

## Coastal Resilience Community of Practice Meeting

Monday, April 22 – 1:00pm - 3:00pm

**Purpose of the COP:** Bring together diverse coastal stakeholders to focus on how ecosystem resilience can build local community resilience. We don't necessarily have to have a "thing" to work on but will take on projects as appropriate and mutually agreed on. Website: <https://deq.nc.gov/coastal-resilience-cop>

### Agenda

- 1:00pm      **Welcome & Introductions**
- 1:10pm      **Flood Resiliency Blueprint** – Stu Brown, Blueprint Program Supervisor, NC Division of Mitigation Services
- 1:25pm      Q&A with Stu
- 1:35pm      **Flooding, erosion, and groundwater hazards for the North Carolina coast** – Patrick Barnard, U.S. Geological Survey
- 1:50am      Q&A with Patrick
- 2:00pm      **NOAA Digital Coast resources and upcoming funding opportunities** – Charles Grisafi & Tashya Allen, NOAA's Office for Coastal Management
- 2:15pm      Q&A with Charles & Tashya
- 2:25pm      **Round robin** – members share what they are working on related to resilience
- 2:55pm      **Next meeting ideas:**
- Next meeting topics –
    - Salt marsh impacts/migration, marsh migration corridor mapping
    - SASMI – final conservation plan – Amanda (new coordinator), connection to NC stakeholders – state teams/action plans, get more info. Coastal Fed lead partner in NC
    - Coastal Carolina Riverwatch: community organizing in North River and the Lower New River Watershed Restoration Plan – Riley Lewis, White Oak Waterkeeper with the Coastal Carolina Riverwatch – later than April
      - Study on public policy students, protecting wetlands in Carteret County with public policy changes – Riley
    - Rachel Carson Reserve Living Shoreline – Dawn York & Paula Gillikin, maybe ready for April, or next quarter
    - Coastal resiliency project (wrapping in mid-May) – Joe Heard, Town of Duck – July meeting
    - UNC, ECU drone mapping of SAV. Susan Cohen/ UNC talk more about if interested – Robbie
      - Also, NERR drone mapping/monitoring of oyster reefs and salt marshes
    - Sandbar Oyster Co. project updates – Marae West
    - Fortified Roof Program through Joint Underwriters Association – Eryn Futral
- 3:00pm      Adjourn