

NC Flood Resiliency Blueprint Decision Support Tool Workshop



NCAFPM Conference 2025



Today's Workshop

- Blueprint Overview
- Who's in the Room
- Decision Support Tool Modules Session 1

 Community Profile
 Flood Risk Management
- 30-minute Break
- Decision Support Tool Modules Session 2

 Flood Risk Management
 Action Management
- Next Steps

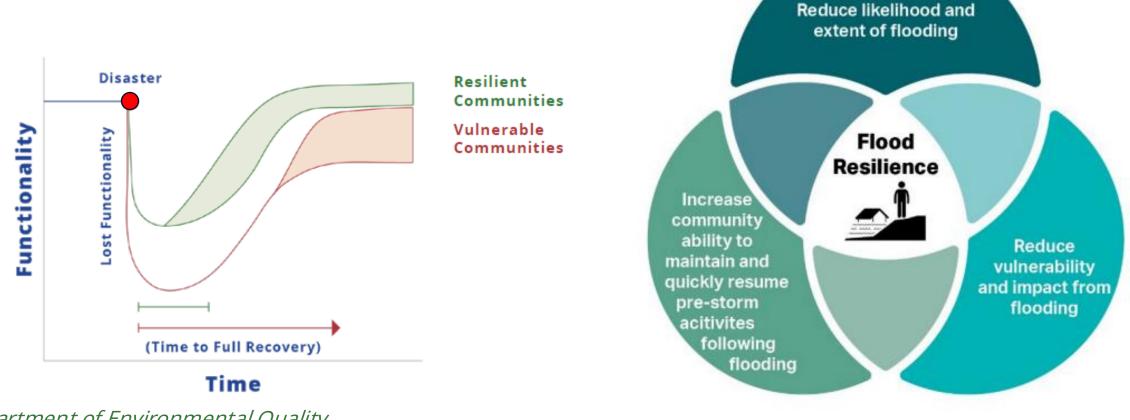






North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint

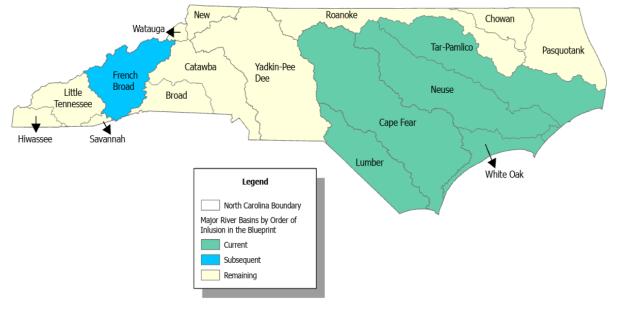
Overall goal: Make North Carolina more resilient to flooding.



North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint

Goals:

- Serve as the backbone of State flood planning
- Increase community resilience to flooding
- Reduce the cost and complexity for local governments in the planning and implementation of flood risk reduction projects
- "...A successful blueprint should ultimately lead to a prioritized set of projects and funding strategies that the State can implement."



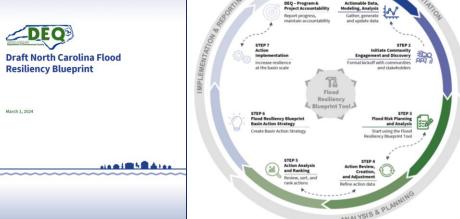
North Carolina Major River Basins by Order of Inclusion in Blueprint

Targeted River Basins: Neuse, Cape Fear, Lumber, Tar-Pamlico, White Oak, and French Broad (added 2024)



- Phase I (2022 2024) Complete
 - Research and evaluation, gap analysis, recommendations and decisions
 - Draft Neuse River Basin Action Strategy (Pilot)
 - Draft Blueprint
- Phase II (2023 2025) Ongoing
 - Model improvement
 - Develop online decision support tool (Blueprint Tool)
- Phase III (2024 2026) Ongoing
 - Develop Action Strategies for five prioritized areas
 - Refine Blueprint and Neuse Action Strategy (including additional data)
 - Refine Decision Support Tool
 - Additional River Basin Action Strategies as funding allows
- Implementation (2024 ____) Ongoing

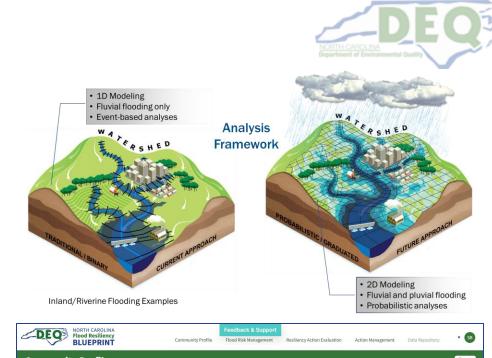
Phase I	
2024 Flood Resiliency Blueprint	March 2024
Draft Neuse RBAS	July 2024
Supplementary Reports	Jan-July 2024

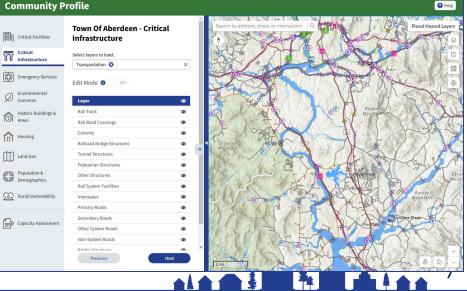




Community Engagement Q&A Meeting in Canton, 6/22/2023

- Phase I (2022 2024) *Complete*
 - Research and evaluation, gap analysis, recommendations and decisions
 - Draft Neuse River Basin Action Strategy (Pilot)
 - Draft Blueprint
- Phase II (2023 2025) Ongoing
 - Model improvements
 - Develop online decision support tool (Blueprint Tool)
- Phase III (2024 2026) Ongoing
 - Develop Action Strategies for five prioritized areas
 - Refine Blueprint and Neuse Action Strategy (including additional data)
 - Refine Decision Support Tool
 - Additional River Basin Action Strategies as funding allows
- Implementation (2024 ____) Ongoing







- **Phase I** (2022 2024) *Complete*
 - Research and evaluation, gap analysis, recommendations and decisions
 - Draft Neuse River Basin Action Strategy (Pilot)
 - Draft Blueprint
- Phase II (2023 2025) Ongoing
 - Model improvement
 - Develop online decision support tool (Blueprint Tool)
- Phase III (2024 2026) Ongoing
 - Develop Action Strategies for five prioritized areas
 - Refine Blueprint and Neuse Action Strategy (including additional data)
 - Refine Decision Support Tool
 - Additional River Basin Action Strategies as funding allows

∎ ‡ I



Blueprint Staff







Basic Tool Functionality

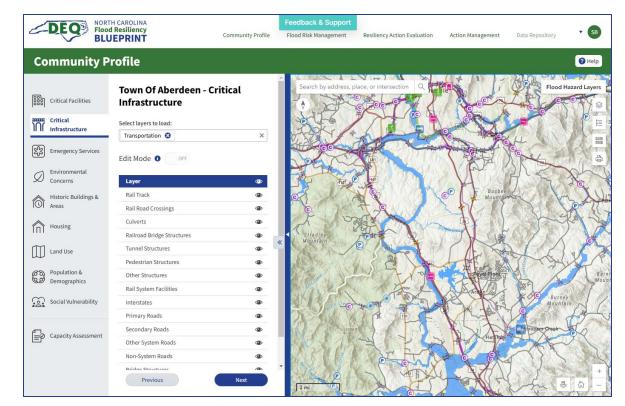


Phase II - Blueprint Tool



Goals:

- Be a resource for communities, local governments, and other partners for the planning and implementation of resilience actions
 - Provide users with accurate, data-driven flood risk and vulnerability assessments
 - Allow users to explore, develop, and define flood resilience actions
 - Help users to evaluate and prioritize effective flood resilience actions
- Be a resource to DEQ and partners in the development of River Basin Action Strategies
- Support DEQ/State funding decisions for planning and implementation





Tool Basics: Signing In

Community Profile Flood Risk Management Action Management Data Repository



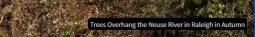
Flood Resiliency Blueprint Tool

an online-decision support tool to address flooding for communities in North Carolina's river basins

NORTH CAROLINA Flood Resiliency BLUEPRINT

DFO







Feedback & Support

Action Management Data Repository

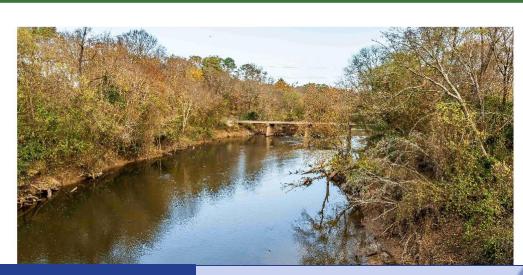
▼ (KP

User Profile My Roles

Manage Users

Logout

Welcome Kelsey



Request Access	- 🗆 ×										
Select jurisdiction that you want to access:											
Wake County	× •										
Please contac request access	t one of the following jurisdiction administrators to 5:										
Lisa Smith											
Email	lisa_smith@email.com										
Title	Delegated Authority										
Bob Jones											
Email	bob_jones@email.com										
Title	Local Government Administrator										

w.

User Profile

– 🗆 ×

Kelsey Peterson

Email	kelsey.peterson@aecom.com
NCID	kelsey.peterson
Agency	

Some details, like your name and job title, may be provided by your IT or human resources department. If you want to update those details, contact them or your admin.

My Roles			
Local Government	Delegated Au	uthority	
Local Governme	ent Name	Submitter	Administrator
Johnston Co	ounty	Request Role	
Wayne Cou	unty	Request Role	
City Of Kins	ston	Request Role	
City Of New	Bern	Request Role	
Craven Cou	unty	Request Role	
City Of Rale	eigh	Request Role	
		N	

Request Additional Access

× Manage Users – 🗆 🗙 Local Government **Delegated Authority** Johnston County • + Add New User User Name Email Administrator Submitter Cancel) Sav Hope.Morgan Hope.Morgan@aecom \checkmark peyton.campbell peyton.campbell@aec \checkmark kelsey.peterson kelsey.peterson@aeco \checkmark ashley.ervin@aecom.c \checkmark ashley.ervin ι. H 4 1 ► H

Okay

Informational Help and Warning Tool Tips

Welcome Kelsey



•	Hover Tooltip	Brief/helpful text content that appears when a user hovers their mouse over the indicator
0	Click to Open Popover	 Longer or more detailed content that appears when a user clicks on the icon Content that requires tables or graphics All popovers have an "X" close button in the upper right corner
	Click to Open Popover	 Any content that constitutes a warning All popovers have an "X" close button in the upper right corner
PDF	Click to Open PDF in New Tab	Linked PDF document
eə	Click to Open Linked Web Page in New Tab	Linked Web Page

Feedback & Support

A Feedback & Support Banner Is Available Throughout Every Page of the Blueprint Tool

			× Let us know your thoughts	
	× Feedback & Support	× Report a bug	Feedback Topic Choose option	× Request Help
斑	Report an issue Something broken? Let us know	Noticed an issue?	Application Module Choose module	Help Requested Please describe what you need help with
F	Share Your Feedback Share your thoughts with us	Add description Email kelsey.peterson@aecom.com	Title Subject Add a comment Please share your thoughts	Application Module Choose option
ф	Request Help Get in touch with our support team Powered by @ usersnap	Submit Powered by @ usersnap	Your email (optional) kelsey.peterson@aecom.com	kelsey.peterson@aecom.com Submit Powered by @ usersnap
			Powered by O usersnap	



Today's Activity



Activity Logistics

User Roles

- Local Submitter
 - Floodplain Administrator (Workshop Attendee)
 - Local Engineer (<u>Workshop Attendee</u>)
- Local Administrator
 - AECOM Rep.
- Delegated Authority Submitter
 - Council of Government Rep. (Workshop Attendee)
 - Non-Government Organization Rep. (Workshop Attendee)
- Delegated Authority Administrator
- Blueprint Analyst
 - NCDEQ Rep.



Pre-Assigned Jurisdictions for Today's Activities (Neuse River basin):

Raleigh

Kinston

New Bern

Wayne County

Johnston County

Craven County



Problem Statement



Communities within North Carolina's Neuse River basin—including Raleigh, Kinston, New Bern, Wayne County, Johnston County, and Craven County—have increasingly faced severe flooding due to heavy precipitation, stormwater runoff, and the impacts of extreme weather events such as hurricanes and tropical storms. While each community differs in scale and local context—from urbanized Raleigh and historic river towns like Kinston and New Bern to rural and coastal landscapes in Wayne, Johnston, and Craven counties—all share interconnected vulnerabilities to flooding along the Neuse River and its tributaries. Flood events have repeatedly disrupted critical infrastructure, including transportation networks, drinking water and wastewater systems, electrical utilities, agriculture, housing, and local businesses, negatively affecting public safety, community health, local economies, and ecosystems.

Local stakeholders recognize the importance of collaborative, data-driven resilience planning to minimize flood risk and enhance recovery capabilities. During this workshop, your team of six stakeholders representing these diverse communities in this <u>hypothetical scenario</u> will test the initial public release of the NC Flood Resiliency Blueprint Tool, collaboratively identifying flood risks, exploring applicable resiliency actions, and prioritizing interventions suitable for addressing flooding impacts across the Neuse River basin.

Section 1 on the Activity Worksheet



In this workshop you will...

- Explore your community profile
- Explore and evaluate your community's flood risk
- Create and prioritize actions
- Understand how each community's action will roll into the River Basin Action Strategy





Community Profile

Section 2 on the Activity Worksheet





Welcome Ashley



North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint

GET STARTED Community Profile Review and enter information pertaining to Socio-Demographics, population, adaptive capacity, and environmental vulnerabilities. View Community Profile

Flood Risk Management

Within the **Community Profile**, users can

- Explore how various critical categories may be affected by differing flood events
- Edit certain layers to include missing infrastructure, structures, or critical facilities
- Evaluate and edit community capacity

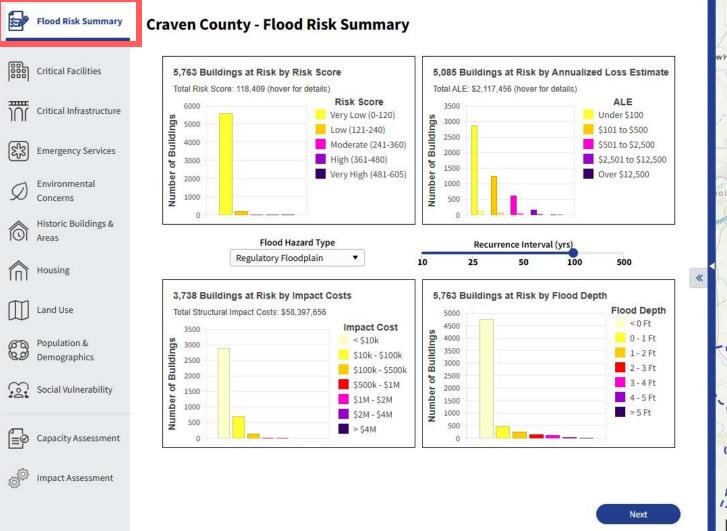


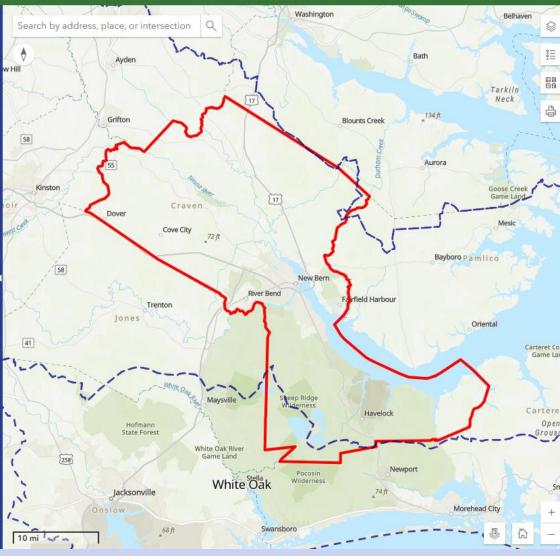


• AE

Help

Community Profile







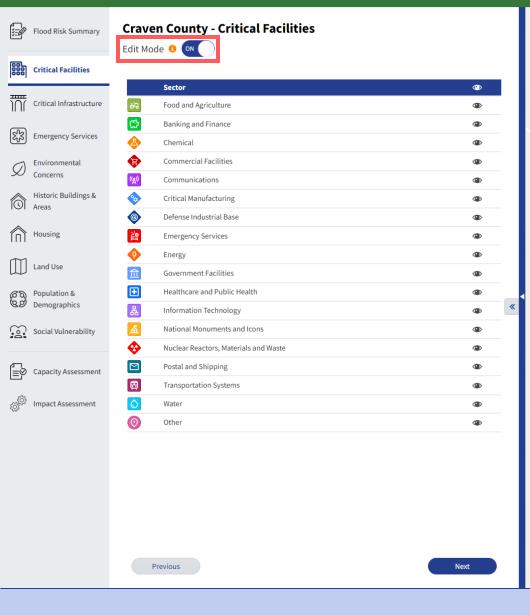
AE
 Help

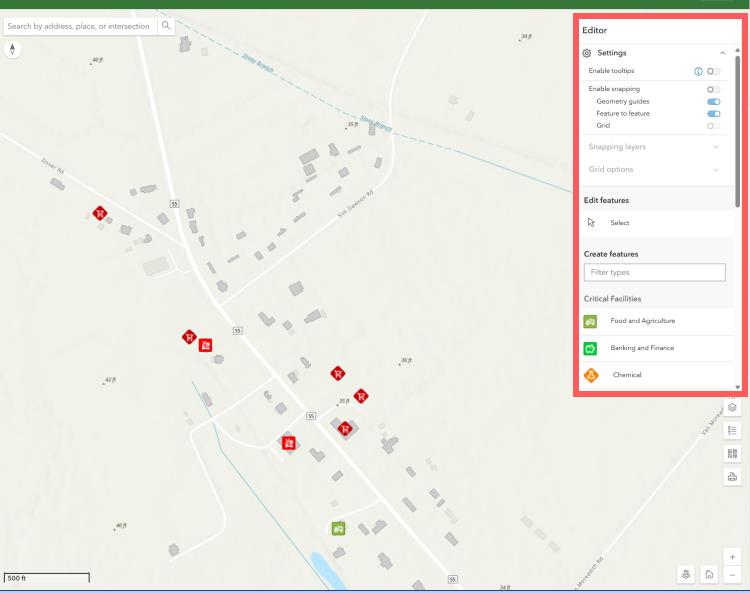
Community Profile

		Craven County - Critical Facilities)(earch by	66		99		677	2 400
¥::0	Flood Risk Summary	Edit Mode 1 OFF Zoom in to enable Edit Mode	15		157		52		305	× 490
		Sector		84	Sno	186	\succ	201	AV	^{den} 148
	Critical Facilities	Food and Agriculture	220	\succ	357	\succ	189	\succ	225	$\rangle \rightarrow \langle$
		😭 Banking and Finance 👁	189	141	196	174	153	92	191ftc	106
JUL	Critical Infrastructure	🚸 Chemical 👁	109	109		167,8)(141		99
ଞ୍ଜିଅ	Emergency Services	Commercial Facilities	312	Grange	184		121	\succ	73	\succ
62	Emergency services	W Communications		121	\ge	770		111		86
$\langle \rangle$	Environmental Concerns	🗞 Critical Manufacturing 👁	184	131	289	358	Ki704	114	41	10
50		Defense Industrial Base	183	\rightarrow	180		166		Dove	\succ
$\widehat{\mathbb{O}}$	Historic Buildings & Areas	Emergency Services	-	179	$\rangle \rightarrow \langle$	76	\succ	90	\succ	80
~		🚯 Energy 👁	299	249	246	96	99 /	111	55	71
ĨΠÌ	Housing	🟦 Government Facilities 💿 🔍	312	245	264	\rightarrow	107	\rightarrow	133	\rightarrow
m	Land Use	Healthcare and Public Health		337 ^k		127	\succ	74		141 Tre
W	2010 000	品 Information Technology ④	311	220	142	115	65	\succ	33	\succ
60	Population & Demographics	A National Monuments and Icons	252	220	95	115	58	83		15
00	bemographics	A Nuclear Reactors, Materials and Waste		253 Beulaville	\succ	107	\succ	-8	X	22
3	Social Vulnerability	Postal and Shipping	459	\succ	71	\succ	239	\succ		
		Transportation Systems	329	376	270	119	89	21	7	Hofmann ate Fore
	Capacity Assessment	🚫 Water 👁	Ching	apin 247	\rightarrow	81	\rightarrow	139	\succ	128
c0.,		Other O	185	$\rangle \rightarrow \langle$	128	\succ	51	F	356	X
Sec. 1	Impact Assessment		229	193	92	65		176		ksof50le
		Previous	229	118)	48		101	609	43
			Angola	mi	79		23	\rightarrow	10	\searrow

