

**MEETING SUMMARY
COASTAL RESILIENCY COMMITTEE**

The Coastal Resiliency Committee met on March 22, 2019. The following items were discussed.

- RADM Ann Phillips (Ret.), Special Assistant to the Governor for Coastal Adaptation and Protection, briefed the Committee on Executive Order 24 and the effort to develop a Coastal Resilience Master Plan for Virginia.
- Ms. Katie Cullipher, HRPDC, updated the Committee on the HRPDC's flood insurance outreach campaign.
- Mr. Ben McFarlane, HRPDC, updated the Committee on the effort to develop implementation guidance based on the Regional Sea Level Rise Planning Policy and Approach.
- Ms. Whitney Katchmark, HRPDC, updated the Committee on discussions with various entities about installing and maintaining a network of roadway flood sensors.
- Mr. McFarlane and Ms. Ashley Gordon, HRPDC, updated the Committee on the Resilience Project Dashboard the HRPDC staff is using to track local resiliency projects.
- Ms. Gordon briefed the Committee on the report for the first year of the first floor elevation data project and plans for the second year.
- Several Committee members and guests provided status reports.

MEETING SUMMARY
REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

The Regional Environmental Committee met on March 7, 2019. The following items were discussed.

- Dr. Fred Dobbs, Old Dominion University, gave a presentation to the Committee on plastics and microplastics in the ocean and some of the issues they cause.
- Mr. Steve Lambert, HRTPO, gave a briefing to the Committee on active transportation planning efforts in the region, including the Birthplace of America Trail and the South Hampton Roads Trail.
- Ms. Jill Sunderland, HRPDC, briefed the Committee on Virginia's Beneficiary Mitigation Plan that will guide the use of funds provided to the Commonwealth from the EPA's Volkswagen settlement.
- The HRPDC staff updated the Committee on legislative matters from the 2019 Virginia General Assembly Session.
- Several Committee members and guests provided status reports.

MEETING SUMMARY
REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

The Regional Environmental Committee met on April 4, 2019. The following items were discussed.

- Mr. Howard Hoege, President and CEO, and Ms. Erica Deal, Park Stewardship Coordinator, of the Mariners' Museum and Park gave a presentation to the Committee on the museum's contributions to water resources research and opportunities for collaboration with locality and academic partners.
- Ms. KC Filippino, HRPDC, briefed the Committee on the draft Chesapeake Bay Phase III Watershed Implementation Plan.
- Ms. Katie Cullipher, HRPDC, gave a presentation to the Committee on current and upcoming askHRgreen.org initiatives.
- The HRPDC staff briefed the Committee on highlights from the 2019 Environment Virginia Symposium.
- Several Committee members and guests provided status reports.