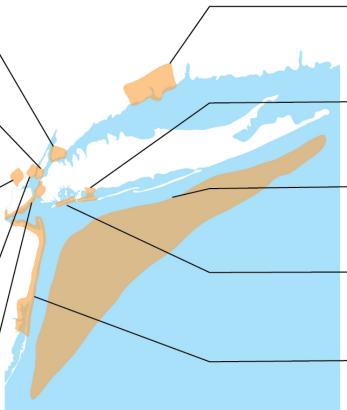
A replicable financial tool to enable temporary & long-term physical & operational interventions, protecting critical local businesses from extreme weather events.

Resilience + The Beach: Integrating Culture, Economy, and Ecology for the Future Jersey Shore

A rethinking of three iconic elements of the shore the pier, the boardwalk, and the marina— to help coastal communities adapt and strengthen in the face of ongoing sea level rise and storm threats.







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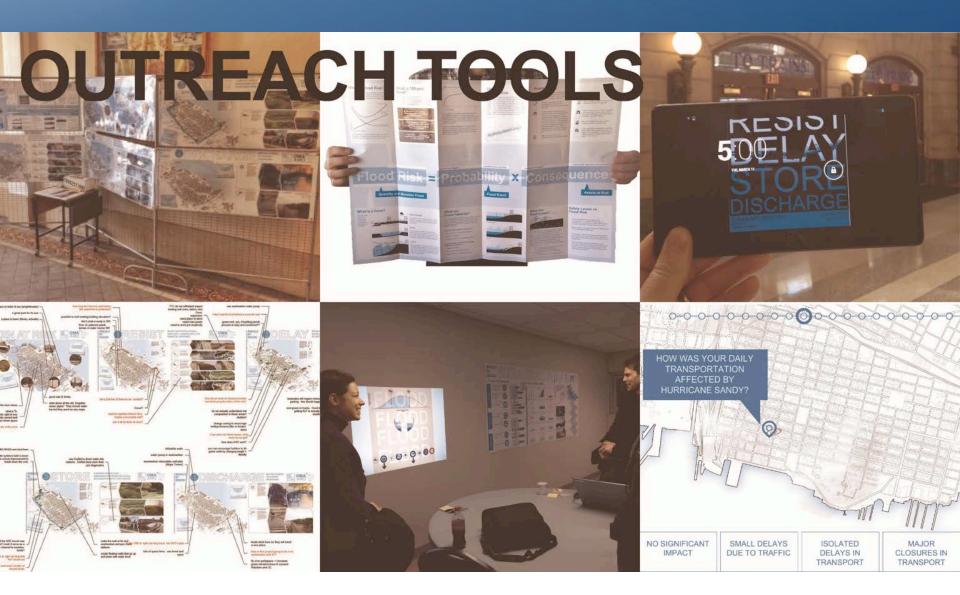
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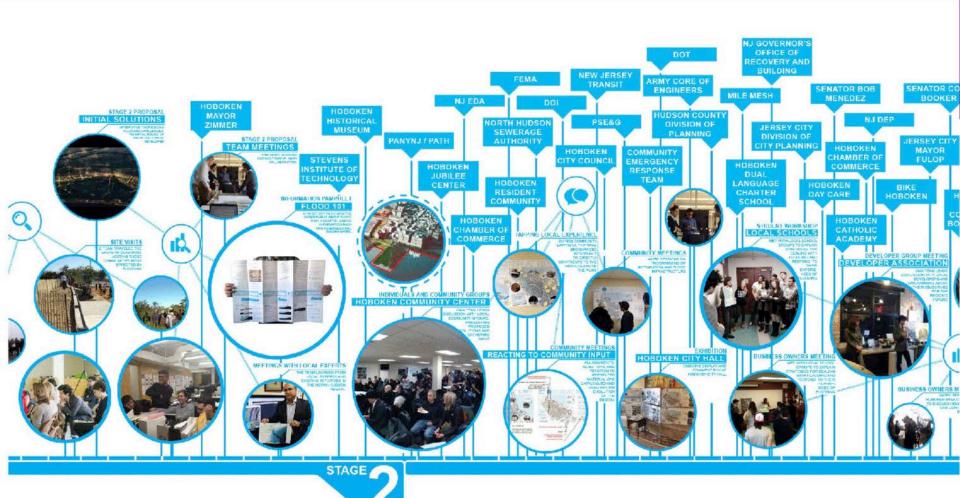
Use of Creative Tools for Communication & Outreach