•	84 Sea	arch by	66 addres	s. place	99 e. or inte	ersectio	677 on C	490	251		133		778as	Ington	44		21	\geq	39	Belh	ven 53	19	He L
	15	$ \searrow $	157	\succ	52	\succ	305 AV	+90	128	193	79	157	51	209	32	52 \(96 Bath	89	67	125	2		
	220	84	357	186	189	201	225	^{len} 148	88	69	24	92	37	30	3	38	29	24	60	29	25	23	
	189	141	196	174	153	92	19110	106)—(99	74	59	17 32	\succ	20	Bio17ts C	6	90,13	14	$> \prec$	N°22	8		
	4	109	\succ	167,8	\succ	141	X	99	\nearrow	42	$\rangle \rightarrow \langle$	46		13	\succ	21	\succ	9	\rightarrow	5	<u>}</u>		Swan Nation Wildlife Re
	312 La	6range	184	770	121	111	73	86	50	58	211	51	\succ	19		46		rora 52	20	24			
	184	131	289	358	Ki704	114	41 Dover	10	86	63	51	195	33	38	16	\sum	28	3	7	25	34		
	183	179	180	76	166	90	41	80	108	2772	62	48	61	39	57	514	2	22	46	Adensic.,		1	~
	299	\succ	246	\succ	99	\succ	55	\succ	24	\succ	90	\succ	284	\succ	45	\succ	212	Baybor	9-30	>	(ing		-
	312	249	264	96	107		133		63		94	769 Over Ben	- P	N B114	Fa 11	67	3	73	14	21	L'		
	311	337	142	127	65	74 >(33	141	123	75	34		18	194	5	49	56	40	Orten 138	12	$\langle 1$		
	252	220	95	115	58	83	\succ	15	78	178	12		$ \searrow $	68	13	68	52	21	5	5	Game Land		Ceda, 15
	459	253 eulaville	71	107	239	-8	X	22	18	25	A A	1	Sheep Ric Wilderne	3	183	5		11	8	23	2	\sum_{1}	Nativ
		376	\succ	119	\succ	21		Hofmann ate Fore	\rightarrow	118	\rightarrow		Wilderne	-55	$\rightarrow \langle$	106	ightarrow	18	X	6	Carteret	->	75
	329 Chinqu	ipin 247	270	81	89	139	7	128	24	51am	43	10	Z		247	176	22	35	25	24	38 9	15 S	C!
	185	193	128	65	51	176	356	650 le	31	39	47	Xella 80	12 oct	in	126	299	wpor 7	151	138	59	40 Sm37	- 20	7
1	229	118	92	48	119	101	609	43	91	67	51	210	72	80	86	129	442	639	ore 453) (55	83 Mars	Hilberg	+
	Ango10		79		23	\rightarrow	10	\searrow	96	\rightarrow	115	Swar	343		-27	5=7	75		4		80	\$ G	- 1

Community Profile





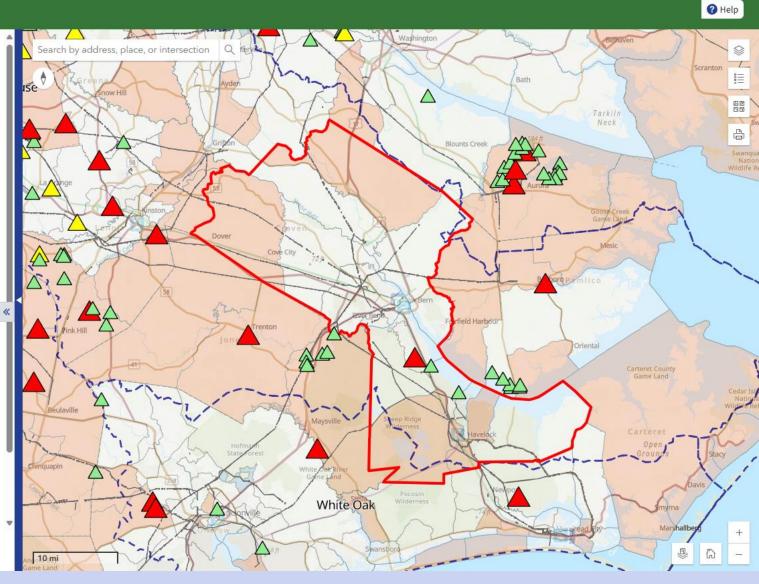
Help



• AE

Community Profile

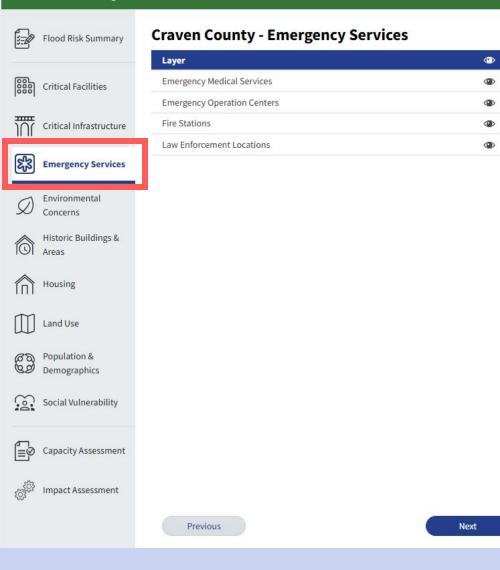
Flood Risk Summary	Craven County - Critical Infrastructure	
	Select layers to load:	
Critical Facilities	Transportation 😵 Utilities 😵 High Hazard Dams 😵	×
Critical Infrastructure	Edit Mode 10 OFF	
Emergency Services	Layer	۲
	Rail Track	٩
Concerns	Rail Road Crossings	٩
Concerns	Culverts	٩
Historic Buildings & Areas	Railroad Bridge Structures	٩
	Tunnel Structures	٩
Housing	Pedestrian Structures	٩
~	Other Structures	٩
Land Use	Broadband Indices	٩
Population &	Duke Transmission	٩
Demographics	High Hazard Dams	٩
\sim	Dam Hazard Potential	۲
Social Vulnerability	Rail System Facilities	٩
_	Interstates	٩
Capacity Assessment	Primary Roads	٩
<i>e</i> 5	Secondary Roads	٩
승 ⁰⁾ Impact Assessment	Other System Roads	٩
	Previous	Next

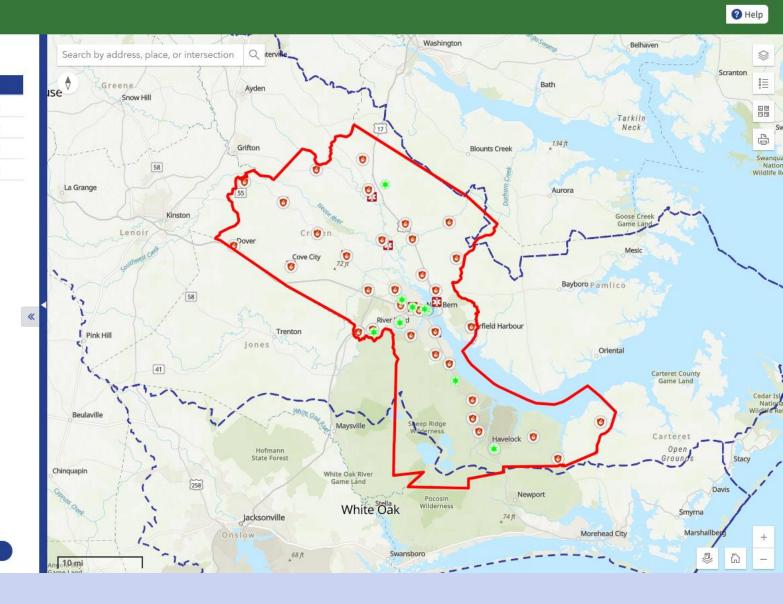




• AE

Community Profile





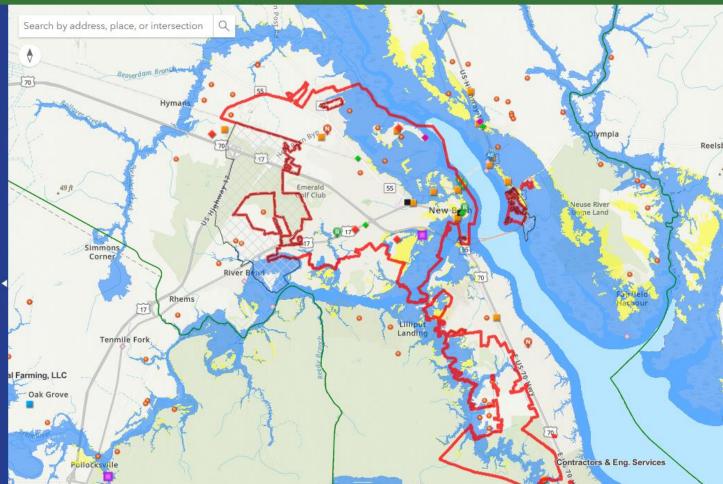


and the second se

Report

Community Profile

	Flood Risk Summary	City Of New Bern - Environmental Concerns			
	Critical Facilities	Select layers to load: Resiliency Planning Event Response	×	•	
ĨĨĨ	Critical Infrastructure	Layer		Ð	
Est State	Emergency Services	Coal Ash Structural Fills		Ð	
Ø	Environmental Concerns	Land Clearing And Inert Debris Landfill Notifications Federal Remediation Branch Sites		D D	
Ô	Historic Buildings & Areas	Animal Feed Operation Permits Dry Cleaning Contaminated	9	D D	
Â	Housing	NPDES Wastewater Discharge Permits Permitted Solid Waste Landfills	-		«
	Land Use	Hazardous Waste Sites Above Ground Storage Tank Incidents			
60	Population & Demographics				



Capacity Assessment

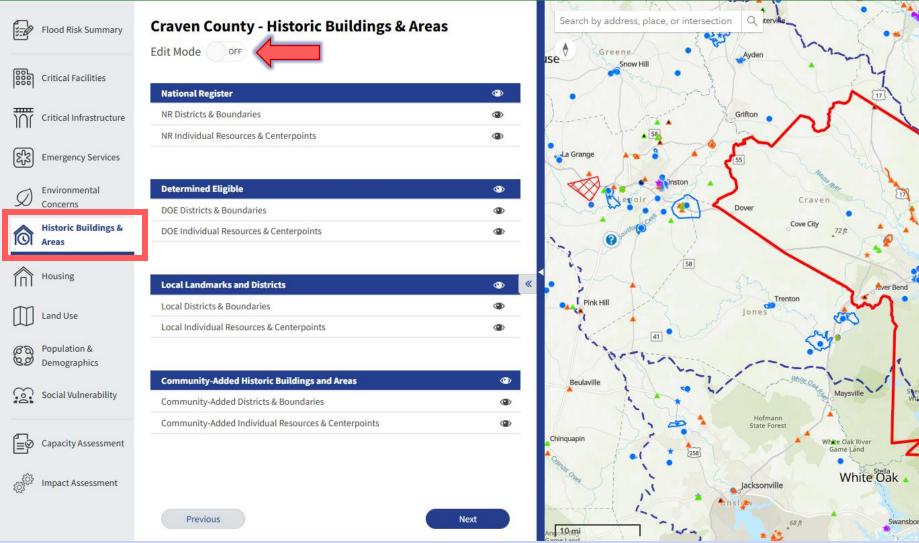
Social Vulnerability

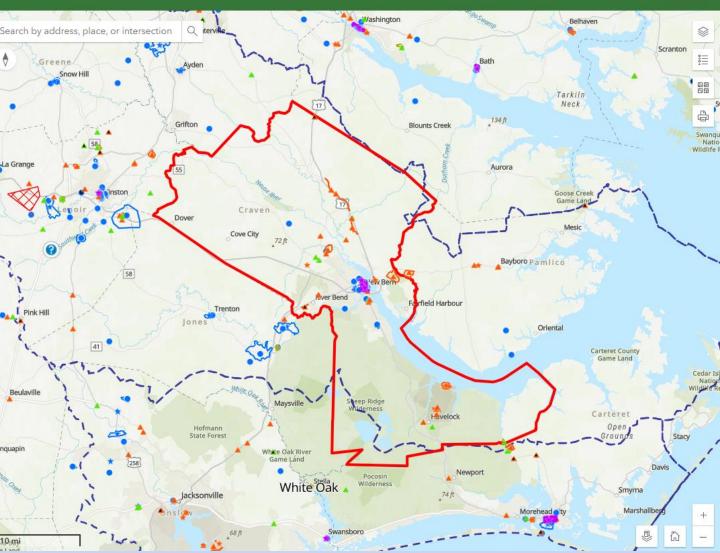




Help

Community Profile



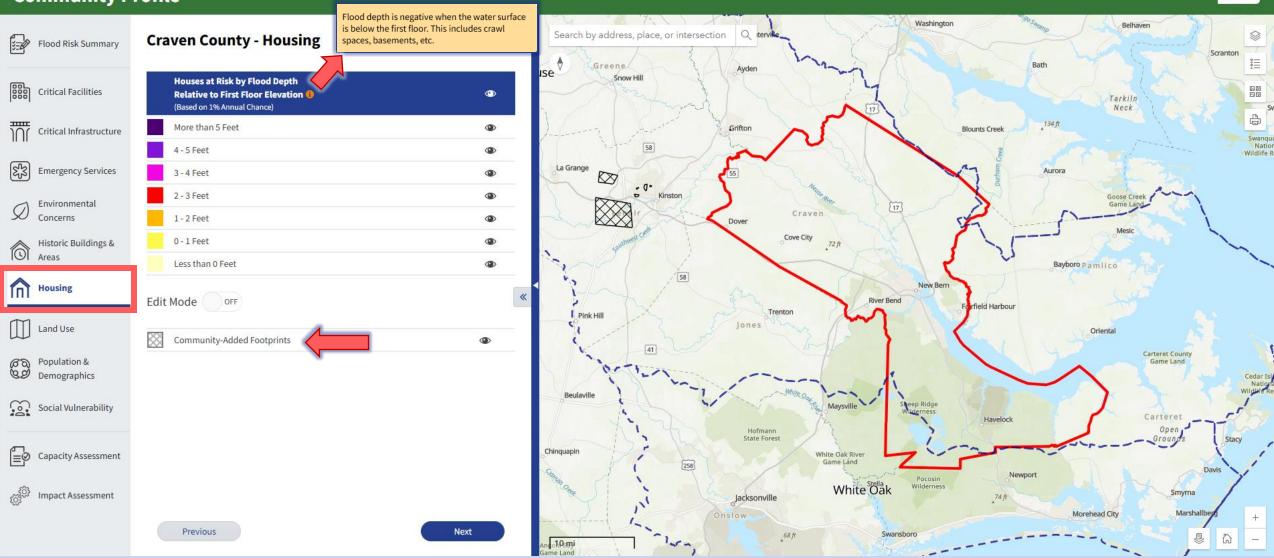




• AE

Help

Community Profile



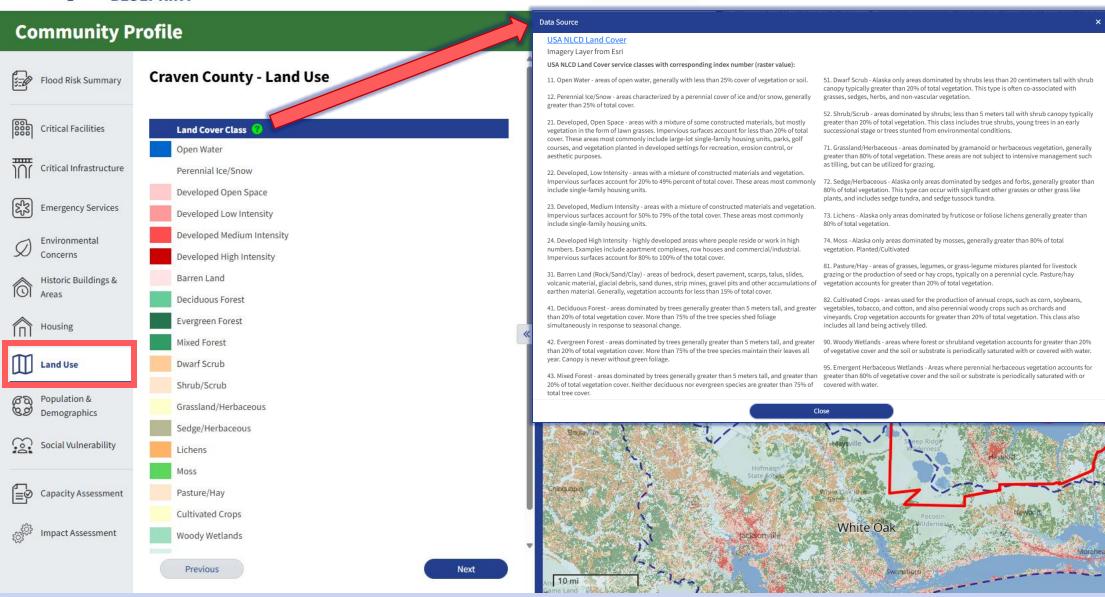




AE

Help

8



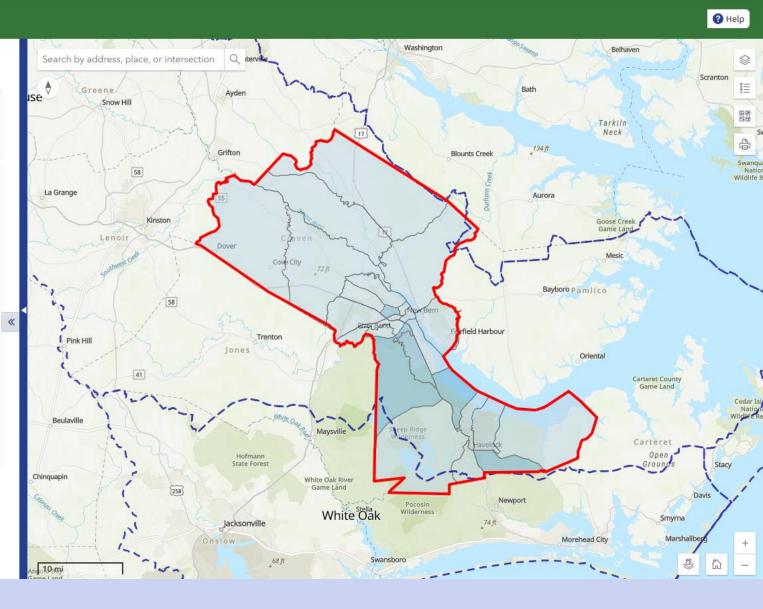
receiption a cappore



AE

Community Profile

	Flood Risk Summary	Craven County - Population & Demo	ographics
	Critical Facilities	2020 POPULATION	100,720
	Critical Infrastructure	2010 POPULATION: 103,505	DIFFERENCE: -2,785
 (253)	Emergency Services	Select Demographic Topic:	
9		Race	•
Ø	Environmental Concerns	AFRICAN-AMERICAN	20,204
	Historic Buildings &	AMERICAN INDIAN AND ALASKA NATIVE	413
[0]	Areas	ASIAN	3,093
俞	Housing	NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER	167
m		WHITE	66,703
Ш	Land Use	OTHER	3,003
8	Population & Demographics	TWO OR MORE RACES	7,137
-		HISPANIC OR LATINO	7,195
	Social Vulnerability	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO	93,525
E S	Capacity Assessment		
ф.	Impact Assessment		
		Previous	Next

