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Desired Outcome(s)

- Ensure representation from all regional municipalities and counties
- Create scientific-based messaging representing what impacts the region can anticipate for planning purposes
- Create consistent messaging delivered by elected officials to all stakeholders
- Communicate, educate, and listen to constituents in order better inform planning strategies
- Develop a toolbox for planning, mitigation, and adaptation for residents

ACTIONS – Immediate

- Create the charter for the committee
 - Mission Statement
 - Membership
 - Operational process
 - Deliverables
- Coordinate with regional emergency management officials on critical infrastructure and mass care (ESF6)
- Develop draft scientific-based messaging

ACTIONS – Near-Term

- Research of best practices
 - Transfer of development rights
 - Uniform Building Code for Regional Adaptations
- Develop recommendations for legislative actions based on research and community input
- Establish a single point of contact for citizens to obtain information on climate change mitigation and adaptation

ACTIONS – Long-Term

 Finalize recommendations for legislative action and submit to local governments for inclusion in legislative agendas

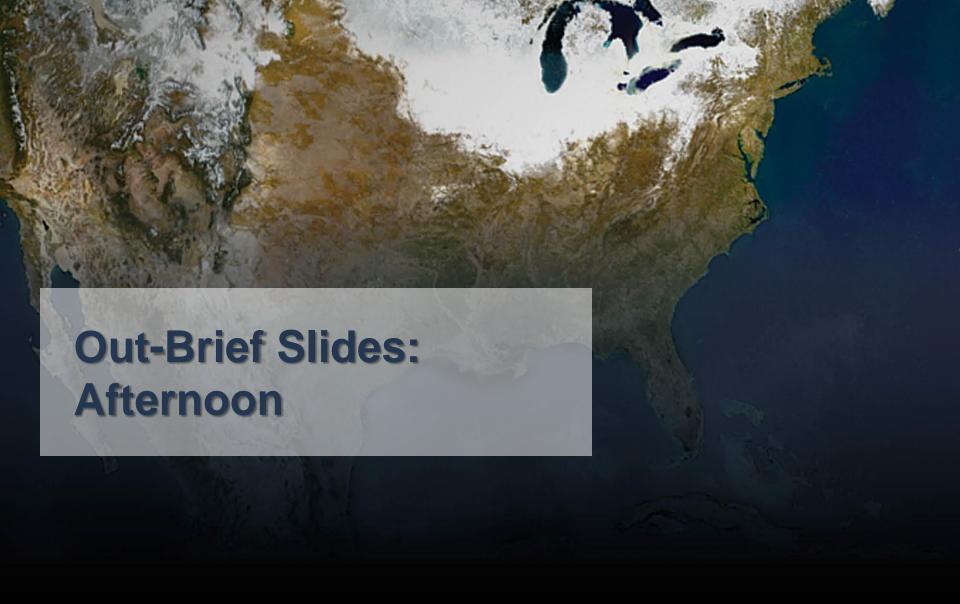
Challenges and Opportunities

Challenges:

- Number and complexity of municipalities
- Different levels of development among the cities
- Resource constraints

Opportunities:

- Working with federal partners to understand center of gravity for coastal communities, sea level rise, and climate adaptation
- Collective need for action
- Ability to capitalize on work done and current initiatives
- Strong focus on climate change adaptation from the whole community including local, state, and federal partners





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Scenario Discussion Out-Brief

What immediate actions should this Intergovernmental Planning Pilot Project take based on today's discussions?

What key challenges, obstacles, and constraints does the Intergovernmental Planning Pilot Project face?