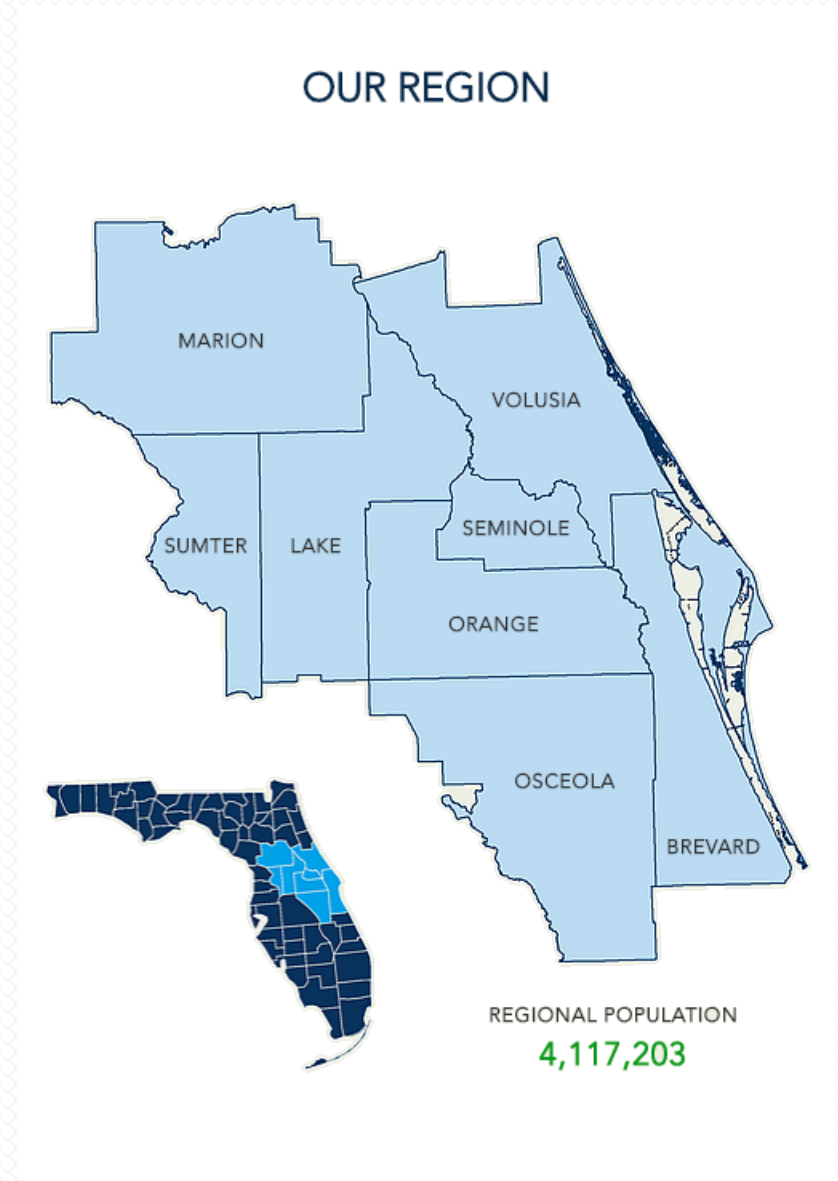


East Central Florida Regional Resilience Collaborative



Resilience

- EDA funded opportunity to develop and implement a program focusing on regional disaster resilience. March, 2018
- Cultivating resilience (**collaborative ecosystem**) needs to be understood as a long-term team effort, embedded and providing guidance to undertake empirical analysis of regional systems.
- The general thrust of investing in place, identifying points of global economic relevance, and creating higher levels of social cohesion are an essential piece of a regional action agenda.





Regional Planning Council

Council meetings provide a unique opportunity to come together to showcase the region's innovative work and to illustrate how the Council structure can support the efforts.