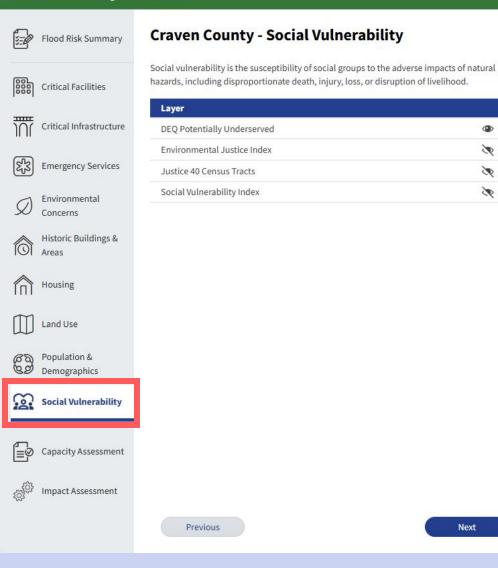


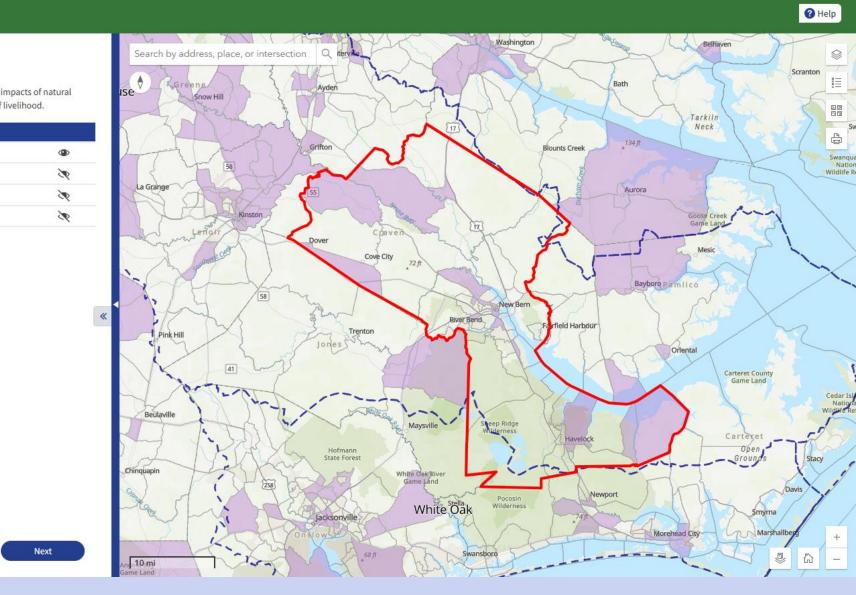
I COUDDOK & OUPPOIL



• AE

Community Profile



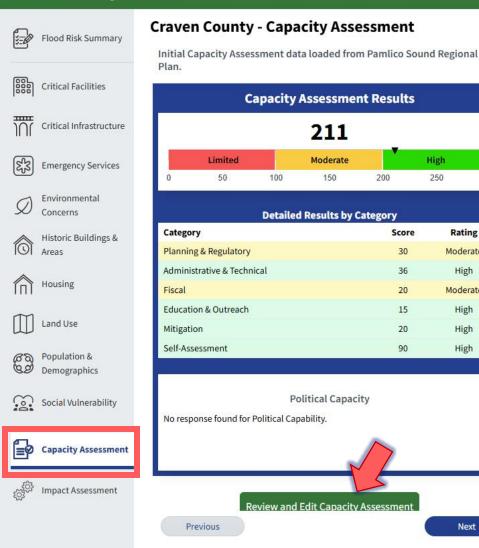


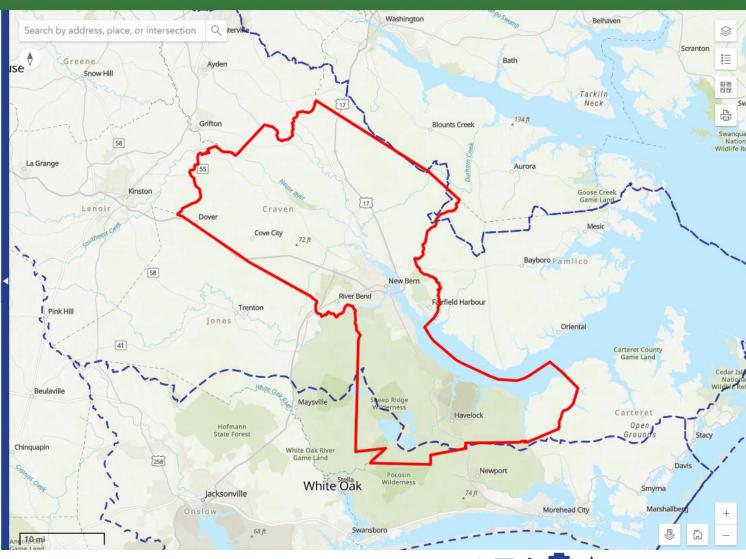


AE .

Help

Community Profile





cabaon a cappoi

300

Rating

Moderate

High

Moderate

High

High

High

Next



Community Profile

Community Pro	rofile	Effect on Loss Reduction refers to the potential						
Flood Risk Summary	Craven County - Capacity Assessme	 Planning & Regulatory 	Administrative & Techn	hnical Fiscal E		Mitigation P	Political Self-A	factor assesses how effectively the planning
Critical Facilities	Capacity Assessment R		Action is currently in place and being implemented	Action is currently under development for future implementation	Action is covered for that item under a county, regional, or other larger entity-implemented version	Not in Place/Included	Effect on Loss Reduction	and/or regulatory effort will decrease flood- related risks, reduce property damage, protect infrastructure, and safeguard human lives.
Critical Infrastructure	211 Limited Moderate	Hazard Mitigation Plan	۲	0	0	0		Tarkiin Neck
Emergency Services	0 50 100 150	Comprehensive Land Use Plan	۲	0	0	0	Strongly Supports	Blounts Creek 134 ft
Concerns	Detailed Results by Categ	Floodplain Management Plan	0	0	0	۲	Facilitates Hinders or Not	Aurora
Historic Buildings &	Category Planning & Regulatory	Open Space Management Plan	0	0	0	۲	Available	Goose Creek Game Land
•	Administrative & Technical Fiscal	Stormwater Management Plan	0	0	0	۲	•	Mesic
Housing	Education & Outreach	Natural Resource Protection Plan	0	0	0	۲		Bayboro P a m li co
Land Use	Mitigation Self-Assessment	Emergency Operations Plan	۲	0	0	0		Farfield Harbour
Population & Demographics		Continuity of Operations Plan	۲	0	0	0		Oriental
Social Vulnerability	Political Capacity No response found for Political Capability.	Evacuation Plan	۲	0	0	0		Carteret County Game Land
_		Disaster Recovery Plan	0	0	0	۲		eep Ridge Merness
Capacity Assessment		Capital Improvements Plan	۲	0	0	0	•	Havelock Carteret Open Grounds St
impact Assessment	Review and Edit Capacity Asse	Our Capacity Assess	sment is accurate and co	omplete.			ave and Close	Pocosin Wilderness
	Previous	Next	Angola Game I	a Bay Land	Onstow	68 ft	Swansbr	Morehead City Marshallberg
		Wext	10	- and - Match	Marine Co Base Ca	corps		

😮 Help

Swan Qua

Swanquarter National Wildlife Refuge

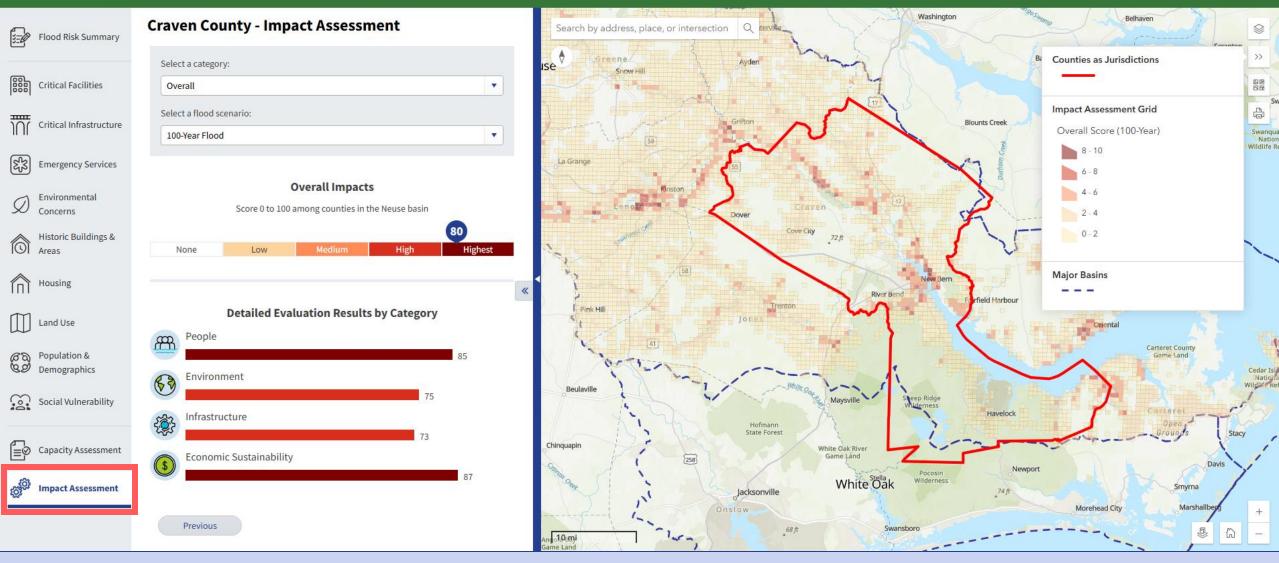
Carteret County Game Land Open Stacy



▼ AE

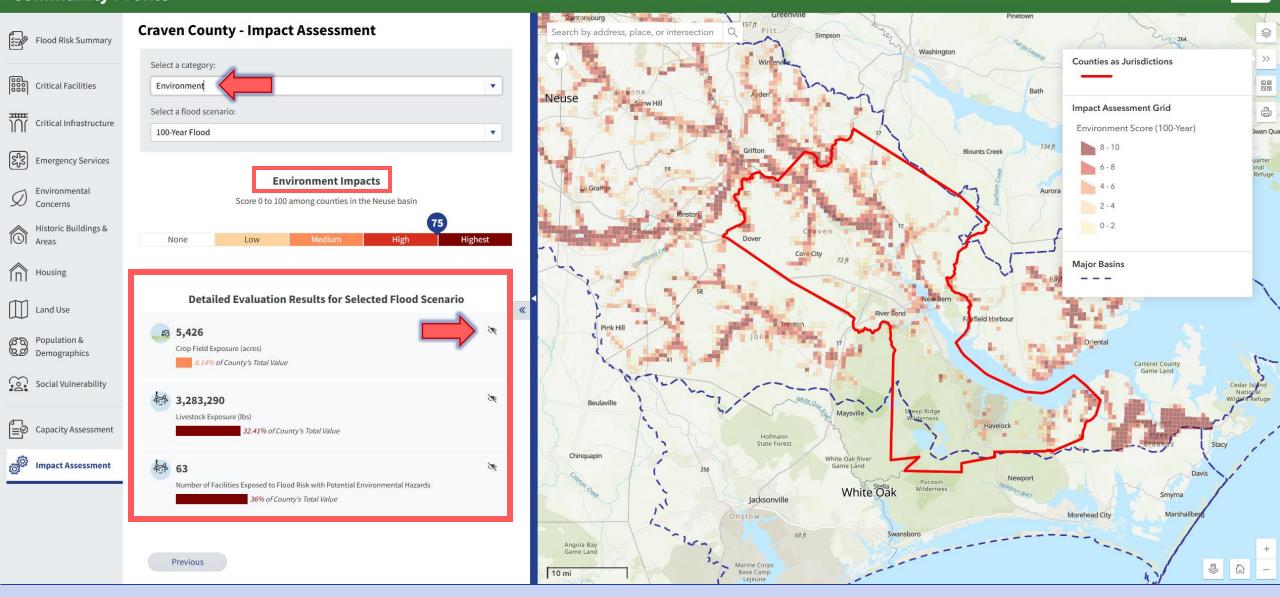
Help

Community Profile



Community Profile





Community Profile (15 minutes)

This exercise is designed to walk you through the Blueprint Tool's Community Profile. While there are editable layers that will be highlighted along the way, we will not edit any layers today. Once the timer hits the 10-minute mark, please select at least **one area of vulnerability or risk** you'd like to explore in greater depth and address through the Blueprint Tool's Resiliency Actions.

- 1. Flood Risk Summary: Adjust the Flood Hazard Type and Recurrence intervals. See how the summary charts change at different intervals.
- 2. Critical Facilities: Zoom into an area with at least 20 critical facilities. And explore which types of critical facilities are there.
- 3. Critical Infrastructure: Select the infrastructure layers you would like to see. These can be viewed one at a time or all together. Zoom in on an area to see what critical infrastructure is there. You can toggle the layers on and off by clicking the eye icon.
- 4. Emergency Services: Note the number of Emergency Services. Zoom in on any area to explore them. You can toggle the layers on and off by clicking the eye icon.
- 5. Environmental Concerns: Select the layers you would like to see. These layers can be viewed one at a time or all at once. You can toggle the layers on and off by clicking the eye icon.
- 6. Historic Buildings and Areas: Note the number of historical buildings and areas with the location boundary. Zoom into an area to explore. You can toggle the layers on and off by clicking the eye icon.
- 7. Housing: Zoom into the map to find an area affected by an event. Note the differing levels of risk for the housing structures.
- 8. Land Use: Note the differing land cover classes in your area. Are there any concerning development patterns?
- 9. Population and Demographics: Select the demographic information you would like to see from the Topic dropdown menu.
- **10.** Social Vulnerability: You can toggle the layers on and off by clicking the eye icon. These layers can only be viewed one at a time. Do you notice any overlapping areas or patterns?
- **11. Capacity Assessment**: Click on a category to see details on why it is scored the way it is. You can click through each category in the header of the pop-up table. This assessment is editable by clicking the "Review and Edit Capacity Assessment" button, but we will not edit it today.
- 12. Impact Assessment: Select a category to view or select. Note the areas with the highest impacts. Are there any overlapping areas? Notice any patterns?



Reflections & Questions





Flood Risk Management

Section 3 on the Activity Worksheet





Feedback & Support

Help

Welcome Kelsey

Key Components

- Pre-Identified Actions
- Flood Resiliency Action Workflows
 - Funding Profile
- Action Plan Summary

North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint

The North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality is developing the North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint, which will form the backbone of a state flood planning process to increase community resilience to flooding throughout North Carolina's River basins. An online decision support tool and associated planning will drive state, regional, and community decision-making and guide the legislature in making funding decisions. When completed, the Blueprint will lead to an actionable set of projects and funding strategies that state and other government entities can implement to reduce flooding, mitigate the impacts of flooding, and increase a community's ability to maintain and quickly resume pre-storm activities following flooding.

Working with local stakeholders, interagency partners, academics, and technical experts, DEQ's Division of Mitigation Services plans a comprehensive approach to identify problems, address barriers, and prioritize solutions.

The Flood Resiliency Blueprint is funded through a \$20 million allocation to the Department of Environmental Quality Division of Mitigation Services from the North Carolina General Assembly. An additional \$96 million is allocated to the Division of Mitigation Services to fund priority projects identified in the development of the Flood Resiliency Blueprint for the following river basins: Neuse Cape Fear Tar-Pamlico, White Oak, and Lumber R NC Session Law 2021-180 R NC

GET STARTED

Community Profile

Review and enter information pertaining to Socio-Demographics, population, adaptive capacity, and environmental vulnerabilities.

View Community Profile

Flood Risk Management

Review existing resiliency actions in effect or planned, to create and submit new resiliency actions, and to evaluate and compare all resiliency actions being considered.

View Flood Risk Management

Action Management

Review status, project management, and performance for all actions.

View Action Management

Resiliency Action Method Descriptions



Advanced (15 actions)

- Incorporates multiple data layers and analyses
 - Examples: delineating drainage areas in real-time, pre-calculated NBS opportunity areas, multi-variable cost estimations, etc.
- Many of the inputs are pre-calculated or calculated in real-time by the Tool
 - Some user input/refinement may be required
- Provides in-depth results tailored to specific actions and flood resilience needs

Simple (12 actions)

- Leverages reference layers and user input/refinement to populate the Resiliency Action Profile
- Provides a high-level overview of key factors like cost ranges, potential impact on flooding, ecosystem service benefits, etc.
- "Simple" NBS methods incorporate additional education material in the

Upcoming (7 actions)

 Resiliency action methodologies that are currently in development by the Blueprint team or under review by NCDEQ for Tool integration in the coming weeks & months



Categories	Building Level Mitigation Channel Modification											
Actions	Relocation	Utility Elevation	Structural Elevation	Reconstruction	Wet Floodproofing			Debris Removal	Diversio Channe		Channel Widening	
Advanced Method												
Simple Method												
Upcoming Method												
Categories					Na	ture Based Sol	utions					
Actions	Water Farming	Bioretentio (large-scale		ilters, Boofs		Permeable Pavement	Afforestation	Flood Storage Wetlands	Riparian Buffers	ian Floodplain Floodp ers Preservation Restora		
Advanced Method												
Simple Method												
Upcoming Method								Advanced	Simple		Advanced	

Categories		Infrastructure & Control Structures					Other		Policy & Planning				
Actions	Levees, Dikes & Berms	New & Existing Dam Structures	Road Elevations/ Road Crossing Modifications	Storm Water Management Activities	Quarries	Critical Infrastructure	Beaver Management	Coastal Resiliency Actions	Enhanced Zoning	Land Use/ Impervious Area Restrictions	Multi-Use Floodplains	Stormwater, Water Quality, Floodplain Regulations	
Advanced Method													
Simple Method													
Upcoming Method	Advance d								Simple	Simple		Simple	

My Action Plans

								+ Creat	e Draft Action Plan
Open Plan	Plan Name	Jurisdiction	County	Basin	Description	Created By	Date Created	Modified By	Date Modified
	<u>Johnston County, NC Flood Resilience</u> <u>Plan</u>	12 Jurisdictions	Johnston	Neuse	Johnston County, NC, has experienced multiple flood events over the past decade, impacting farmland, residential neighborhoods, and critical infrastructure. These recurring floods have created an urgent need for a coordinated, data-driven resilience strategy that prioritizes environmental and community benefits. Using the Blueprint Decision Support Tool, the county plans to identify high-risk areas and implement cost- effective projects to reduce future flood	Kelsey Peterson	02/28/2025		
H 4	1 2 3 🕨 🎽							1 -	▼ 5 of 33 Action Plans



Feedback & Support

•

Community Profile Flood Risk Management

ement Action Management

ement Data Repository

New Resiliency Action View Summary 🕜 Help

4

Flood Risk Management



Create Draft Action Plan

create a unique name for your plan (e.g. city of Springfield Stormwater Department Plan)

Johnston County, NC Flood Resilience Plan

Action Plan Description

Neuse

Columbus

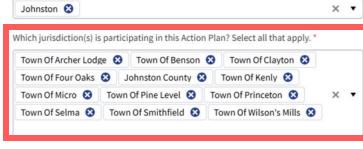
Johnston County, NC, has experienced multiple flood events over the past decade, impacting farmland, residential neighborhoods, and critical infrastructure. These recurring floods have created an urgent need for a coordinated, data-driven resilience strategy that prioritizes environmental and community benefits. Using the Blueprint Decision Support Tool, the county plans to identify high-risk areas and implement cost-effective projects to reduce future flood damage while preserving natural habitats.



