

**Preparing Your Communities in the Face of a Changing Climate:
Starting the Dialogue**

Including a Building, Construction and Software Modelers Vendor Fair

February 11, 2010
Sea Oaks Golf Course

- 8:30am – Registrant Check-in, Breakfast and Vendor Fair
- 9:00am – Welcome, Introductions by Partners and Opening Remarks (Senator Connors/Assemblyman Rumpf – TBD)
- 9:15am - Opening Plenary
 - Setting the Stage for the Local Climate Change Conversation
 - Jim Titus, EPA Region 2
- 9:45am - A Status Update on Local Indicators of Sea Level Rise
 - Rick Lathrop – Rutgers, Center for Remote Sensing and Spatial Analysis
 - Stew Farrell – Stockton College
 - Norb Psuty – Rutgers, IMCS
 - John Miller – Steven Institute
- 10:45am – Science Panel Q &A
- 11:15am – Break
- 11:30am - State and Federal Planning for SLR
 - To Be Determined- FEMA
 - Jeff Gebert - Chief Coastal Section, Army Corps of Engineers - Philadelphia District
 - Marjorie Kaplan - NJ DEP's Office of Climate and Energy
- 12:00pm – Sea Level Rise Planning Tools and Adaptation Strategies
 - ID'ing Hazard Areas in the Delaware Bay – John D'Agostino, NJ Coastal Zone Management Office
 - SLR Mapping Online – The Nature Conservancy, Sarah Newkirk
 - Living Shorelines – Danielle Kreeger, Partnership for the Delaware Estuary Program
 - Floodplain A and V Zones – Joe Ruggeri – NJDEP, NJ State National Floodplain Insurance Program Coordinators Office
- 1:00pm – Lunch

- 1:45pm - Community Engagement and Addressing Barriers to Adaptation - University of Washington's Climate Impacts Group
- 2:15pm – Conversation Café - From Knowledge to Adaption...Getting Through the In-between
 1. Identify vulnerabilities
 2. Discuss barriers to adaptation
 3. Identify areas where additional support is needed
- 3:30pm – Break with Vendors
- 4:00pm –Café Report Out and Next Steps
- 4:30pm - Conclude