

Working Collaboratively and Engaging Stakeholders

A Community Climate Adaptation Planning Case Study and Learning Exchange

Wednesday, May 20, 2015, 8:30 am – 4:00 pm
Save The Bay, Providence, RI

AGENDA

8:00 am Sign-in and Refreshments

8:30 am to 12:15 pm (*the morning will include a 15 minute break*)

Welcome and Introductions

Get acquainted and review workshop objectives

Overview of the CAPE Project

Learn about the overall goal and structure of the CAPE project

Evaluating Your Efforts: Beginning with the End in Mind

Methods for evaluating your engagement efforts throughout the life of your project

Responding to a Concern and Developing a Strong Engagement Plan

Building the team and developing a strong engagement plan based in community interest and readiness

Identifying Community Values and Concerns

Various techniques for characterizing and prioritizing community values

12:15 pm Lunch

1:00 pm to 4:00 pm (*the afternoon will include a 15 minute break*)

Stay Flexible and Adapt!

Anticipating investments of time for collaboration and how to adapt along the way

Engaging Stakeholders and Holding Great Events

Strategies for engaging stakeholders and designing and executing successful project events

Wrap up and Evaluations

Final thoughts, questions, and reflections



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