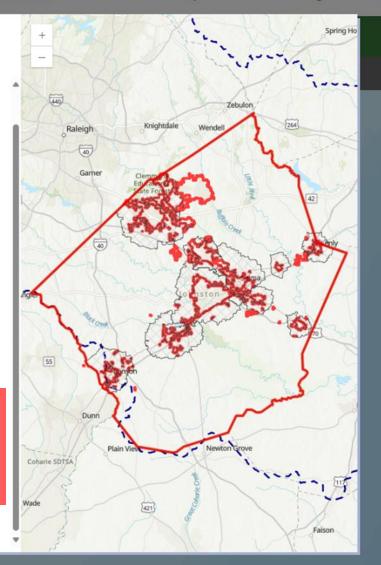
In which county(ies) is this Action Plan? Select all that apply.*

Cancel

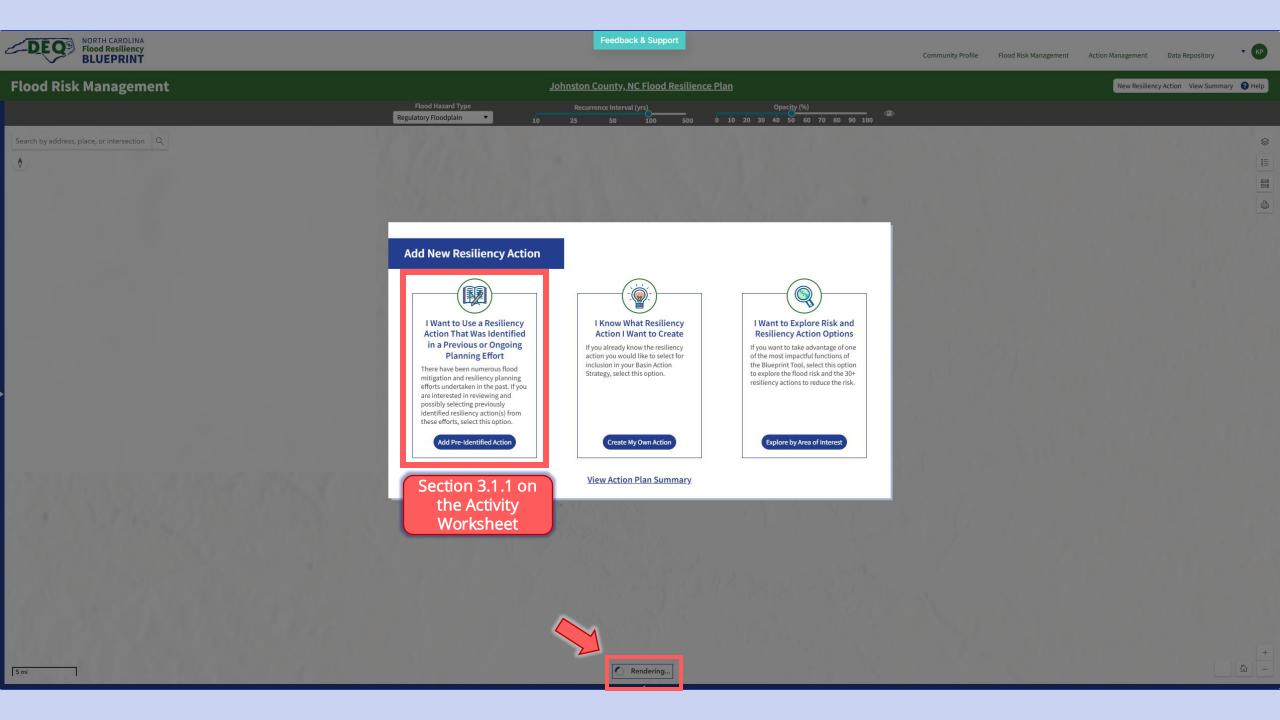
Warner Robins

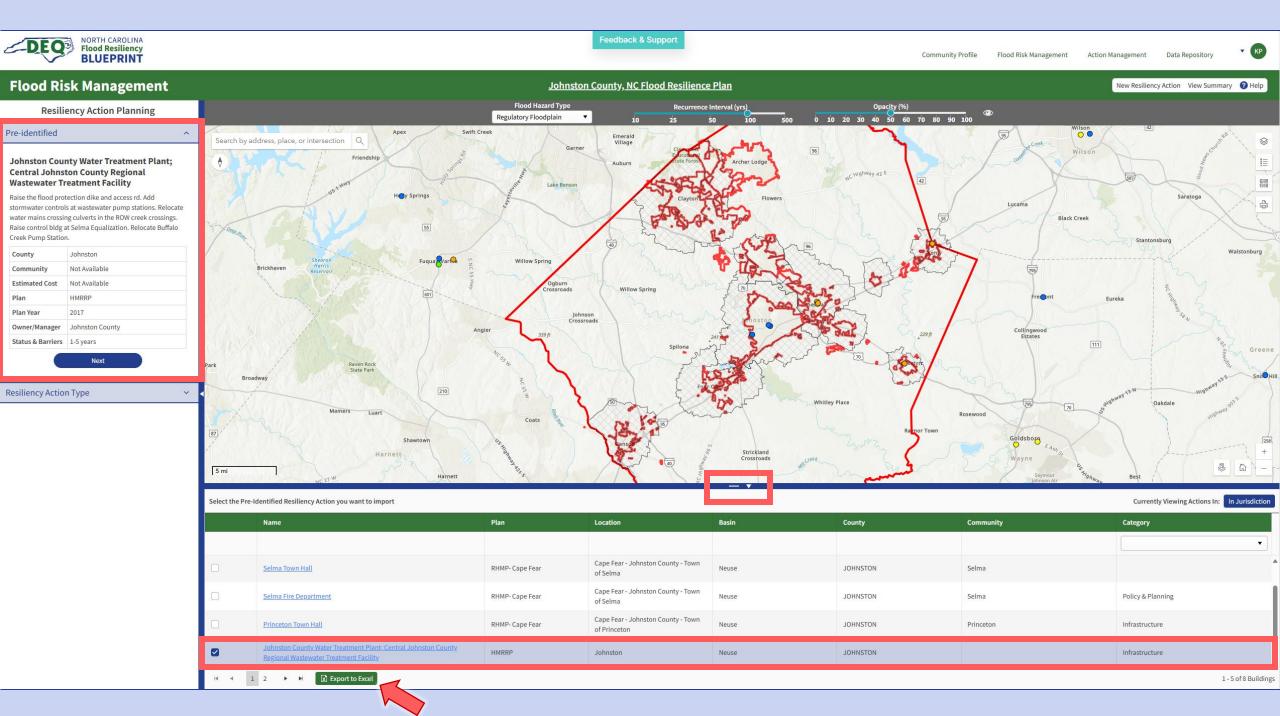


Create



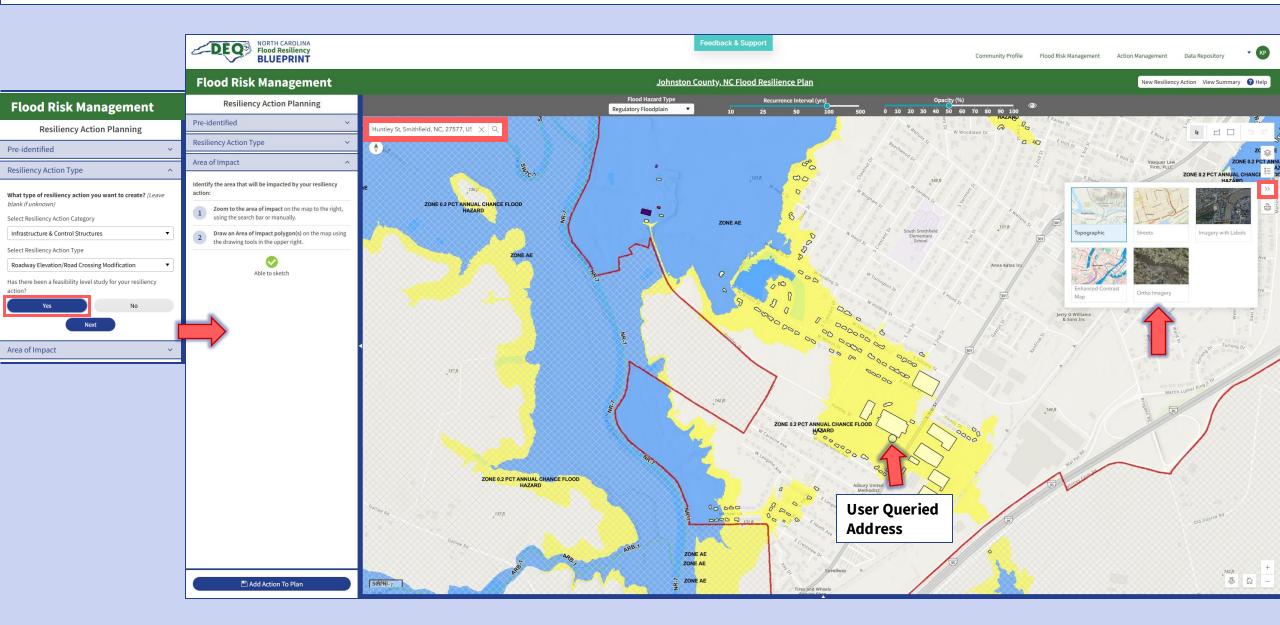
+



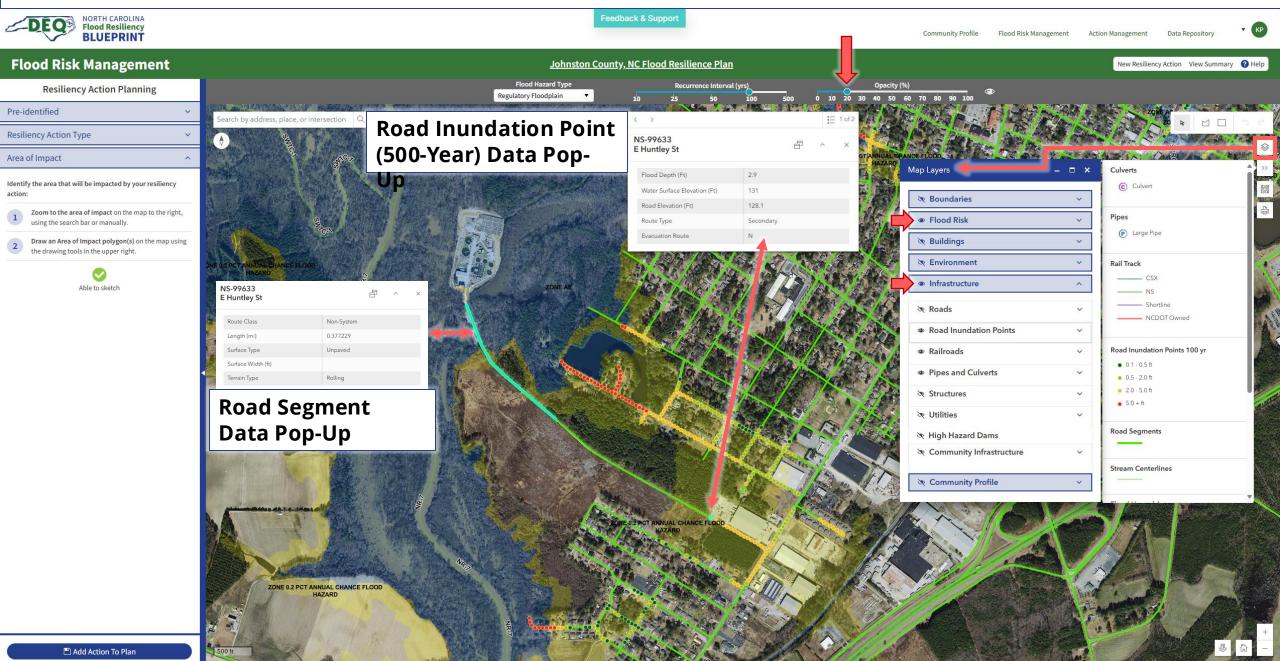


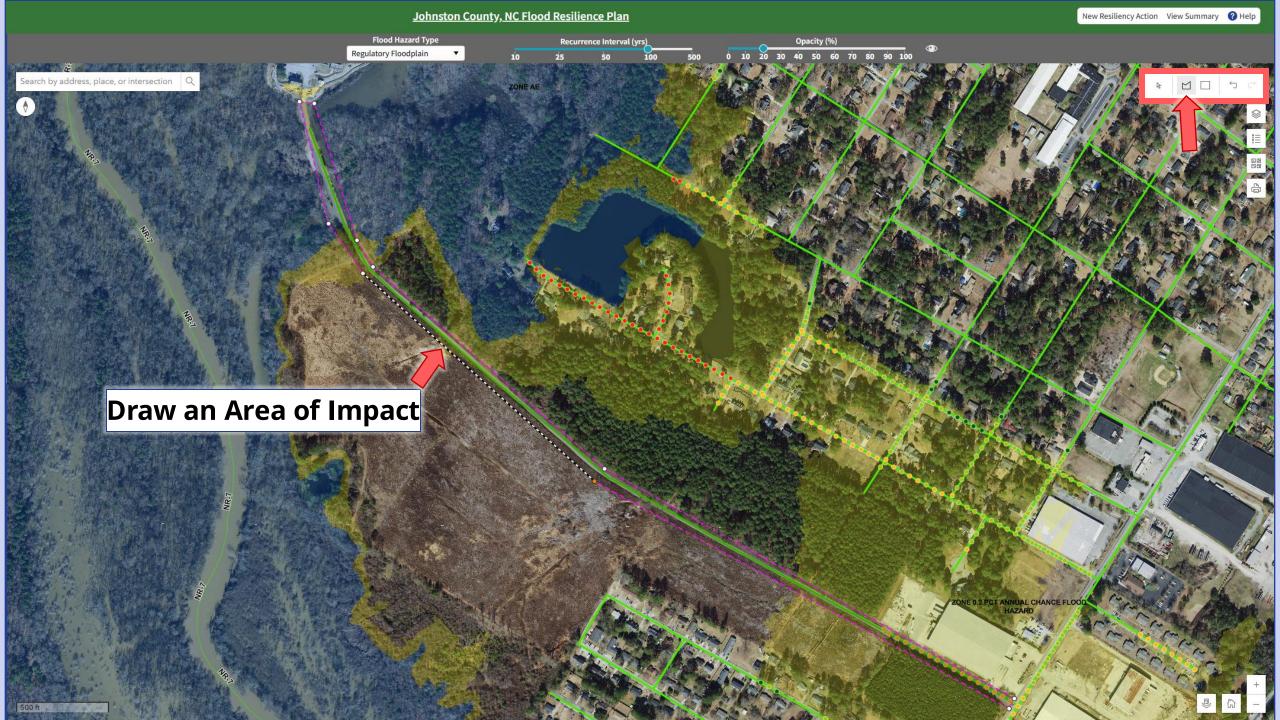
NORTH CAROLINA Flood Resiliency BLUEPRINT				Feedback & Support		Community I	Profile Flood Risk Management Action M	anagement Data Repository 🔻 🕅
Flood Risk Management			Johnston	<u>County, NC Flood Resilienc</u>	e Plan		1	New Resiliency Action View Summary 2 Help
Resiliency Action Planning			Flood Hazard Type Regulatory Floodplain		Interval (yrs)	Opacity (%) 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90	 100	
Resiliency Action Planning Pre-identified Johnston County Water Treatment Plant; Central Johnston County Regional Watewater Treatment Facility Raise the flood protection dike and access rd. Add stormwater controls at wastewater pump stations. Relocate water mains crossing culverts in the ROW creek crossings. Raise control bldg at Selma Equalization. Relocate Buffalo Creek Pump Station. County Johnston Community Not Available Estimated Cost Not Available Plan HMRRP Plan Year 2017 Owner/Manager Johnston County Status & Barriers 1-5 years	Park Broadway Mamers Start Select the Pre-Identified Resiliency Action you war	Location Jo Basin Location Mi County Jo Community No Estimated Cost No Plan Hi Plan Year 20 Owner/Manager Jo Status & Barriers 1-	Regulatory Floodplain Garner Garner Cer Treatment Plant ional Wastewater cossing culverts in the ROW creek of	i0 25 Emerald Village ald ge m , Central wastewater crossings. Raise low Spring		20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90	100 Wilson Wilson Uucama Black Creek	eka addale Best Currently Viewing Actions In: In Jurisdiction
	Selma Fire Department		RHMP- Cape Fear	Cape Fear - Johnston County - Town of Selma	Neuse	JOHNSTON	Selma	Policy & Planning
	Princeton Town Hall		RHMP- Cape Fear	Cape Fear - Johnston County - Town of Princeton	Neuse	JOHNSTON	Princeton	Infrastructure
	Johnston County Water Treatment Plant; Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility		HMRRP	Johnston	Neuse	JOHNSTON		Infrastructure
	H H 1 2 F H Export to Excel							1 - 5 of 8 Buildings

Aligning the Pre-Identified Action with a Blueprint Action Workflow



Refine the Webmap View & Explore Reference Layers





Refine the Action by Completing the Resiliency Action Profile

NORTH CAROLINA Flood Resiliency BLUEPRINT		Feedback & Support		Community Profile	Flood Risk Management Action Management	Data Repository
Flood Risk Management		Johnston County, NC Flood Resilienc	e Plan		New Resilien	cy Action View Summary 🕜 Help
Resiliency Action Planning		Flood Hazard Type Recurrence Regulatory Floodplain 10 25	e Interval (yrs)	Opacity (%)	٩	
Pre-identified v	Search by address, place, or intersection				and the second sec	
Resiliency Action Type ~				KAR AL-	ZONE 0.2 PCT ANNUA HAZAR	
Area of Impact ~	DNE 02 PCT ANNUMA CHANCE FLOOD		Station State	份限制的	ZONE OZ P	HAZARD
Resiliency Action Profile	HAZARD E	ZONE AE	100 17 1 1 1 K	the first of the second		
Category Infrastructure & Control Structures Type Roadway Elevation/Road Crossing Modification	ZONE AE					
Road Length (ft) Thru Lane Count Est. by Tool 5,038 2 0						
Location Type Modification Type New Location 2-Lane Shoulder				Care The A		
Includes Bridge Includes Railroad Crossing	SR2					
✓ Includes Water and/or Sewer Lines			A A AND	and the second second		
Water Line Length (LF) Sewer Line Length (LF) 6,000 6,000	A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A	CHE 02 HOT RINUAL CHANCE F	LOOP		664	
✓ Includes Design	500 ft			AN AN	A A	A
Cost (Low) Cost (High)	Impacted Buildings Impacted Roads					
\$18,682,077 \$18,682,077	Street Name	Number of Segments		Total Length (mi)	Max Annual Average Daily	Traffic (AADT)
Next	– <u>E Huntley St</u>	4		0.954256	N/A	
	Route Name Route Class	Length (mi) Through Lanes	AADT	AADT Date Surface Type	Surface Width (ft) T	errain Type
	NS-99633 Non-System Route	0.119707	N/A	N/A Unpaved		evel
	Non-System Route	0.269822	N/A	N/A Unpaved	L	evel

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

Unpaved

Unpaved

NS-99633

NS-99633

H 4 1 P H

Non-System Route

Non-System Route

0.187498

0.377229

Level

Rolling

1	mpacted	Buildings Impacte	d Roads Risk			- •						
	Street N	ame		Nu	umber of Segments		Total Length (mi)		Max Annual Average Daily Trafi	ic (AADT)		
Г	F Lattice	<u>e Rd</u>			1		1.000000		N/A	•	•	
						,		'				
		Route Class		×					Terrain Types		×	
Federal Route: federal-aid roads maintained by federal agencies Rest Area: typically, state-maintained but not counted towards state-					Surface Types X Unpaved: includes aggregate base course Bituminous: ty to asphalt-based materials used for paving surfaces.							
		been built Non-System Ram maintained but no Secondary Route: State Agency Route: fed System: not state-r	aintained aintained generalized locations of major facilities t p: not state-maintained Ramp: typically, t counted towards state-maintained mile s state-maintained Interstate: state-main deral-aid roads maintained by other state	state- eage tained Other		Level: Natural slope range Rolling: Natural slope ran Mountainous: Natural slo NCRouteCharacteristics Fi	ge of 8.1% to 15% pe over 15%		 JPCP: jointed plain concrete pavement. CRCP: continuously reinforced concrete pavement. AC overlay on AC: asphalt-concrete overlay over existing asphalt-concrepavement. AC overlay on JCP: asphalt-concrete overlay over existing jointed concrepavement. AC overlay on CRCP: bituminous overlay on continuously reinforced concrete pavement. Unbonded JC overlay on PCC: unbonded jointed concrete overlay on Portland cement control pavement. Bonded PCC overlay on PCC: bituminous overlay concrete overlay on Portland cement control pavement. Other: includes bridge decks, white topping, brick, etc. NCRouteCharacteristics Field Description (2024) 			
			Close	_						Close		
n pa	cted Bu	ldings Impacte	d Roads Risk									
	Street Nam	e		Nu	umber of Segments		Total Length (mi)		Max Annual Average	Daily Traffic (AADT)		
-	<u>E Huntley</u>	<u>′ St</u>	4		4		0.954256	+	Ν	I/A 📕		
		Route Name	🕜 Route Class	Length (mi)	Through Lanes	AADT	AADT Date	Surface Type	Surface Width (ft)	? Terrain Type		
		<u>NS-99633</u>	Non-System Route	0.119707		N/A	N/A	Unpaved		Level		
		<u>NS-99633</u>	Non-System Route	0.269822		N/A	N/A	Unpaved		Level		
		<u>NS-99633</u>	Non-System Route	0.187498		N/A	N/A	Unpaved		Level		
		<u>NS-99633</u>	Non-System Route	0.377229		N/A	N/A	Unpaved		Rolling		
	M -	1 ▶ ⊨								1 - 4 of 4 i	items	

