



Name	Climate Ready Estuaries Lessons Learned
Description	<p>EPA's Climate Ready Estuaries (CRE) provides targeted assistance to National Estuary Programs (NEPs) to plan for climate change. In its first years, CRE partners have successfully completed vulnerability assessments, engaged stakeholders, identified climate change indicators, and initiated adaptation planning efforts.</p> <p>This compilation presents best practices and lessons learned that are taken from the CRE annual progress report for 2010. The varied experiences of CRE partners around the country can guide other communities or organizations that are planning responses for climate change impacts.</p>
Type	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- PRODUCTS: Hindcasts (climatologies, models)</li> <li>- PRODUCTS: Forecasts and outlooks (monthly to annual, models)</li> <li>- PRODUCTS: Projections (intra-annual to multi-decadal, including SLR and model down-scaling)</li> <li>- PRODUCTS: Plans, Assessments, Studies</li> </ul>
Sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Public Health and Safety</li> <li>- Infrastructure</li> <li>- Managed Ecosystems</li> <li>- Natural Ecosystems</li> <li>- Biota</li> <li>- Social and Cultural Resources</li> <li>- Economic Resources</li> <li>- Recreation and Tourism</li> </ul>
Focus Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Sustainability of Marine Ecosystems</li> <li>- Coasts and Climate Resilience (including sea-level rise)</li> <li>- Conservation/ Restoration of Sensitive Species and Habitats</li> </ul>
Region	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- National</li> <li>- Regional Or State -- New England -- Mid-Atlantic -- Central -</li> <li>- Great Lakes -- South East</li> </ul>
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