Regional Planning Council meetings

- Orange County- Hurricane Maria
 - Affordable housing
 - Migration
- Osceola County
 - Infrastructure Failure
 - Aging Infrastructure
- Regional Food Systems
 - Food Access
 - Health Outcomes
 - Shifting Economic Trends
- City of Orlando
 - Climate Change
- Brevard and Volusia Counties Regional Resilience Action Plan
 - Coastal/ tidal flooding
 - Sea Level Rise

Creating Resilience

- Each project was a demonstration of how *organized local leadership* can elevate the distinctive assets of a place in ways that transcend the confines of the past, building linkages throughout the region, state and global economy.



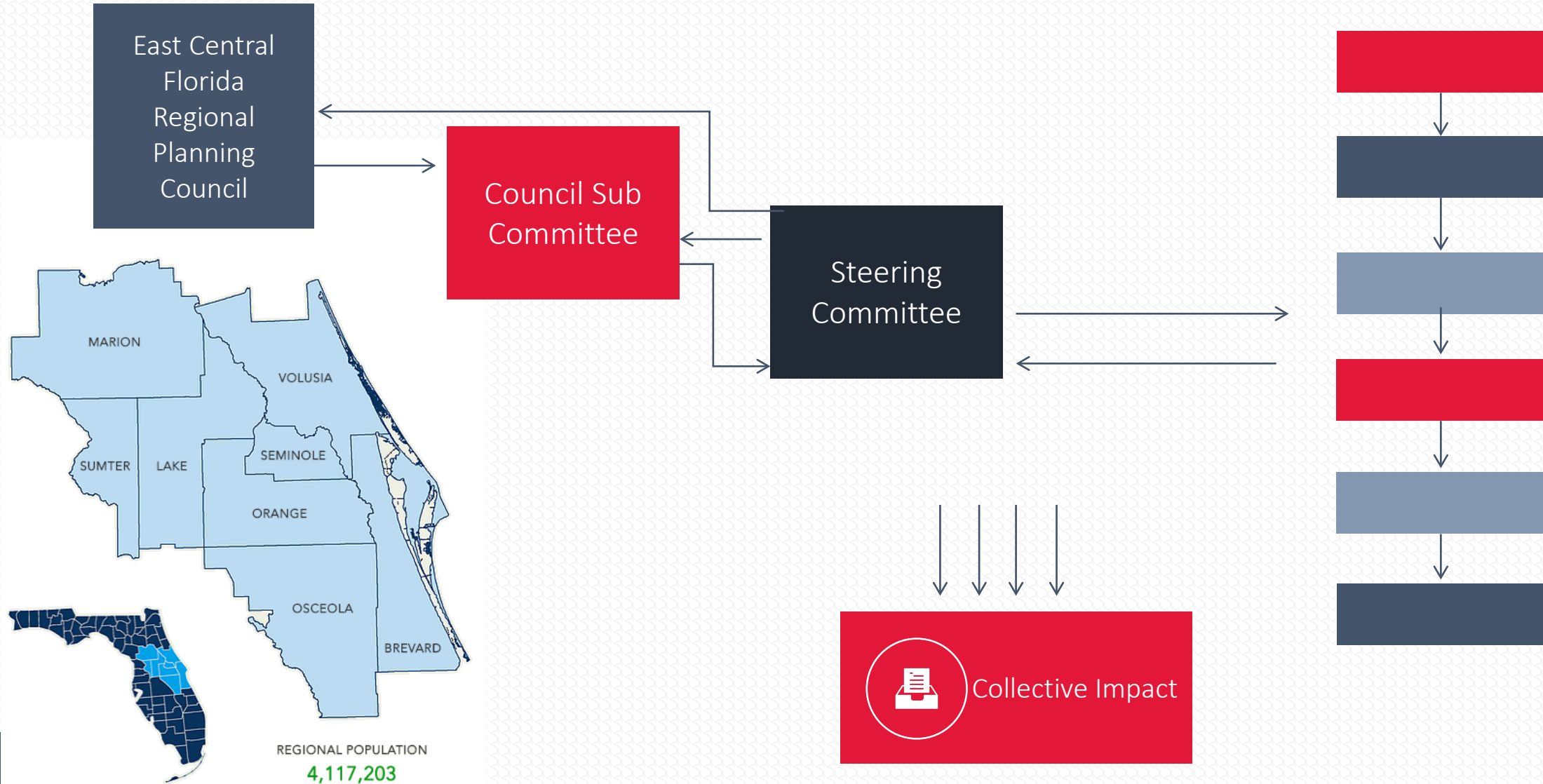
Resolution Adopted

- September, 2018

Council adopted a Resilience Resolution reaffirming their commitment to regionalism; understanding the relationship between planning, economic development and emergency management; and to convene stakeholders across the region to develop the structure and framework for a regional resilience collaborative.

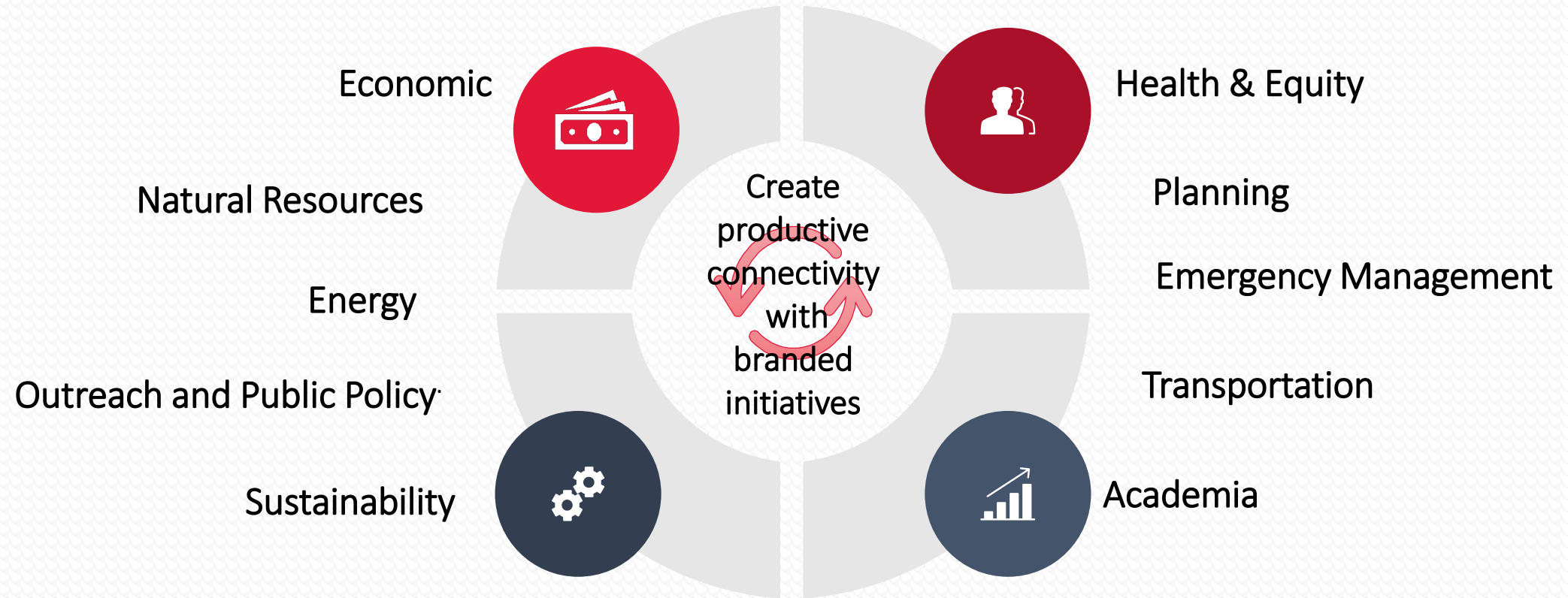
Regional Resilience Collaborative Structure