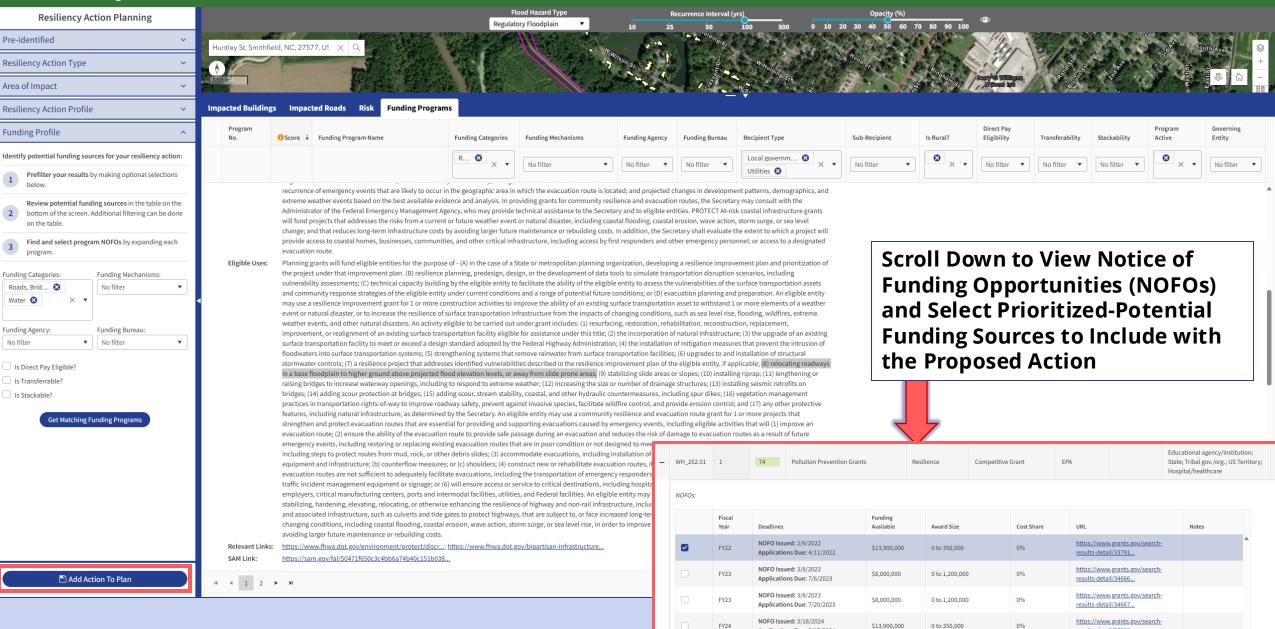
DEO Flood Resiliency					Feed	back & Support									
Flood Resiliency BLUEPRINT										Community Profile	e Flood Risk	Management /	Action Management	Data Reposito	ry KP
Flood Risk Management					Johnston County	v <u>, NC Flood Re</u>	<u>silience Plan</u>						New Resilie	ncy Action View S	ummary 🕜 Help
Resiliency Action Planning					ood Hazard Type ory Floodplain 🔹	R 10 25	ecurrence Interval (y 50		Opacity (%)	70 80 90 100	۲				
Pre-identified 🗸	Huntley St, Smithfi	ield, NC, 275				En .	olding St	TI CONT	he ability of an eligible	e entity—such as	s a local				
Resiliency Action Type 🗸 🗸	\mathbf{O}	T	between the user-s			lson st	and the	W Holding	overnment or other p ell unused tax credits	or financial incer	ntives to	pro	ability to combir grams, incentives	, tax credits, gra	ints, or
Area of Impact 🗸 🗸	500 ft	1	reference only.	Carlos			۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲. ۲	Ws. in	nother entity (often a westor) in exchange fo ompensation.				incial tools to sup iative.	port the same p	Big
Resiliency Action Profile 🗸 🗸 🗸	Impacted Building	gs Impar	a Roads Risk Funding Program	s					ompensation.						
Funding Profile ^	Program No.	O Score ↓	Funding Program Name	Funding Categories	Funding Mechanisms	Funding Agency	Funding Bureau	Recipient Type	Sub-Recipient	Is Rural?	Direct Pay Eligibility	Transferabili	ty 🕄 Stackability	Program Active	Governing Entity
Identify potential funding sources for your resiliency action:				R 😵 🗙 🔻	No filter 🔻	No filter 🔻	No filter 🔻	Local governm 🔇 🗙 🔻	No filter 🔻	⊗ _{× ▼}	No filter 🔻	No filter 🔻	No filter 🔻	8 × •	No filter 🔻
 Prefilter your results by making optional selections below. 				Other; Roads,				ounties 😈							A
2 Review potential funding sources in the table on the bottom of the screen. Additional filtering can be done on the table.	+ WH_107.01	69	Innovative Finance and Asset Concession Grant Program	Bridges and Major Projects; Public Transportation; Passenger and	Competitive Grant; Cooperative Agreement; Direct Technical and	Transportation		County; Local government; public agency/authority; State;		No	1	1	/	Yes	Federal
3 Find and select program NOFOs by expanding each program. Funding Categories: Funding Mechanisms:			Grant Program	Freight Rail; Ports and Waterways; Electric Vehicles, Buses and Ferries	Financial Assistance			Tribal gov./org.							
Roads, Brid No filter Water × ▼ Funding Agency: Funding Bureau: No filter ▼	+ WH_257.01	69	Promoting Resilient Operations for Transformative, Efficient, and Cost-Saving Transportation (PROTECT): Discretionary	Resilience; Roads, Bridges and Major Projects; Ports and Waterways; Public Transportation; Passenger and Freight Rail	Competitive Grant	Transportation	Homeland Security	County; Federal Agency; Local government; MPO/RPC; public agency/authority; State; Tribal gov./org.		No	1	1	1	Yes	Federal
 Is Direct Pay Eligible? Is Transferrable? Is Stackable? Get Matching Funding Programs Section 3.1.2 on the Activity	+ WH_322.01	62	Transportation Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (TIFIA)	Roads, Bridges and Major Projects; Public Transportation; Airports and Federal Aviation Facilities; Passenger and Freight Rail; Ports and Waterways; Electric Vehicles, Buses and Ferries	Loans	Transportation		US Territory; D.C.; For-profit entity; Local government; public agency/authority; State		No	I	I	1	Yes	Federal
Worksheet	+ WH_310.01	61	Multimodal Project Discretionary Grant (MPDG): National Infrastructure Project Assistance (Mega)	Roads, Bridges and Major Projects; Passenger and Freight Rail; Public Transportation; Ports and Waterways	Competitive Grant	Transportation		D.C.; Local government; public agency/authority; State; Tribal gov./org.; US Territory		No	1	/	/	Yes	Federal
	₩ ◀ 1 2	▶ ₩													1 - 5 of 8 items

Flood Risk Management

Johnston County, NC Flood Resilience Plan

New Resiliency Action View Summary 😮 Help

results-detail/35302.



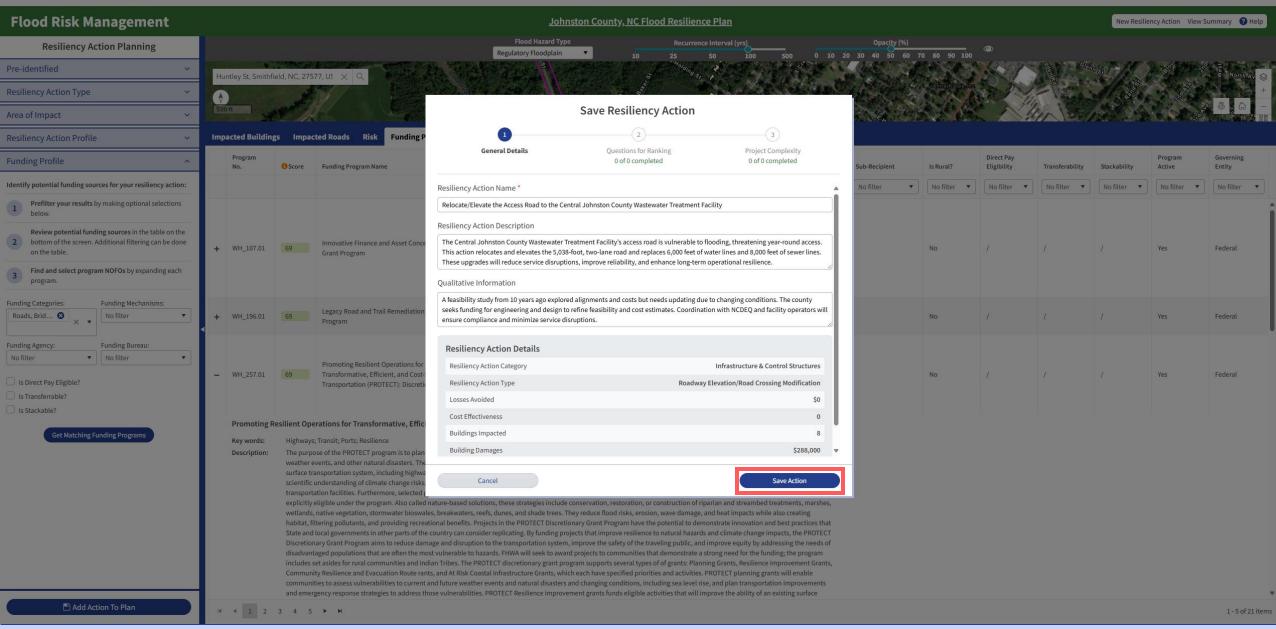
Pollution Prevention Grants

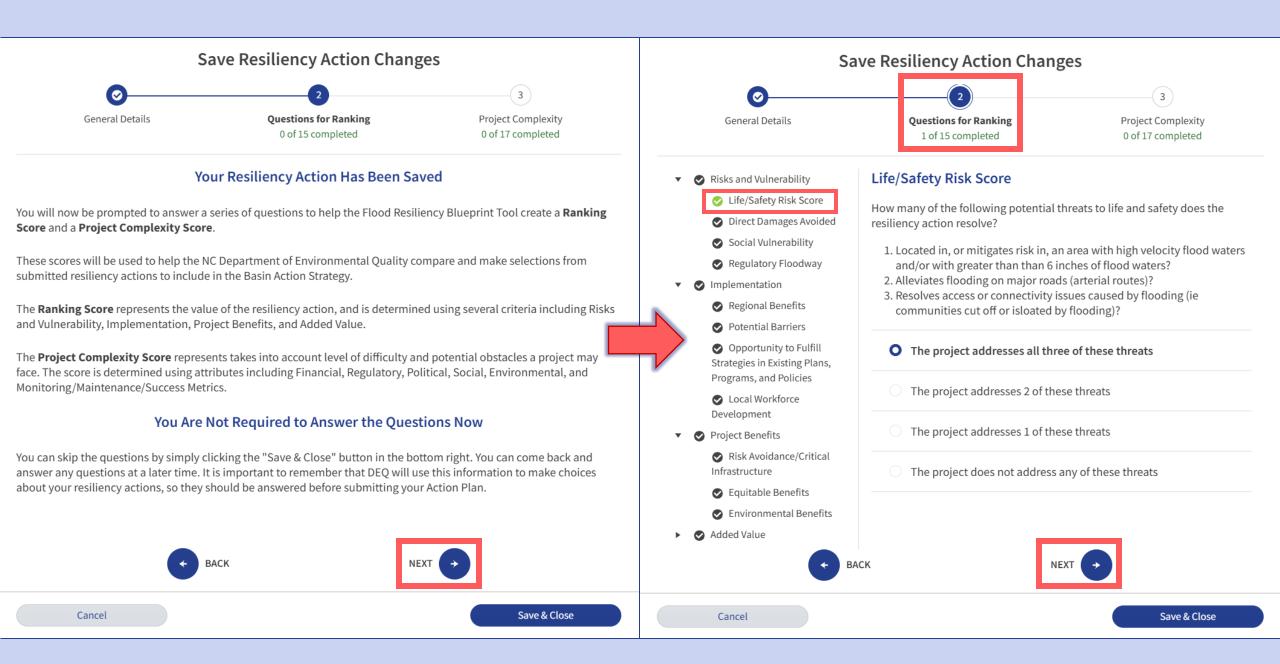
₩ ◀ 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ... ▶ ₩

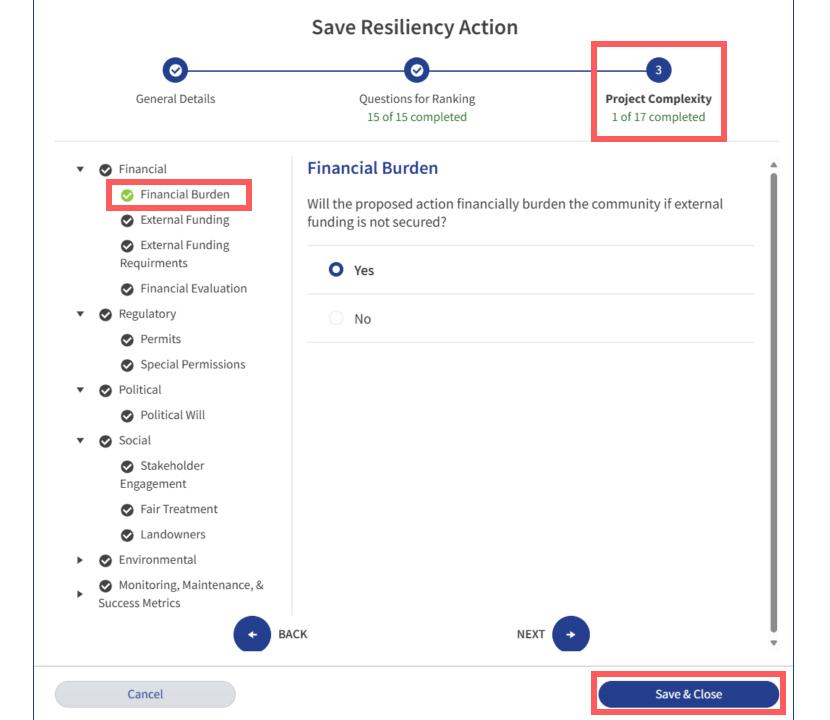
Applications Due: 5/17/2024

DEQ BLUEPRINT Feedback & Support

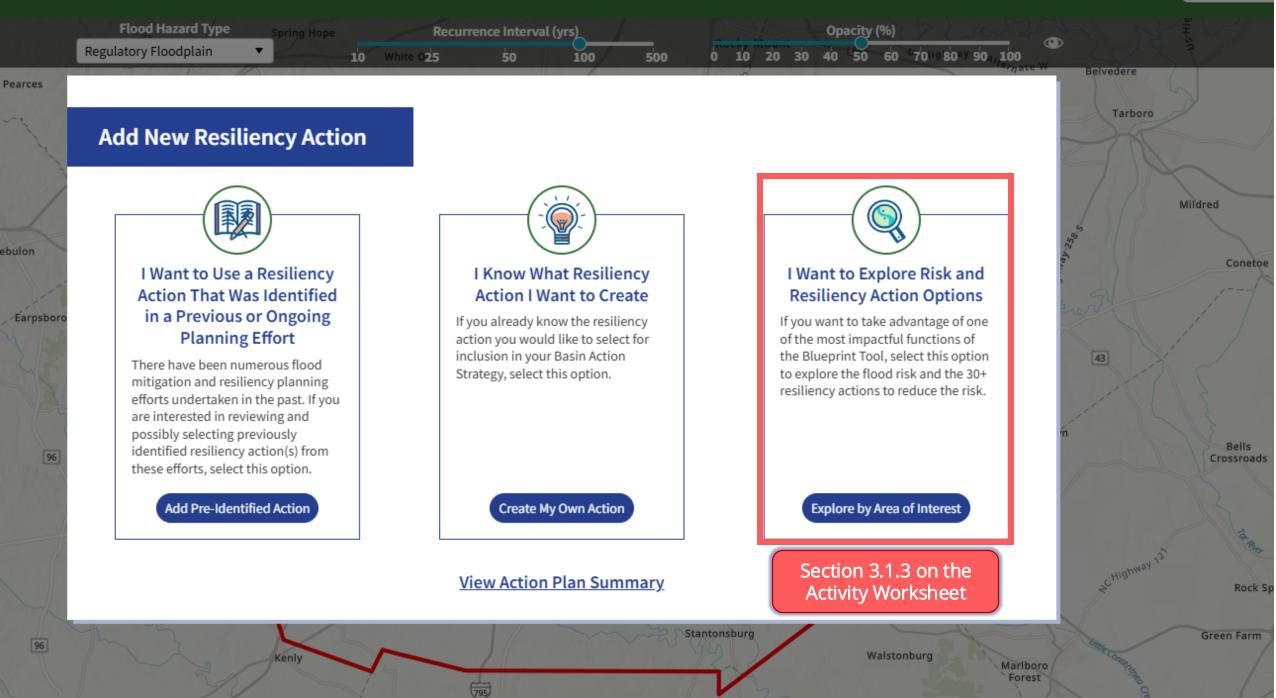
Community Profile Flood Risk Management Action Management Data Repository

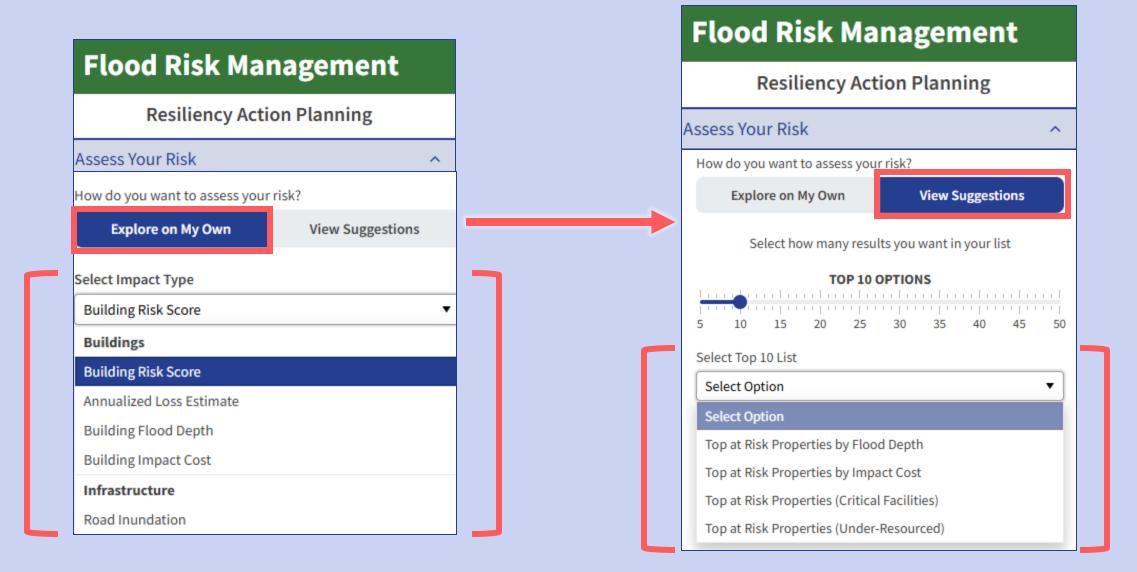






<u>draft wilson</u>





Select recurrence intervals for:

- Building flood depth •
- Building impact cost •
- Road inundation •

Select Impact Type	
Building Flood Depth	•
Select Recurrence Interv	al
100-Year Flood	•
10-Year Flood	
25-Year Flood	
50-Year Flood	
100-Year Flood	
500-Year Flood	

*Other "Explore Risk and Resiliency Action Options" risk assessments are automatically at the 100-year return interval

