

**MEETING SUMMARY**  
**REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE**

The Regional Environmental Committee met on October 4, 2018. The following items were discussed.

- Mr. Stewart Baker, Virginia Department of Emergency Management, gave a presentation to the Committee on the Commonwealth's decision-making processes for evacuation and other hurricane preparedness decisions.
- Mr. Greg Steele, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, gave a presentation to the Committee on the process for starting and completing a feasibility study with the Corps and an update on the status of the Norfolk Coastal Storm Risk Management Study and the proposed multi-jurisdictional studies for coastal Virginia.
- Ms. KC Filippino and Mr. Ben McFarlane, HRPDC, briefed the Committee on a proposed plan for updating the region's green infrastructure planning products by developing multiple datasets, analysis products, and applications for local use.
- Mr. McFarlane briefed the Committee on a special project, a GIS web application for grant applicants, that was conducted through the HRPDC's Coastal Resources Management Technical Assistance grant from the Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program.
- Several Committee members and guests provided status reports.