PROCESS PERSPECTIVE



Steering Committee

Made up of Disciplines





Timeline Development

Council Sub
Committee

Capacity Building
Resolution Adopted
2 Committees Formed



December

- Develop Structure
- Timeline
- Pillar development
- MOU Language

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Steering
Committee

- Update on Progress
- Review Outline for Draft MOU
- Direction
- Mission Statement
- Requested Bio info for Steering Committee

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January



MOU comments
due Jan 7th

- Draft MOU Language Discussion,
- Refine Structure, timeline, Pillars

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Brevard Manager
Meeting
Other Coalition
coordination

February

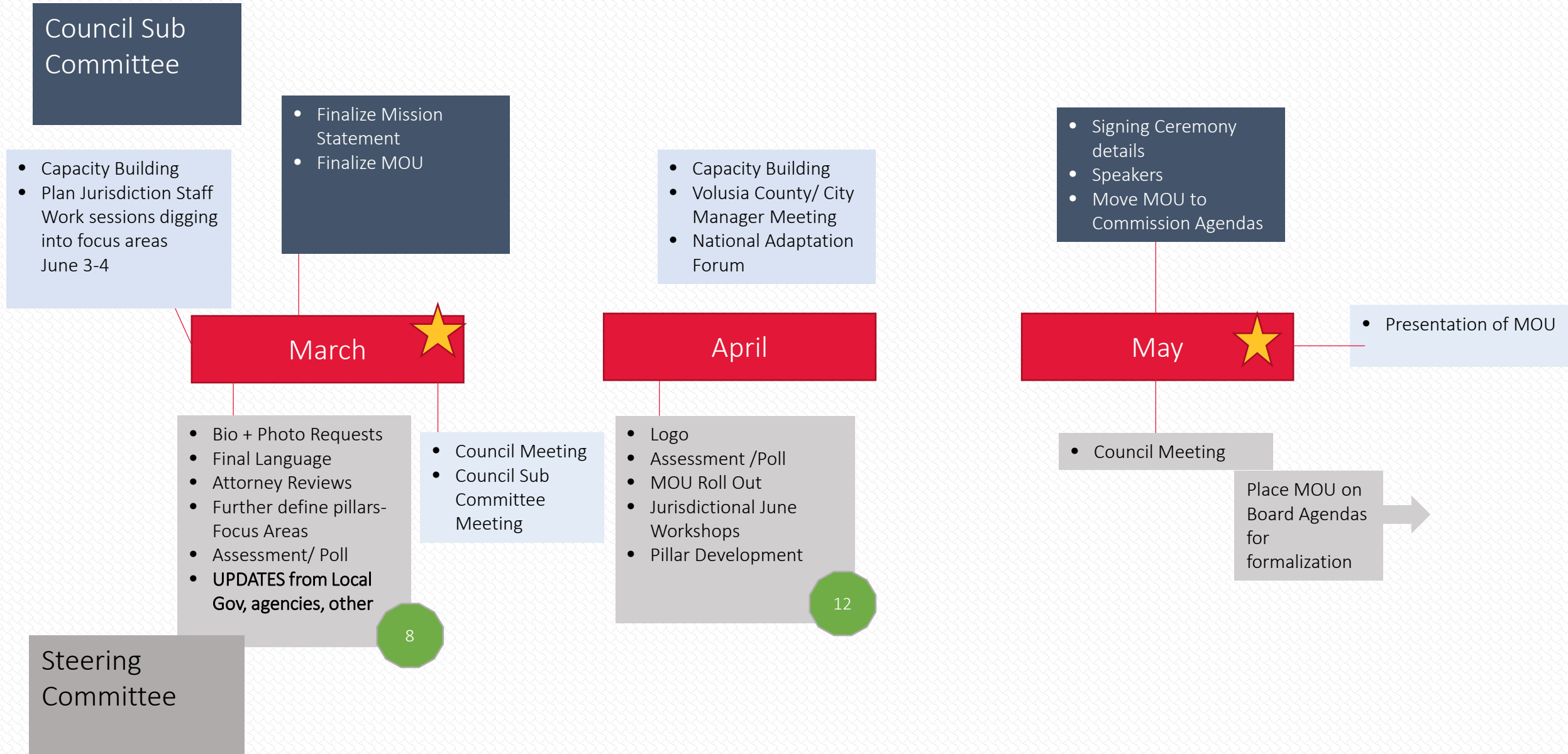
- Draft MOU to RPC legal for comment
- Draft to CSC/ legal for comment Feb 25-March 1

