

SWFL Regional Resiliency Coalition Meeting Agenda August 15, 2022

Details:

- FGCU Campus, The Water School Building, AB9, room 209
- 10 am – 12 pm; in person
- Parking available in Garage 1 on the 2nd floor; 20 spots will be marked by traffic cones (you'll need to move the cone aside to park); see attached map: PG1 for garage, 39 for building.

Old Business:

- Update on DEP awards:
 - Gap analysis.
 - Critical asset mapping.
 - Climate indicators.
- Quick review of the web site.
- DEP portal remains open until Sep 1. Late proposal efforts?
- Still need to further populate the email listserv; who on your staffs do you want included?

New Business:

- Topics for discussion: *[please give each of these topics some thought in advance of the meeting]*
- Participation by unincorporated jurisdictions. Examples: North Captiva, Immokalee, Lehigh Acres, etc.
 - Given our informal, cooperative structure, can we welcome unincorporated jurisdictions to participate?
- Participation by NGOs, environmental agencies.
 - There is much talent and experience within our region's environmental agencies and not-for-profits. How can we best engage them to help with our problems concerning resilience?
- Finding common ground: Where do jurisdictions align with respect to needs? Use this to drive the Coalition's business.
 - What are each jurisdiction's priority issues with respect to climate-change resilience?
 - Which of the following climate-change drivers are of greatest concern?
 - Sea-level rise, storm surge, freshwater / compound flooding, extreme temperature, fire?
 - Are issues surrounding social and environmental justice high on priority lists?
 - Employing natural and nature-based features (NNBF; aka green infrastructure) for resilience?
 - Further vulnerability assessments?
- Identify 2 or 3 top priority aligned interests.
 - How to foster these?

If Time Permits & Interest Exists:

- ACUNE demonstration.