Engagement... Not Just Your Traditional/Default Public Hearing



Example of Stakeholder Outreach in Hoboken/Jersey City/Weehawken, NJ



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Example of Stakeholder Outreach in Hunts Point/South Bronx, NYC

Stakeholder Meetings





INTEGRATED FLOOD PROTECTION SYSTEM 23 MEETINGS

21 MEETINGS

20 MEETINGS

GOVERNMENT

FEDERAL:

Congressman Jose E. Serrano (NY-15)

US Army Corps of Engineers

STATE:

Assemblyman A. Crespo 85th District

NYS Department of Environmental Conservation

NYS Department of Transportation

CITY:

NYC Economic Development Corporation

Office of the Mayor of New York City

NYC Department of Environmental Protection

NYC Office of Emergency Management

NYC Department of City Planning

NYC Department of Transportation

NYC Department of Parks and Recreation

LOCAL:

Community Board #2

Community Board #2 - Environmental Committee

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS:

COMMUNITY

The Point Community Development Corporation

Sustainable South Bronx

Mothers on the Move

Bronx River Alliance

Rocking the Boat

Majora Carter Group

The Blk Projek

Youth Ministries for Peace and Justice

South Bronx Unite

OTHER COMMUNITY ADVOCACY: New York City Environmental Justice Alliance

Environmental Defense Fund

Pratt Center for Community Development

Adam Liebowitz

Mathews Nielsen

WXY

and more...

ADVOCACY:

Hunts Point Economic Development Corporation

BUSINESSES:

- INDUSTRY

The Hunts Point Terminal Produce Cooperative Association

Hunts Point Cooperative Market

New Fulton Fishmarket at Hunts Point

Smitty's Filet House (fish wholesaler)

Nathel & Nathel (produce wholesaler)

Vista Food Exchange

Anheuser-Busch Distributors

Il Forno Bakery

Oak Restaurant & Grill

LABOR:

Brotherhood of Teamsters Local 202

United Food and Commercial Workers

and more...

Forward-Leaning: Don't make business come to you... you go to them





Seeking Individual Voices



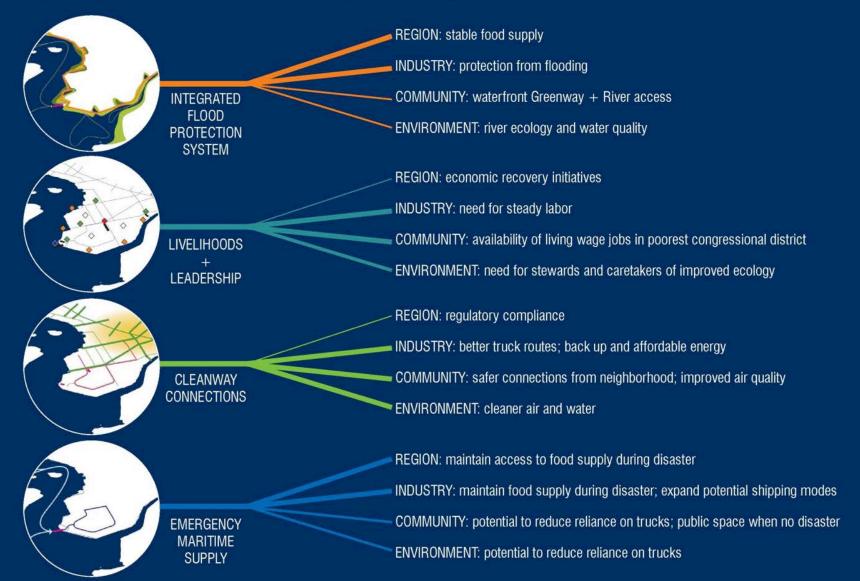
Interview and youth-led video projects to capture views of community members with different interests and vantage points