- Meetings with Commissioners
- Capacity Building
- Volusia County/City Manager Meeting
- Develop Partnerships

- Discuss Refined MOU
- Name Initiative, Logo, Mission Statement

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Timeline Development



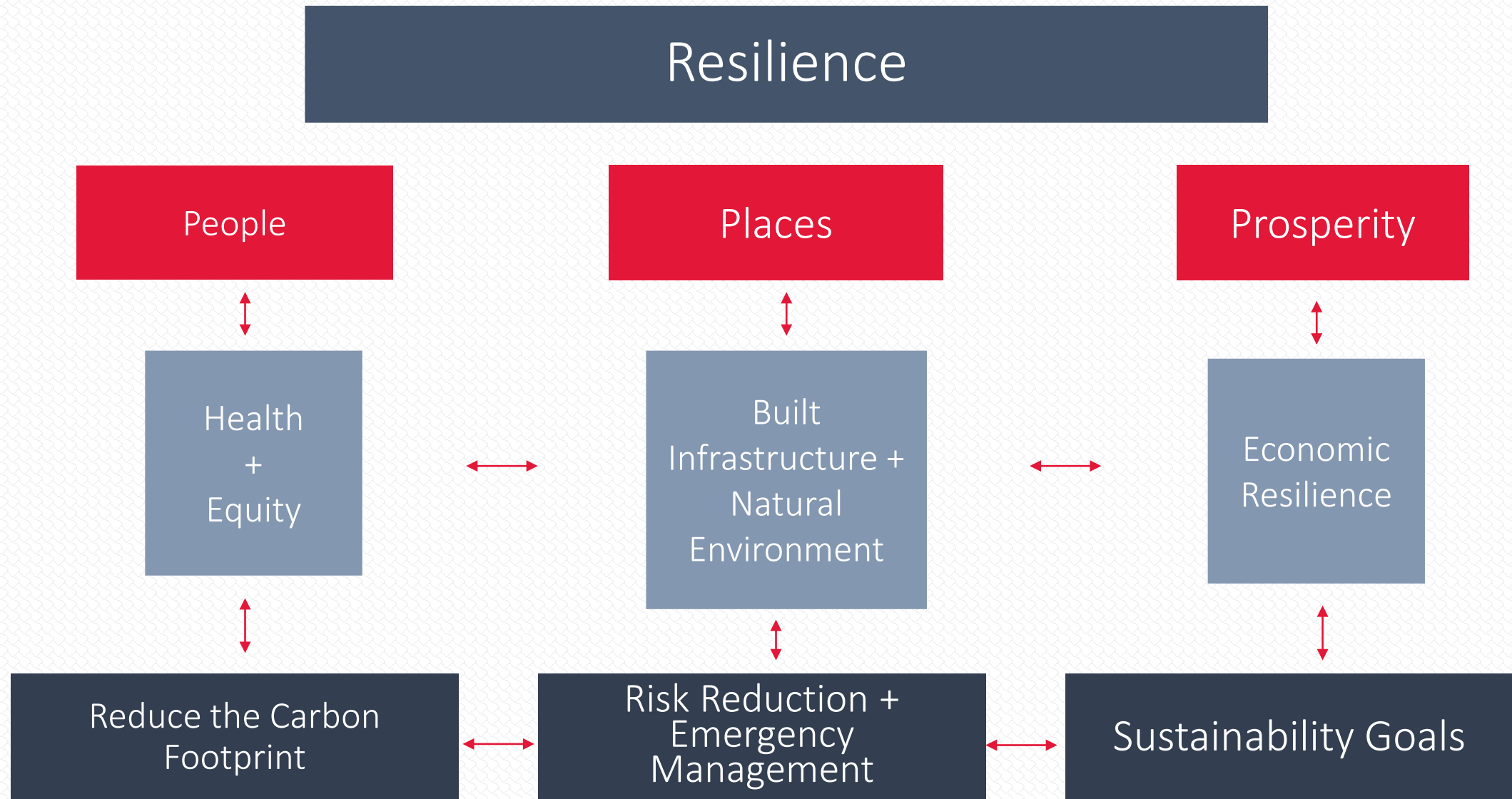


Regional Planning Council meetings