Flood Risk Management

Assess Your Risk

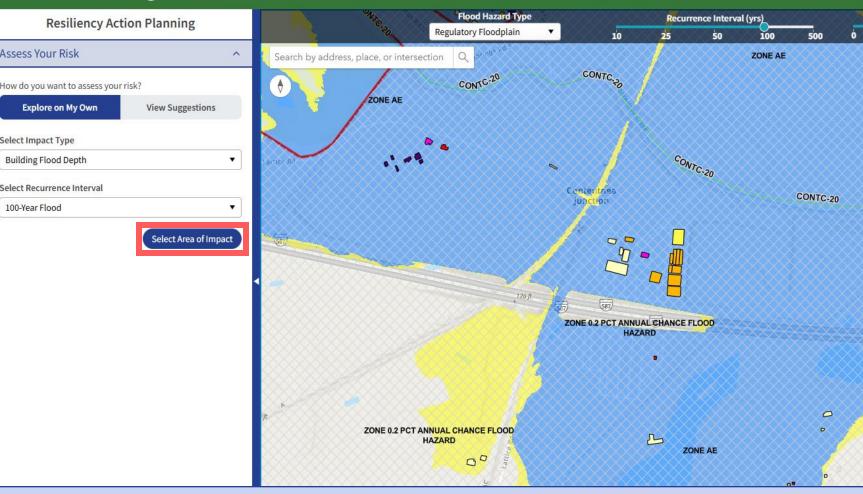
Select Impact Type

100-Year Flood

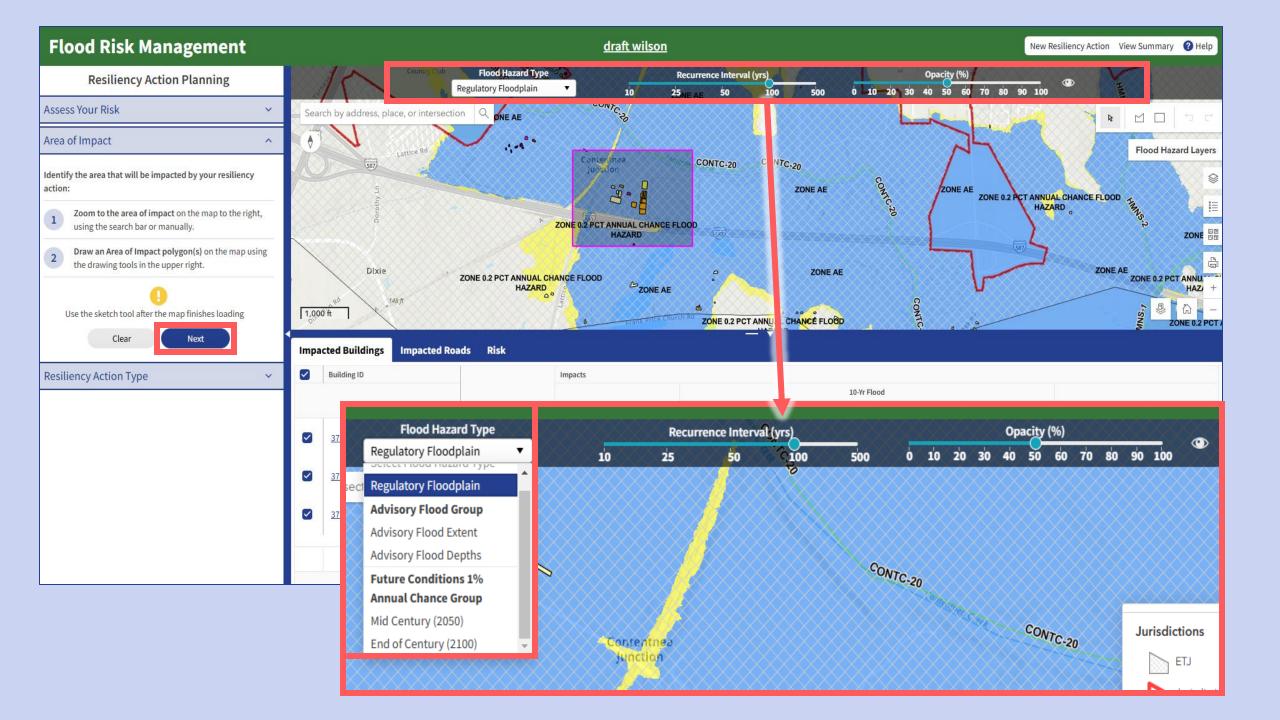
Building Flood Depth

Select Recurrence Interval

Explore on My Own



draft wilson



Resiliency Action Planning									
Assess Your Risk ~									
Area of Impact 🗸 🗸									
Resiliency Action Type ^									
Choose one of the options below:									
1 Select from the <u>Building Mitigation Actions</u> shown in the panel below the map.									
2 Select a Different Resiliency Action Category and Type on from the dropdown menus below.									
What type of resiliency action you want to create? (Leave blank if unknown)									
Select Resiliency Action Category									
·									
Building Level Mitigation									
Channel Modification									
Nature Based Solutions									
Infrastructure & Control Structures									
Policy & Planning									
Other									

Select Resiliency Action Category								
Channel Modification 🔻								
Select Resiliency Action Type								
· · ·								
Debris Removal								
Channel Dredging, Widening, Diversion								
Select Resiliency Action Category								
Infrastructure & Control Structures								
Select Resiliency Action Type								
•								
Ouarries								

Select Resiliency Action Category

*Select a Building Mitigation Action from the Building Mitigation Actions table on the right after you have drawn your Area of Impact

Building Level Mitigation

Storm Water Management Activities

Select Resiliency Action Category	
Other	•
Select Resiliency Action Type	
	•
Beaver Management	

What type of resiliency action you want to create? (Leave blank if unknown)
Select Resiliency Action Category
Policy & Planning 🔹
Select Resiliency Action Type
·
Multi-Use Floodplains

Select Resiliency Action Category					
Nature Based Solutions					
Select Resiliency Action Type					
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					
Bioretention					
Raingardens/Sand Filters/Bio-Swales					
Green Roofs					
Permeable Pavement					
Afforestation					
Floodplain Preservation					
Living Shorelines					

Impacted Buildings	Impacted Roads
--------------------	----------------

 \checkmark

 \checkmark

3710134728

3710134914

3710134991

3710134494

3710134100

3710134681

3710134004

cted Buildings Impacted Roa	ıds Risk						•	
		Impacts						
				10-Yr	Flood			
Building ID	Risk Score	Annualized Loss Estimate (ALE)	Probability	Flood Depth vs FFE (ft)	Structural Co	ost	Contents Cost	
<u>3710134024</u>	62.2	\$4,556	0.9990	2.8 Ft	\$20,000		\$25,000	
<u>3710135258</u>	27.0	\$6,724	0.9990	0.5 Ft	\$29,000	Т	\$31,000	
<u>3710134070</u>	17.7	\$1,298	0.9990	0.1 Ft	\$7,000		\$4,000	
<u>3710135458</u>	16.9	\$4,700	0.9940	0.1 Ft	\$26,000		\$13,000	
<u>3710134044</u>	40.0	\$2,926	0.9990	1.2 Ft	\$11,000	Pro	vided for 10)-, 2

0.5 Ft

-1.9 Ft

-2.1 Ft

-1.1 Ft

-1.2 Ft

-0.9 Ft

-0.8 Ft

0.9990

0.0000

0.0000

0.0000

0.0000

0.0000

0.0000

50-, 100-, and 500year floods in the selected area

\$0

\$0

\$1,000

\$2,000

\$131,000

\$32,000

\$2,000

\$2,000

\$1,000

\$3,000

\$4,000

\$161,000

\$0

*The included data is for planning purposes only. It is not at the level of detail of current market values.
--

26.7

3.4

3.1

1.6

4.8

0.0

7.2

225.6

4

\$7,312

\$249

\$294

\$120

\$466

N/A

\$624

\$32,046

			Building Elevation (Ft NAVD 88)				
	Building ID	_	First Floor Elevation	Lowest Adjacent Grade	Highest Adjacent Grade		
	3710727275		30.8 Ft	26.5 Ft	27.2 Ft		
	<u>3710731775</u>		29.7 Ft	27.0 Ft	27.3 Ft		
	<u>3710727271</u>		30.9 Ft	27.3 Ft	28.4 Ft		
-		4					

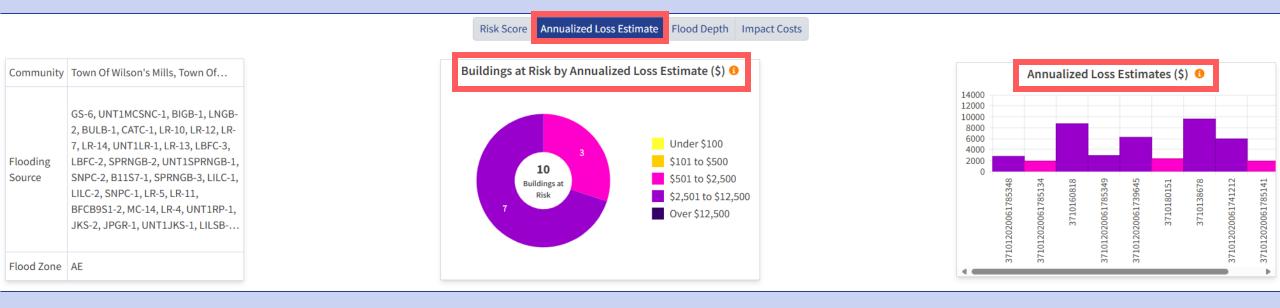
Recurrence Interval (yrs)

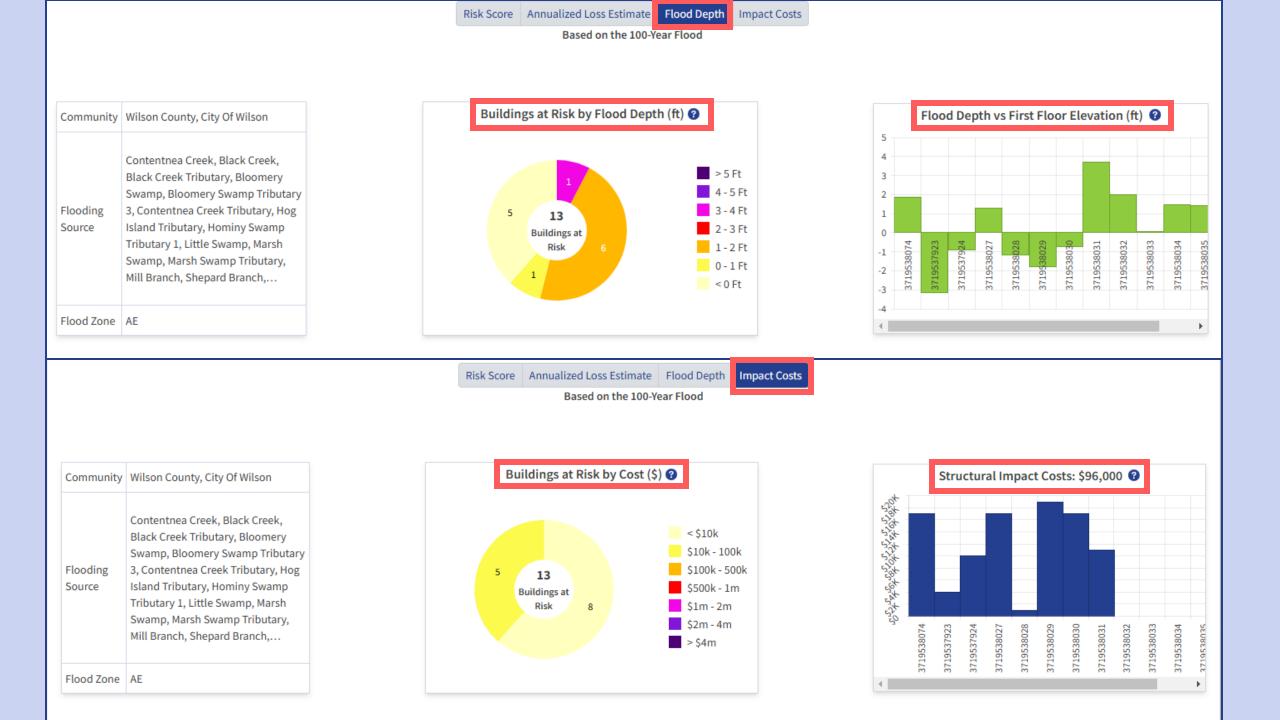
Impacted Buildings

		Building Characteristics					
Ø	Building ID	Occupancy Type	Heated Area	Foundation Type	Number of Stories	Year Built	Building Value
	3719538074	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	2,800.0 Sq Ft	SLAB ON GRADE - HAZUS DERIVED	1 - HAZUS DERIVED	1979	\$163,996
•	<u>3719537923</u>	RES2 - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1,782.0 Sq Ft	CRAWL SPACE - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1 - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	2001	\$45,566
•	<u>3719537924</u>	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	715.0 Sq Ft	CRAWL SPACE - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1 - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1979	\$41,878
	<u>3719538027</u>	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	966.0 Sq Ft	SLAB ON GRADE - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1 - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1979	\$56,579
1 ⊘	3719538028	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1,824.0 Sq Ft	SLAB ON GRADE - HAZUS DERIVED	1 - HAZUS DERIVED	1979	\$106,832
	3719538029	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	6,357.0 Sq Ft	SLAB ON GRADE - HAZUS DERIVED	1 - HAZUS DERIVED	1979	\$372,329
	<u>3719538030</u>	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	927.0 Sq Ft	SLAB ON GRADE - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1 - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1979	\$54,294
•	<u>3719538031</u>	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	921.0 Sq Ft	SLAB ON GRADE - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1 - FIELD DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	1979	\$53,943
•	<u>3719538032</u>	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED - HIGH CONFIDENCE	2,742.0 Sq Ft	SLAB ON GRADE - HAZUS DERIVED	1 - HAZUS DERIVED	1979	\$160,599
	3719538033	AGR1 - RESEARCH DERIVED -					

Se







pact	ed Buildings	s Impacted Roads Risk Building Mit	igation Actions	— v		
		Mitigation Type	Foot Height	Cost	Cosses Avoided	Cost Effectiveness
+		Wet Floodproofing	2	\$24,000	\$112,000	5.1
+		Wet Floodproofing	4	\$60,000	\$112,000	2.0
+		Wet Floodproofing	8	\$60,000	\$112,000	2.0
+		Relocation	-	\$484,000	\$760,000	1.7
+		Acquisition/Demolition	-	\$1,355,000	\$974,000	0.8
+		Structural Elevation	2	\$315,000	\$217,000	0.7
+		Structural Elevation	4	\$335,000	\$217,000	0.7
+		Structural Elevation	8	\$368,000	\$217,000	0.6
+		Mitigation Reconstruction	2	\$790,000	\$217,000	0.3
+		Mitigation Reconstruction	4	\$790,000	\$217,000	0.3
+		Mitigation Reconstruction	10	\$830,000	\$217,000	0.3
+		Utility Elevation	-	\$120,000	\$26,000	0.2

Acquisition/Demolition	-		\$1,355,000	\$974,000	0.8	
Building ID	Cost	1 Losses Avoided	Useful Life	Foot Height	Cost Effectiveness	
<u>3710731775</u>	\$60,000	\$156,000	100	-	2.8	•
3710727272	\$78,000	\$181,000	100	-	2.5	
<u>3710727275</u>	\$218,000	\$311,000	100	-	1.5	
<u>3710727271</u>	\$165,000	\$123,000	100	-	0.8	
<u>3710728231</u>	\$100,000	\$72,000	100	-	0.8	
<u>3710727273</u>	\$100,000	\$38,000	100	-	0.4	
3710728225	\$140,000	\$38,000	100	-	0.3	
<u>3710728226</u>	\$202,000	\$44,000	100		0.2	



Save Resiliency	Action	Save Resiliency Action	
1 General Details	2 Project Complexity 0 of 17 completed		Oracle Action successfully saved. 2 General Details Project Complexity 0 of 17 completed
Resiliency Action Name *		*	Your Resiliency Action Has Been Saved
Add a name for your resiliency action			You will now be prompted to answer a series of questions to help the Flood Resiliency Blueprint Tool create a Ranking
Resiliency Action Description			Score and a Project Complexity Score.
Add description			These scores will be used to help the NC Department of Environmental Quality compare and make selections from submitted resiliency actions to include in the Basin Action Strategy.
Qualitative Information			The Ranking Score represents the value of the resiliency action, and is determined using several criteria including Risks and Vulnerability, Implementation, Project Benefits, and Added Value.
Add any additional information not included in your action profile. This can implementation, action objectives, available resources, status of stakeholde			The Project Complexity Score represents takes into account level of difficulty and potential obstacles a project may face. The score is determined using attributes including Financial, Regulatory, Political, Social, Environmental, and Monitoring/Maintenance/Success Metrics.
Resiliency Action Details			You Are Not Required to Answer the Questions Now
Resiliency Action Category	Policy & Planning		
Resiliency Action Type	Multi-Use Floodplains		You can skip the questions by simply clicking the "Save & Close" button in the bottom right. You can come back and answer any questions at a later time. It is important to remember that DEQ will use this information to make choices
Losses Avoided	-\$5,508,000		about your resiliency actions, so they should be answered before submitting your Action Plan.
Cost Effectiveness	-1.0		
Buildings Impacted	18		
Building Damages	\$18,000	Ŧ	← BACK NEXT ←
Cancel	Save Action		Cancel Save & Close

Flood Risk Management Activity Part 1



(Individual Activity - 10 min.)

Please explore the **Pre-Identified Actions** for your assigned community and select an action to address one of the vulnerabilities you prioritized in the previous activity.

Complete the steps necessary to add the pre-identified action to your Draft Action Plan. A completed action workflow includes the Resiliency Action Profile, General Details, Questions for Ranking, and Project Complexity elements. Fill out the notecard as you progress through the workflow.

Action Notecard #1



Flood Risk Management Activity Part 1



(Individual Activity - 10 min.)

For the action you have just created, explore the **Funding Profile**. Try different inputs in the working panel, get matching funding programs, and try the various filters in the Funding Programs table. Determine the **top three** funding options for your proposed action and review the associated responsibilities for the jurisdiction in the given scenario.

Program name	Funding mechanism	Recipient type	Funding type	Potential contribution	Residual funding needs



Flood Risk Management Activity Part 1



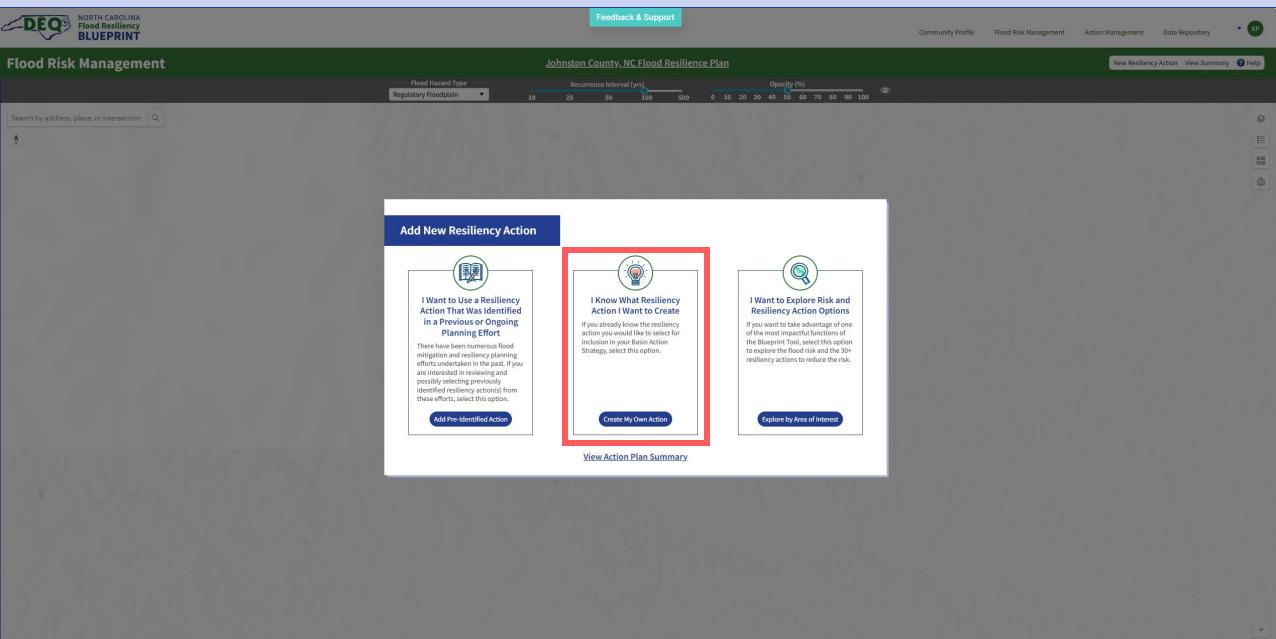
(Individual Activity - 10 min.)

