

NExUS Ongoing Projects and Activities Sun Oct 21 23:27:09 EDT 2018

Name	Barnegat Bay Partnership Climate Ready Estuary
Description	From the website: The Climate Ready Estuaries funding will enable the Barnegat Bay Partnership and its key partners to initiate climate change vulnerability assessments and adaptation planning. The initial steps will include the following:
	Establishment of a Climate Change Workgroup within the Barnegat Bay Partnership's Science and Technical Advisory Committee; The convening of a series of public "listening sessions" during the winter and spring of 2010; and Cosponsoring a technical workshop "Preparing your Community in the Face of a Changing Climate: Starting the Dialogue, which took place on April 1, 2010. Development of a Needs Assessment and next steps in order to develop a Climate Ready Adaptation Strategy.
	Ultimately, these activities will enable the Barnegat Bay Partnership to develop a climate change adaptation strategy which informs local municipalities and the public about regional challenges and their potential solutions.
Category	- Climate-change Specific Projects - Research
Sector	- Public Health and Safety - Infrastructure - Managed Ecosystems - Natural Ecosystems
Focus Area	- Coasts and Climate Resilience (including sea-level rise) - Changes in Extremes of Weather and Climate
Region	- Regional Or State Mid-Atlantic
Status	- Ongoing
Timelines	Started 2009
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