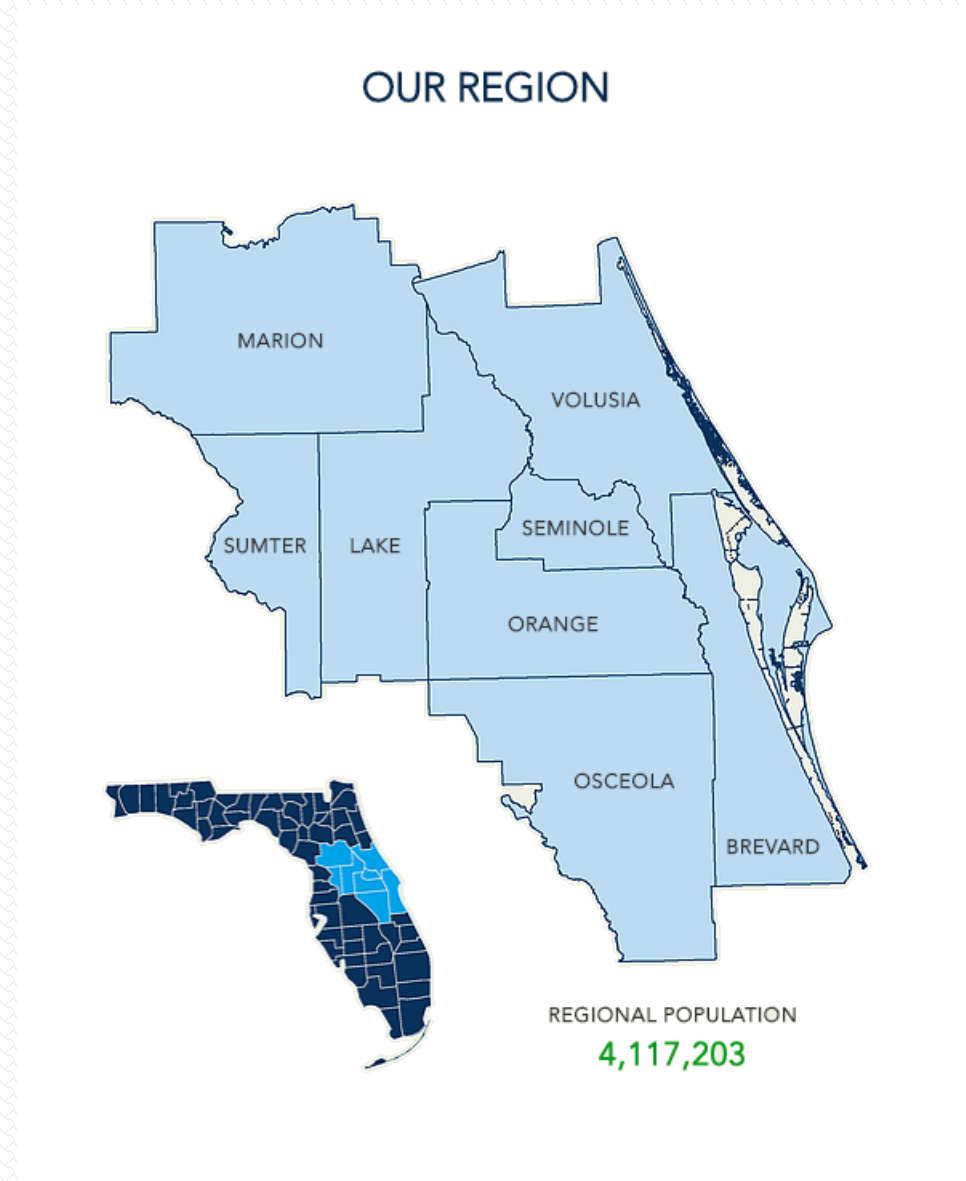
- Lake County
 - Built infrastructure
- City of Titusville
 - Economic Placemaking
- Central Florida; LTRG + EM
 - Resilience on the front lines
 - Risk Reduction
- Volusia County
 - Leveraging grants & partnerships
- Marion County
 - Managing growth and honoring their Agricultural heritage