Review your **Action Notecard #2** and identify your assigned **Resiliency Action Category**. Each participant at your table has been assigned a different category: Building Mitigation, Nature-Based Solution, Channel Modification, Infrastructure and Control Structures, Policy & Planning

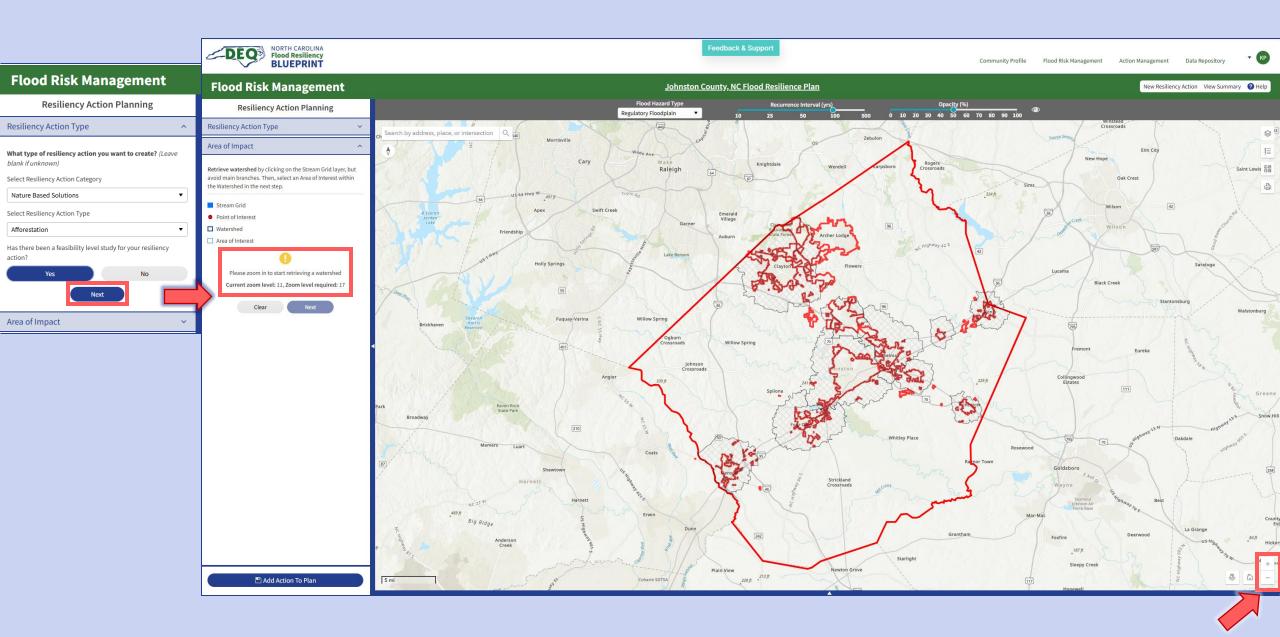
Add a new resiliency action through **I Want to Explore Risk and Resiliency Action Options**. Use the **Assess Your Risk** component to identify and explore flood vulnerabilities relevant to your assigned resiliency category. Review spatial layers using the **Explore on My Own** function. Use the **View Suggestions** function to identify priority properties based on flood depth, impact cost, critical facilities, or under-resourced properties. Adjust the slider (5-50) to review priority features.

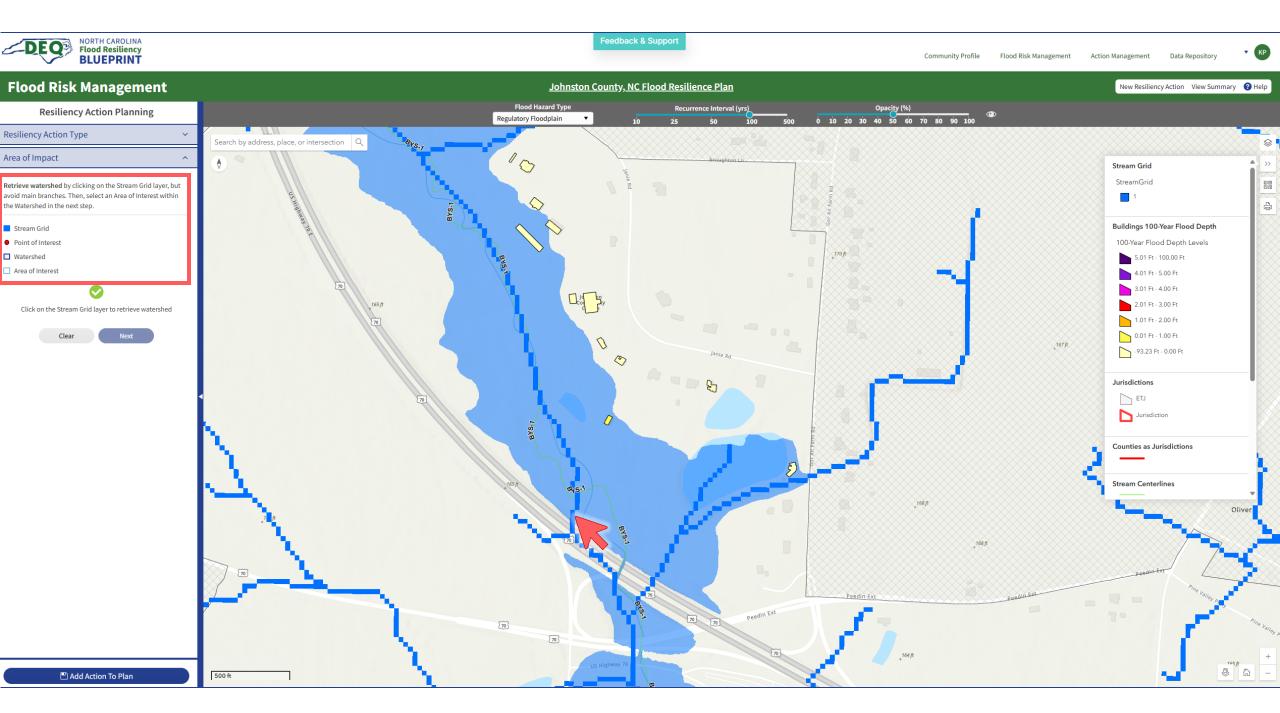
Based on your exploration of risks and vulnerabilities, select a **Resiliency Action Type** from your assigned category that best addresses the negative impacts of flooding you've identified for your assigned community. Complete the steps necessary to add the action to your Draft Action Plan. A completed action workflow includes the Resiliency Action Profile, General Details, Questions for Ranking, and Project Complexity elements. Fill out the notecard as you progress through the workflow.

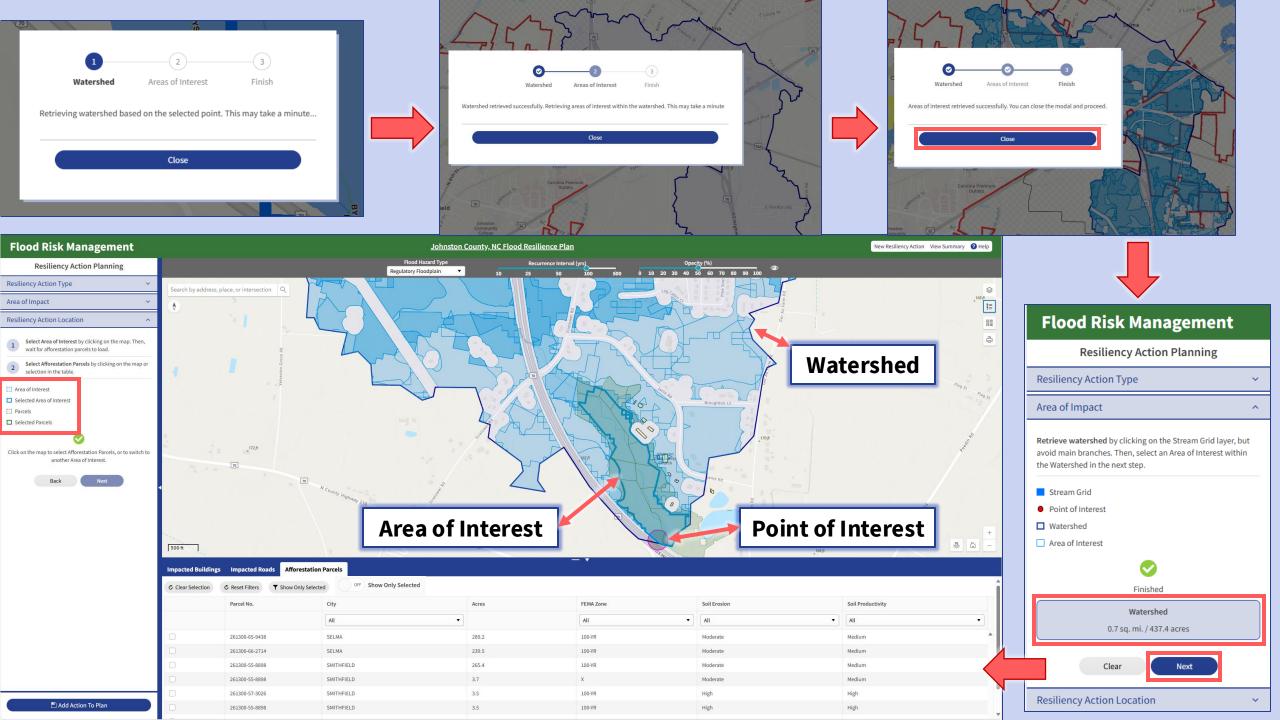


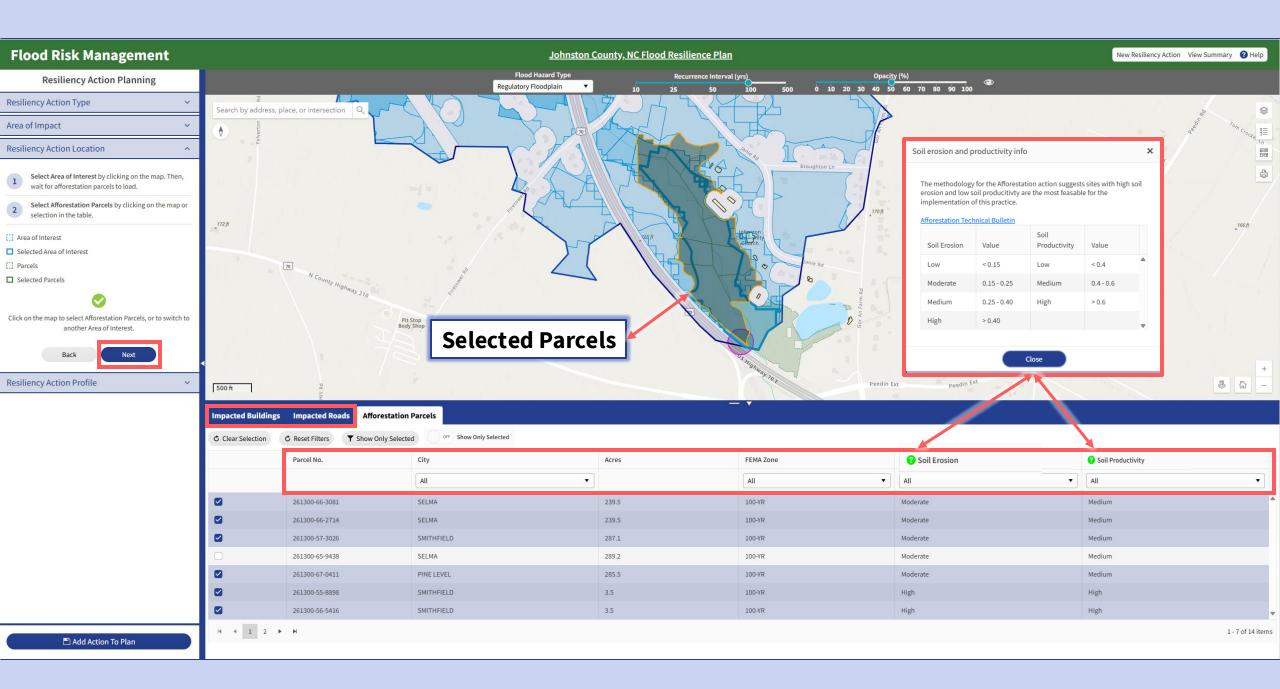


5 mi

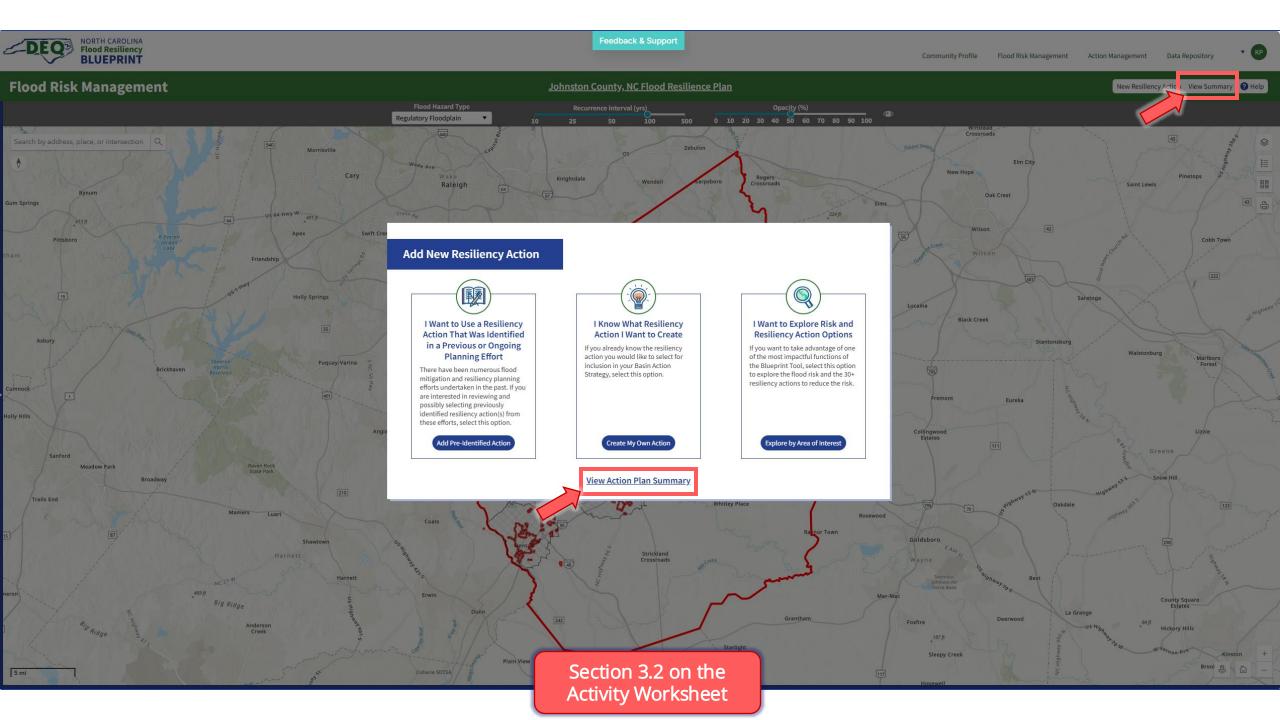




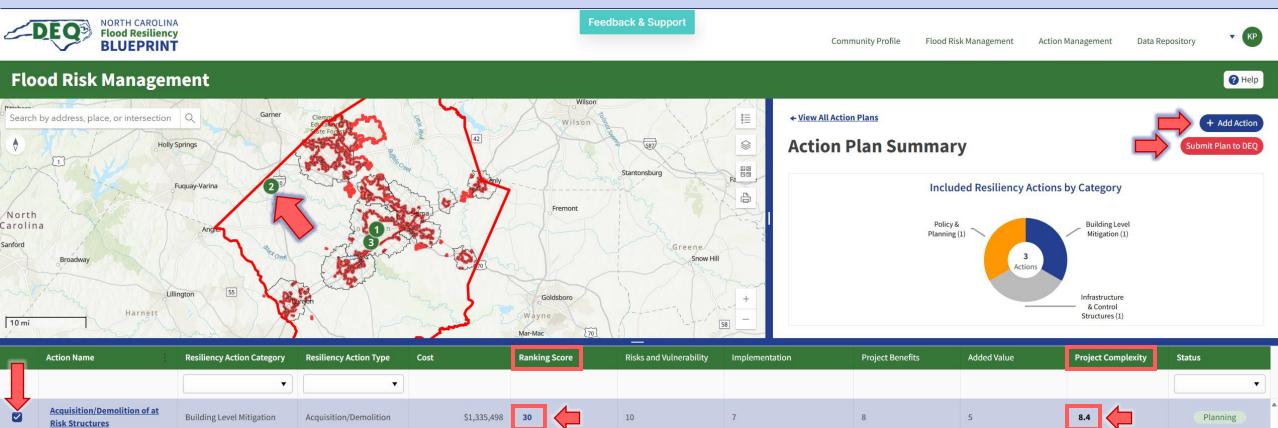




Flood Risk Management	Flood Risk Management	Johnston County Flood Resilience Plan	New Resiliency Action View Summary 🥑 Help
Resiliency Action Planning	Resiliency Action Planning	Flood Hazard Type Recurrence Interval (y Regulatory Floodplain 1 0 25 50	/rs)Opacity (%) 100 500 0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100 ∞
Resiliency Action Type 🗸 🗸	Resiliency Action Type 🛛 🗸	Search by address, place, or intersection	
Area of Impact 🗸 🗸	Area of Impact ~	Search by address, place, or intersection	
Resiliency Action Location 🗸 🗸	Resiliency Action Location		Tom.
Resiliency Action Profile			Flag St. S
Category Nature Based Solutions Type Afforestation	Resiliency Action Profile ~ Category Nature Based Solutions Type Afforestation		Broughton Lin
Area Type - - Uplands Lowlands	Area Type Afforestation Type Lowlands Cherrybark Oak Acres Cost per Acre 2,070.5 \$ 787 Total Cost •	Conservation funding may be available through conservation sources to assist with this action.	Peedin Ext 168 ft Oliver Peedin Ext 100 P
	\$ 1,629,500 Annual Maintenance Cost per Acre \$ 14 \$ 28,987	Impacted Buildings Impacted Roads Afforestation Parcels Clear Selection Clear Selection Reset Filters Show Only Selected	
	Water Storage (ac-ft) From To	Parcel No. City Acres	FEMA Zone Soil Erosion Soil Productivity
	207 690	All	
Funding Profile	Cost per Acre-Foot From To \$ 2,361 \$ 7,868	261300-55-8898 SMITHFIELD 265.4	100-YR Moderate Medium
	¥1,000	261300-55-8898 SMITHFIELD 3.5	100-YR High High
	Next	261300-56-5416 SMITHFIELD 3.5	100-YR High High
		2 261300-66-3081 SELMA 239,5 2 2 2 2 2	100-YR Moderate Medium
	🖺 Add Action To Plan	Image: 261300-67-0411 PINE LEVEL 285.5 Image: 261300-66-2372 SELMA 237	100-YR Moderate Medium
	:	General Details Questions for Ranking Project Complexity Save Action to Draft Action Plan	



Review & Prioritize Actions for Inclusion in the Action Plan Submittal



Acquisition/Demolition of at Risk Structures	Building Level Mitigation	Acquisition/Demolition	\$1,335,498	30	10	7	8	5	8.4	Planning
Retrofitting and Existing High Hazard Dam	Infrastructure & Control Structures	New and Existing Dam Structures	\$0	27	10	6	6	5	8.8	Planning
Relocate/Elevate the Access Road to the Central Johnston County Wastewater Treatment Facility	Infrastructure & Control Structures	Roadway Elevation/Road Crossing Modification	\$19,354,077	23	7	8	3	5	9.8	Planning
<u>Multi-Use Floodplain for a</u> Local Hospice Center	Policy & Planning	Multi-Use Floodplains	\$4,130,000						7.1	Planning

Resiliency Action Name	Relocate/Elevate the Access Road to the Central Johnston County Wastewater Treatment Facility
Resiliency Action Description	The Central Johnston County Wastewater Treatment Facility's access road is vulnerable to flooding, threatening year-round access. This action relocates and elevates the 5,038-foot, two-lane road and replaces 6,000 feet of water lines and 8,000 feet of sewer lines. These upgrades will reduce service disruptions, improve reliability, and enhance long-term operational resilience.
Action Category	Infrastructure & Control Structures
Action Type	Roadway Elevation/Road Crossing Modification
Location	Neuse Basin
Jurisdiction	Wilson's Mills, Kenly, Selma, Johnston County, Clayton, Archer Lodge, Benson, Smithfield, Four Oaks, Pine Level, Princeton, Micro

R	isks and Vulnerability	Implementation	Project B	Benefits	Added \	/alue
	Attribute			Base Score	Weighting Factor	Points
1	Risks and Vulnerability			7/24	5	7
1A	Life Safety Risk		3	X 1	= 3	
1B	Direct Damages Avoided		1	1	1	
1C	Social Vulnerability			1	1	1
1D	Regulatory Floodway or Coastal V Zone			2	1	2
1E	Future Risk			0	1	0
2	Implementation	8/24	4	8		
3	Project Benefits		3/24	2	3	
4	Added Value	6/24	5	6		

Project Complexity Score Details

Resiliency Action Name	Acquisition/Demolition of at Risk Structures
Resiliency Action Description	Acquiring three structures in the 100-year floodplain with 100-year flood depths greater than 2ft. These structures were prioritized based on the Blueprint Tool's positive cost-effectiveness rating.
Action Category	Building Level Mitigation
Action Type	Acquisition/Demolition
Location	Neuse Basin
Jurisdiction	Benson, Archer Louge, Clayton, Wilson's Mills, Kenty, Four Oaks, Sinicineta, Fine Level Micro, Johnston County, Selma, Princeton

Financial Regulatory Political Social Environmental Monitoring/Maintenance/Success Metrics								
Category & Ques	tion		Scoring Criteria	Points				
Financial						^	3	
Will the propose secured?	d action financially		Yes = 1 No = 0	1				
	d action require so ired through NCDE		g other than	internal funds or thos	e	0	1	
	unding sources ha siliency Blueprint r		equirements t	that exceed the scope	of what	0	1	
	d action be easily s overall flood resil		s return on in	vestment and added v	/alue to	6	0	
Regulatory						~	0.67	
Political						~	0.5	
Social						~	1.25	
Environmental			~	0				
Monitoring/Mai	ntenance/Success		~	3				

Edit Answers

Flood Risk Management Activity Part 2 (20 minutes)



- Each participant will give an elevator pitch (1-2 min.) for one of their action notecards, using the talking points below. (Group Activity – 10 min.)
 - What vulnerability/risk does the action address?
 - What are the action's ranking and complexity score? Are there other key details from the Resiliency Action Profile?
 - Why is the action important to your assigned community?

