

## Coastal Resilience Community of Practice Meeting

Tuesday, July 11 – 1:00 - 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 Community engagement in Turner Station, SE Baltimore County, MD – Andrea van Wyk, Baltimore Community Project Manager for TNC's Maryland/DC chapter
- 1:25pm Q&A with Andrea
- 1:35pm The American Flood Coalition: Helping communities build resilience to higher seas and stronger storms – Gian Tavares, Senior Strategy Associate for the American Flood Coalition
- 1:50pm Q&A with Gian
- 2:00pm 5-Minute Break
- 2:05pm N.C. Land and Water Fund – funding recipients related to flooding/resilience – Steve Bevington
- 2:15pm Q&A with Steve
- 2:25pm Round robin – members share what they are working on related to resilience
- 2:55pm Next meeting:
- Next meeting in October. Whitney will send a meeting poll
  - Next meeting topics –
    - Dan Rizza - Climate Central - Cayla will get up with him
    - Town of Nags Head's estuarine shoreline management plan – Lora suggestion – has been adopted, working to secure funding, outcomes of plan and next steps – Whitney will get up with Kate Jones
    - Salt marsh impacts/migration – Kacy idea (Marae West's presentation, seaside sparrow)
      - 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
    - Duke University saltwater intrusion/SLR group – swislr.org, research coordination network - kiera.odonnell@duke.edu SWISLR RCN
- 3:00pm Adjourn