Council Sub Committee Direction



MOU

- History
- Provide Perspective
- Who constitutes the region
- Why the region is important
 - Prosperity- Economic interdependencies
 - Places – built infrastructure + natural environment
 - People- health + equity
- What are we going to do



- ~~WHEREAS~~, the resilience of East Central Florida Region's people, places and prosperity rely on interconnected and multi-modal transportation infrastructure, including the spaceport, space center, seaport, trails, rail and other transit systems, roadways and airports; and
- ~~WHEREAS~~, promoting sustainable development that includes compact urban centers, conservation of agricultural landscapes, interconnected, multimodal corridors, conservation areas, decreases the carbon footprint, increases our *Members' fiscal sustainability* and minimalizes conflicts in 'wildland and urban interface' areas, further supporting emergency management efforts; and

What are we going to do?

- MOU requests:
 - *Create Productive Connectivity*- commitment and appropriate staff
 - *Regional Resilience Action Plan*- identify regional initiatives with supportive and actionable data
 - *Regional Legislative Strategy*- align individual decisions and policies in service of shared strategy
 - *Community Involvement*
 - *Annual Summit*

**Think Globally
Plan Regionally
Act Locally**



Next Steps



Collective impact potential begins with *sharing a vision* for resilience which is what the MOU and subsequently the collaborative offers.

- **Pillar Refinement**

- Survey – through May 31 to County/City Managers
- Staff Engagement Workshops- June 18-19
 - ❖ Yield strategic plan for collaborative

- **Roll Out**

- the stated goal is 8 counties and 78 cities formalizing
- level of engagement may differ: the annual summit engagement for branded initiatives

- **Governance**

- Council Sub-Committee dissolves after signing ceremony in fall
- Steering Committee present outcomes & recommendations to the Council for consideration

June Workshop draft



- Workshops- June 18- 19
- Presentation on collaborative development
 - Background on other national initiatives- Steve Adams
 - Benefits of collaboratives -outcomes- Steve Adams
 - ECFR₂C- Jenifer Rupert
- Prioritize Topic Areas
- How does your jurisdiction approach resilience in the prioritized areas?
- Do you have the capacity to track/benchmark topic area progress?
- What initiatives do you want to move forward? What are the barriers/obstacles?
- What regional opportunities does a collaborative present?



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Sustainable
Communities





Timeline Development



Council Sub Committee

Place MOU on Board Agenda for approval

- Capacity Building
- Secure dates for: League of Cities & Association of Counties

- Signing Ceremony details
- Speakers
- Update- MOU to Commission Agendas

- Capacity Building
- League of Cities- potential for Elected Official Primer w/ ACCO

June

July

August

September

Place MOU on Board Agenda for approval

- June 18-19 Staff Workshops/

- Results from Workshop- form beginnings of strategic plan
- Identify potential Regional Initiatives under each pillar w/mutually reinforcing activities

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- Consider TAC
 - Define
 - Populate
- Resources to convene + coordinate participating orgs.