Bringing the Community Together

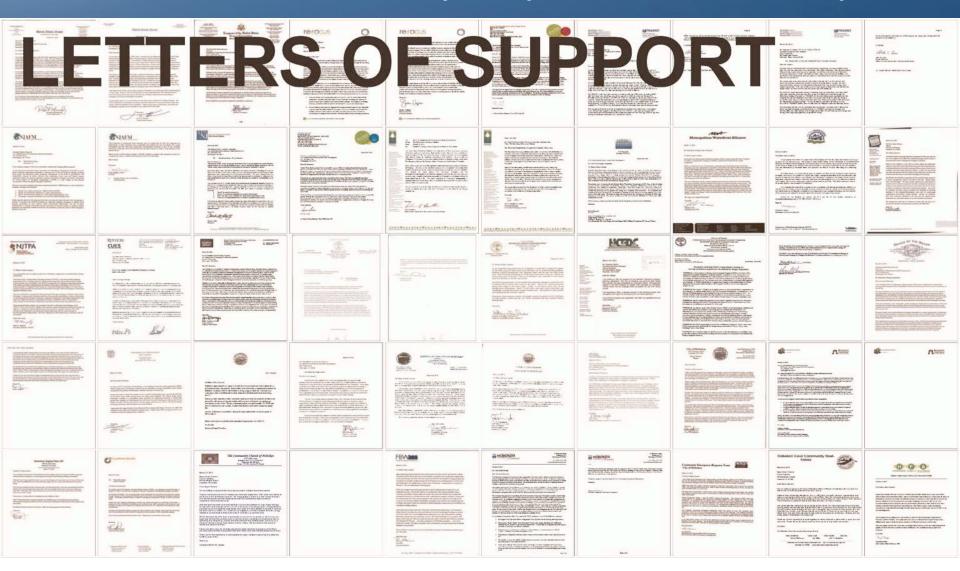


Result: Understanding and Alignment of Interests

Overlapping interests form design + program



Result: Community Buy-In & Ownership



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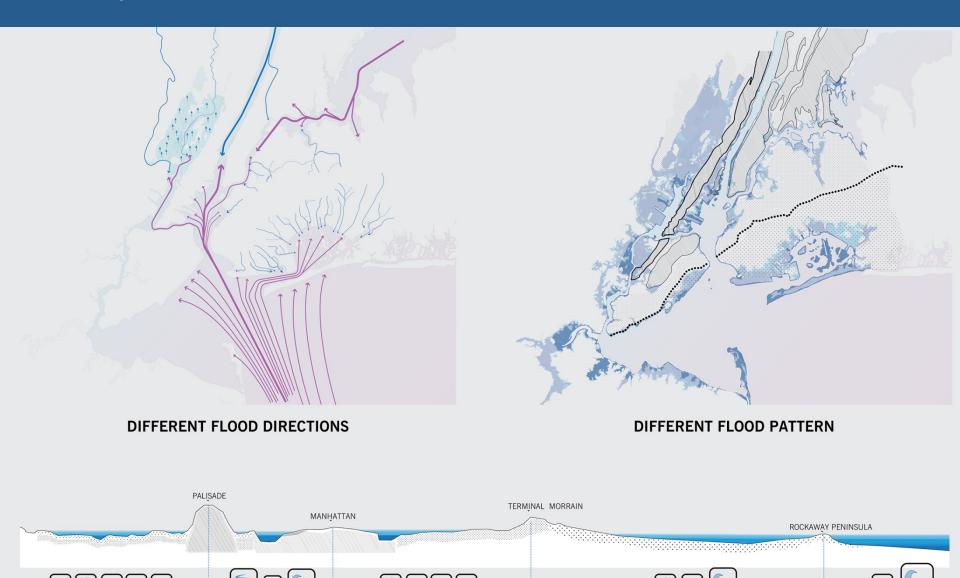
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Multiple Flood Hazards... from Air, Sea, and Land



East river- Creeks Watershed