OR

• After working with the Tool, do you have any feedback on improving its function, usability, or other related recommendations?

*After you present, please stick both action notecards you've completed directly onto the large evaluation matrix at each table corresponding to the cell with the applicable ranking and complexity score ranges.

- 2. After completing the matrix, briefly discuss the results as a group. Each table should select three priority actions to submit as a part of their assigned jurisdiction's Draft Action Plan. (**Group Activity 10 min.**)
 - Actions positioned in the High Ranking/Low Complexity cells ideal quick wins
 - Actions that are highly ranked but more complex consider if capacity indicates feasibility or barriers to implementation
 - Opportunities to combine resources or capacities across multiple jurisdictions, communities, or departments



Resiliency Action Evaluation Matrix



	Unranked or Incomplete	Could not complete the activity			
Ranking	0 ≤ Score < 49		Small Steps	Slow & Steady	Long Hauls
Score	49 ≤ Score < 98		Easy Upgrades	Balanced Bets	Heavy Lifts
	98 ≤ Score		Ideal-Quick Wins	Smart Investments	Major Strategic Moves
		Incomplete	0 ≤ Score < 6	6 ≤ Score < 12	12 ≤ Score ≤ 17

Project Complexity Score





Reflections & Questions





Action Management & Data Repository

Section 4.1 on the Activity Worksheet



Feedback & Support

Action Management



North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint

The North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality is developing the North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint, which will form the backbone of a state flood planning process to increase community resilience to flooding throughout North Carolina's River basins. An online decision support tool and associated planning will drive state, regional, and community decision-making and guide the legislature in making funding decisions. When completed, the Blueprint will lead to an actionable set of projects and funding strategies that state and other government entities can implement to reduce flooding, mitigate the impacts of flooding, and increase a community's ability to maintain and quickly resume pre-storm activities following flooding.

Working with local stakeholders, interagency partners, academics, and technical experts, DEQ's Division of Mitigation Services plans a comprehensive approach to identify problems, address barriers, and prioritize solutions.

The Flood Resiliency Blueprint is funded through a \$20 million allocation to the Department of Environmental Quality Division of Mitigation Services from the North Carolina General Assembly. An additional \$96 million is allocated to the Division of Mitigation Services to fund priority projects identified in the development of the Flood Resiliency Blueprint for the following river basins: Neuse, Cape Fear, Tar-Pamlico, White Oak, and Lumber. Session Law 2021-180 NC Session Law 2022-75

GET STARTED

Community Profile

Review and enter information pertaining to Socio-Demographics, population, adaptive capacity, and environmental vulnerabilities.

View Community Profile

Flood Risk Management

Review existing resiliency actions in effect or planned, to create and submit new resiliency actions, and to evaluate and compare all resiliency actions being considered.



Action Management

Review status, project management, and performance for all actions.



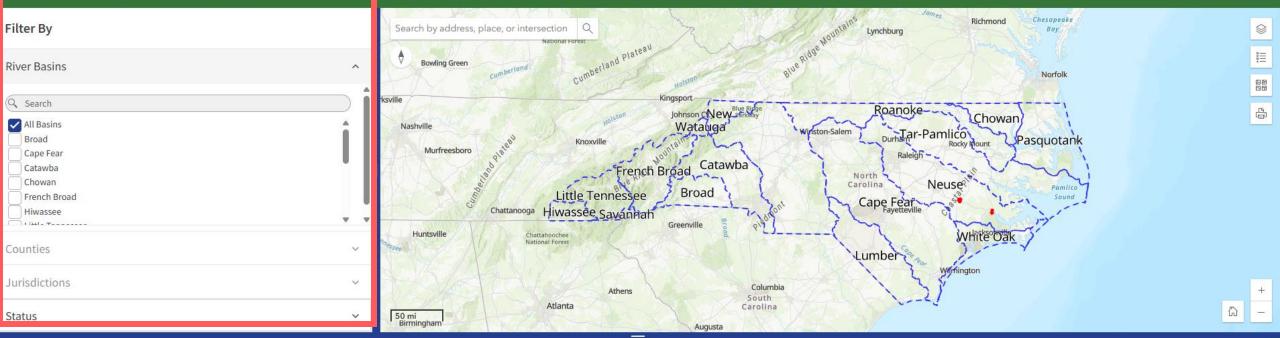
Data Repository

A publicly accessible repository for data and modeling outputs and technical reports.

View Data Repository

Action Management







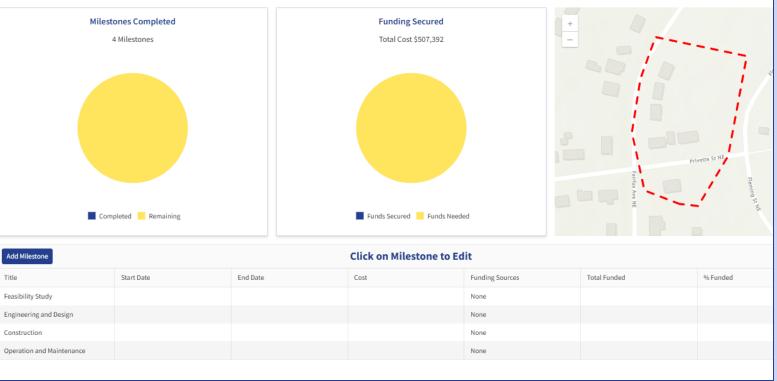
							_					
Name			Action Category	Action Type	Status	Action Strategy	Owner	DEQ Analyst	Partners	Funding Sources	Milestones Met	Funds Secured vs Total Cost
]	T	•	•	•	•	T	T				
ls eq	qual to											
ls no	ot equal to					Local						
Cont	tains					Basin						
Does	s not contain	L.										
Start	ts with											
Ends	s with											
ls nu	ull	-										

Name	Action Category	Action Type	Status	Action Strategy	Owner	DEQ Analyst	Partners	Funding Sources	Milestones Met	Funds Secured vs Total Cost
T	•	•	•	•	T					
test	Building Level Mitigation	Acquisition/Demolition	Included	Local	City Of Kinston	Not Assigned			0/4	\$0 / \$1,108,589

Action Management

Action that Judie added on 12/30

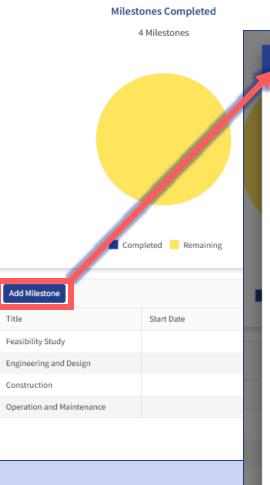
^	Resiliency Action Details
None	Strategy
Building Level Mitigation	Category
Relocation	Гуре
\$507,392	Total Cost
\$1,389,153	Losses Avoided
2.9431677	Cost Effectiveness
City Of Wilson	Owner
ChristopherL Dreps	DEQ Program Analyst
*	Partners
0	Partner



Action Management

Action that Judie added on 12/30

Resiliency Action Details \n Strategy None Category Building Level Mitigation Type Relocation Total Cost \$507,392 Losses Avoided \$1,389,153 Cost Effectiveness 2.9431677 Owner City Of Wilson DEQ Program Analyst ChristopherL Dreps Partners \score		
Category Building Level Mitigation Type Relocation Total Cost \$507,392 Losses Avoided \$1,389,153 Cost Effectiveness 2.9431677 Owner City Of Wilson DEQ Program Analyst ChristopherL Dreps	Resiliency Action Details	^
Type Relocation Total Cost \$507,392 Losses Avoided \$1,389,153 Cost Effectiveness 2.9431677 Owner City Of Wilson DEQ Program Analyst ChristopherL Dreps Partners ^	Strategy	None
Total Cost \$507,392 Losses Avoided \$1,389,153 Cost Effectiveness 2.9431677 Owner City Of Wilson DEQ Program Analyst ChristopherL Dreps Partners ^	Category	Building Level Mitigation
Losses Avoided \$1,389,153 Cost Effectiveness 2.9431677 Owner City Of Wilson DEQ Program Analyst Christopher L Dreps Partners ^	Туре	Relocation
Cost Effectiveness 2.9431677 Owner City Of Wilson DEQ Program Analyst ChristopherL Dreps Partners ^	Total Cost	\$507,392
Owner City Of Wilson DEQ Program Analyst ChristopherL Dreps Partners ^	Losses Avoided	\$1,389,153
DEQ Program Analyst Christopher L Dreps Partners	Cost Effectiveness	2.9431677
Partners ^	Owner	City Of Wilson
	DEQ Program Analyst	ChristopherL Dreps
Partner	Partners	^
	Partner	•



Title			
Start Date	445	End Date	
month/day/year		month/day/year	
Progress		Milestone Cost	
	÷.		.
Funding Source		Amount of Funding	
			•
Completely Funded			
N/A			
Save Save Cancel			



Data Repository

- Documents are provided for each methodology describing:
 - Data references
 - Technical details of a Resiliency Action or Tool component's underlying methodology and workflow
 - Tool outputs from the method/workflow
 - Any data/method limitations or caveats
- Downloadable data
 - GeoDatabase
 - GeoJSON
 - Shapefile



Feedback & Support



North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint

The North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality is developing the North Carolina Flood Resiliency Blueprint, which will form the backbone of a state flood planning process to increase community resilience to flooding throughout North Carolina's River basins. An online decision support tool and associated planning will drive state, regional, and community decision-making and guide the legislature in making funding decisions. When completed, the Blueprint will lead to an actionable set of projects and funding strategies that state and other government entities can implement to reduce flooding, mitigate the impacts of flooding, and increase a community's ability to maintain and quickly resume pre-storm activities following flooding.

Working with local stakeholders, interagency partners, academics, and technical experts, DEQ's Division of Mitigation Services plans a comprehensive approach to identify problems, address barriers, and prioritize solutions.

The Flood Resiliency Blueprint is funded through a \$20 million allocation to the Department of Environmental Quality Division of Mitigation Services from the North Carolina General Assembly. An additional \$96 million is allocated to the Division of Mitigation Services to fund priority projects identified in the development of the Flood Resiliency Blueprint for the following river basins: Neuse, Cape Fear, Tar-Pamlico, White Oak, and Lumber. Session Law 2021-180 Session Law 2022-75

GET STARTED

Community Profile

Review and enter information pertaining to Socio-Demographics, population, adaptive capacity, and environmental vulnerabilities.

View Community Profile

Flood Risk Management

Review existing resiliency actions in effect or planned, to create and submit new resiliency actions, and to evaluate and compare all resiliency actions being considered.



Action Management

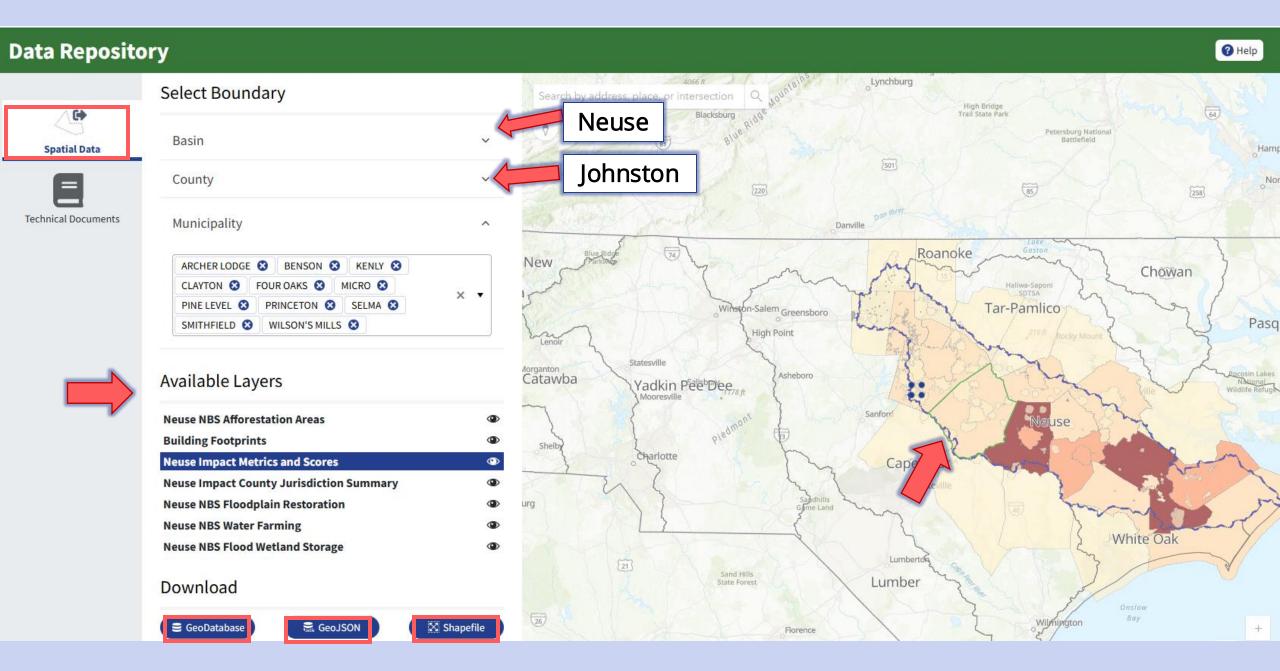
Review status, project management, and performance for all actions.

View Action Management

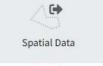
Data Repository

A publicly accessible repository for data and modeling outputs and technical reports.

View Data Repository



Data Repository





9

Search



Technical Bulletin: Bioretention

Bioretention is a stormwater control measure that uses natural components and processes to capture stormwater runoff, allowing water to soak into planted areas,...

Category: User Methodologies

Last Modified: 3/24/2025

View



Technical Bulletin: Permeable Pavement

Installing permeable pavements during the building or renovation process increases flood resilience by allowing water to infiltrate the ground surface, reducing run...

Category: User Methodologies

Last Modified: 3/24/2025

View



Technical Bulletin: Floodplain Preservation

The floodplain preservation feature of the Blueprint Tool refers to an area that transitions between a wetland and upland with distinct vegetative species than...

Category: User Methodologies

Last Modified: 3/24/2025



Technical Bulletin: Roadway Elevation & Road Crossing...

Roadway elevation and road crossing modifications are a flood resiliency action focused on raising roadways or modifying crossings to mitigate flooding impacts an...

Category: User Methodologies

Last Modified: 3/24/2025



Technical Bulletin: Channel Modifications (Dredging,...

This methodology is intended to demonstrate the potential flood damage reduction associated with channel modifications such as channel dredging,... Category: User Methodologies Last Modified: 3/24/2025



Technical Bulletin: Floodplain Restoration

Floodplain restoration is a resiliency action aimed at rehabilitating degraded floodplain areas to enhance their natural ability to store and slow floodwaters, reducing...

View

Category: User Methodologies

Last Modified: 3/24/2025



View

Technical Bulletin: Rain Gardens

Rain gardens are shallow, planted depressions designed to capture and temporarily hold stormwater, allowing it to slowly infiltrate the soil while filtering...

View

Category: User Methodologies Last Modified: 3/24/2025



View

Technical Bulletin: Estimating Impacts to People,...

The impacts assessment methodology is intended to estimate the impacts of flooding and the impacts of reducing flooding from mitigation techniques (in dollars). The...

View

Category: User Methodologies

Last Modified: 3/24/2025



Technical Bulletin: Bioretention

Bioretention is a stormwater control measure that uses natural components and processes to capture stormwater runoff, allowing water to soak into planted areas, and slowing its flow. By allowing water to infiltrate through the ground, bioretention systems decrease the pressure on drainage infrastructure and minimize the likelihood of flooding. These systems are highly adaptable in that they can be installed across various soil types, from clay to sand, and can be tailored to various site conditions. These systems are designed to improve water quality by capturing and treating stormwater from the one-year (24-hour) storm event. However, this action can be essential to urban flood resiliency when combined with other SCMs or where multiple bioretention areas are strategically placed to maximize the potential reduction in stormwater runoff volume and flow.

Category: User Methodologies

Last Modified: 3/24/2025 4:06 PM

View

Download

Action Management Activity

- Access submitted actions for your assigned location by filtering for Major River Basin, Counties, Jurisdictions, and Status
- Review the actions in the summary table and explore the various filters
- Select a resiliency action from the table to edit project milestones and key details
- Set milestone dates (start & end dates)
 - **Feasibility Study:** Began 6 months pre-Workshop; lasted 5 months
 - **Engineering and Design:** Began 1 month pre-Workshop; projected to take 6 months
 - **Construction:** Undetermined
 - **Operation and Maintenance:** Undetermined

- Assign a progress percentage and a cost to each milestone using the <u>hypothetical examples</u> below:
 - **Feasibility Study** (Progress =100%) (Milestone Cost = Total Cost * 0.15)
 - Add the name of one of the action's matched funding sources and set the Amount of Funding equal to the Milestone Cost
 - Engineering and Design (Progress = 25%) (Milestone
 Cost = Total Cost * 0.15)
 - Add the name of one of the action's matched funding sources and set the Amount of Funding equal to the Milestone Cost
 - **Operation and Maintenance** (Progress = 0%) (Milestone Cost= Total Cost * 0.10)
 - Construction (Progress = 0%) (Milestone Cost = Total Cost * 0.6)







Reflections & Questions





Close out & Next Steps





Next Steps for Blueprint Program

• [insert DEQ approved Next steps]





Thank You & Questions

Contacts:

Stuart Brown NC Flood Resiliency Blueprint Manager stuart.brown@deq.nc.gov

To join an outreach meeting, test out the online tool, or request more information, contact the DEQ lead for your river basin:

WHITE OAK	TAR-	CAPE FEAR	FRENCH	LUMBER	
& NEUSE	PAMLICO		BROAD	RIVER	
Brad	Chris	Jessica	Suna	Shana	
Connell	Dreps	Gray	Morkoc	Shapiro	
brad.connell	chris.dreps@	jessica.gray	suna.morkoc@	shana.shapiro@	
@deq.nc.gov	deq.nc.gov	@deq.nc.gov	deq.nc.gov	deq.nc.gov	

Contact Blueprint Staff

Name ++	Title ++	River Basin ++	Email ++	Phone +	
Stuart Brown	Program Manager		stuart.brown@deq.nc.gov'	919-703-7944	
Brad Connell	Program Consultant	White Oak and Neuse River Basins	brad.connell@deq.nc.gov		
Chris Dreps	Program Consultant	Tar-Pamlico and Neuse River Basins	chris.dreps@deq.nc.gov	919-707-8417	
Jessica Gray	Program Consultant	Cape Fear River Basin	jessica.gray⊛deq.nc.gov	910-796-7407	
Suna Morkoc	Program Consultant	French Broad River Basin	suna.morkoc@deq.nc.gov	919-707-8308	
Shana Shapiro	Program Consultant	Lumber River Basin	shana.shapiro@deg.nc.gov	919-707-8958	

For general inquiries, contact 919-707-8976,