- Signing Ceremony – details tbd by CSC

Steering Committee

- Climate Fundamentals Academy- CC-P certification (part 1)

- Climate Fundamentals Academy- CC-P certification (part 2)

Health + Equity

- Contamination Sites
- Farmworkers
- Women/child health
- Economic inequality
- Agriculture
- Water Quality Supply
- Homelessness
- Gender equality
- Affordable housing (safe/sanitary)/Attainable
- Mosquito-born & New disease (vector)
- Access equitable preventative healthcare and services
- Safety / walkability / equitable / accessibility / transportation
- Flooding Impact
- Health impacts
- Poverty
- Representation in decisions /inclusiveness
- Inequitable adaptation/impacts
- Health, food access /deserts
- Environmental justice
- Access to All services
- Sustainable water supply / quality and quantity
- Special needs / ADA
- Heat stress
- Air Quality

← Topic Area Brainstorming

Topic Area MOU →

- Poverty
- Hunger and Food Security
 - Education
 - Water + Sanitation
 - Sustainability
- Reduce inequalities
- Safe, Clean, affordable transportation
 - Peace and justice
- Vulnerable + underserved
 - Human security
 - Risk exposure + vulnerabilities
 - Health disparities + externalities
 - Increase adaptive capacities
- Increase access to services
 - Risk reduction
- Clean water and energy/ access
 - Agriculture
- Safe physical activity
 - Local food systems
- Reduce carbon footprint



- Green Infrastructure
- Wetlands
- Building Codes
- Drainage/Stormwater
- Energy Efficiency
- Tree Protections
- Relocation
- Public parks
- Coastal Protection
- Growth Planning
- Waste Management
- Water Body Quality/Quantity (spring protection included)
- Green Space
- Flooding
- Storm Surge
- SLR
- Wildlife and Biodiversity Protection
- Transportation
- Gentrification
- Communications (radio, technology)
- Renewables/Storage
- Infrastructure Redundancy
- Extreme Weather

Built Infrastructure + Natural Environment

← Topic Area
Brainstorming

Topic Area MOU →

- Accommodate Future Migration
 - Water + Sanitation
 - Energy
 - Reduce Inequalities
- Reduce the carbon footprint
 - Sustainable Communities
 - Blue Resources
 - Green Resources
- Increase fiscal sustainability
 - Planning
 - Conservation lands
- Interconnected transportation systems
 - Biodiversity protection
 - Energy Security
- Increase adaptive capacities
- Risk reduction (minimalize conflicts in wild & urban interfaces)
 - Water availability
 - Ecosystem services
- High performing, energy efficient, resilience targets

Economic Resilience

- Reduce carbon foot print (3)
- Eco-Tourism (2)
- Transportation (2)
- Green/Sustainable Jobs (4)
- Poverty /wages (2)
- Workforce development / Diversification
- Poverty
- Vulnerable populations
- Living Wage
- Broadband Access
- Economic Diversification (3)
- Circular Economies
- Educational/vocational training
- Water supply /quality
- Philanthropic development/finance
- Business continuity
- Tax Base
- Labor Force Participation
- Long Range Planning
- Redundant infrastructure
- Insurance/risk reduction (2)
- Interconnected grids
- Food sector
- Affordable/ attainable housing
- Lack of access to emergency savings
- Barriers to workforce participation

← Topic Area Brainstorming

Topic Area MOU →

- Poverty
- Hunger + Food security
- Education
- Energy
- Workforce
- Reduce inequalities
- Reduce Carbon Footprint
- Diversify economy
- Diversify + transformative workforce
 - Economic interdependencies
 - Increase adaptive capacities
 - 2 majority, minority counties
 - Risk reduction
 - Water availability/ clean
 - Agriculture
 - Local food systems
- Increase fiscal sustainability
 - Tourism
 - Eco-Tourism

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