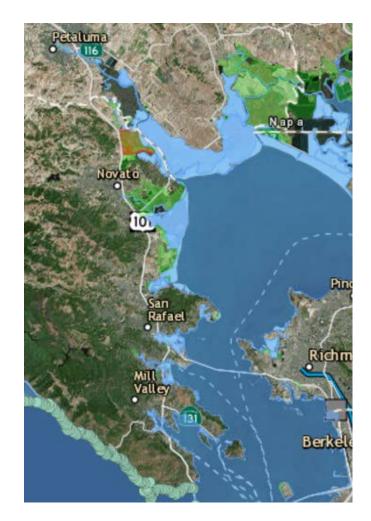


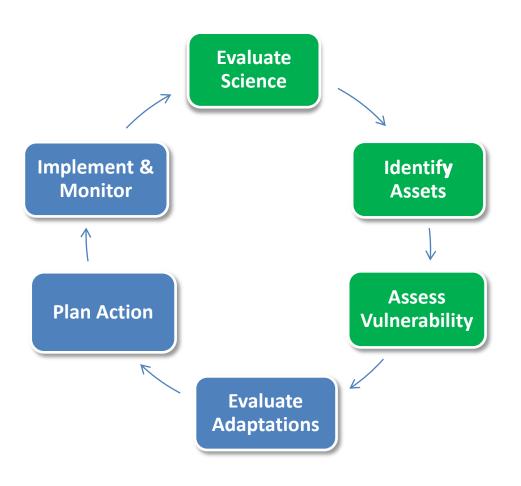
What we did

- Marin County led a project to quantify the impacts to our communities and infrastructure from sea level rise and storms
- Involved public and private stakeholders and coordinated with all cities and towns, and with local, regional, and state agencies to understand how the impacts affect Marin



Our Coast Our Future web viewer displaying 10 inches of sea level rise with the 100-year storm, which is comparable to our winter storms.

What is a Vulnerability Assessment?

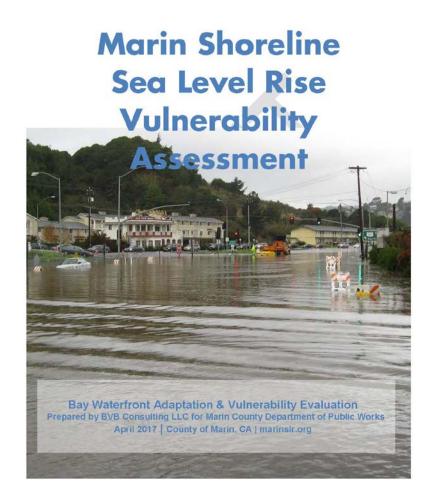


Marin County is using State guidance to assess our vulnerability to sea level rise.

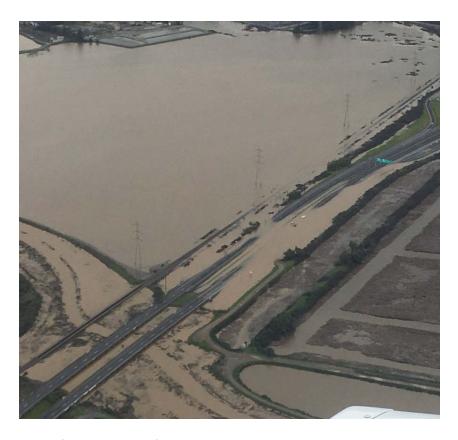
- A Vulnerability
 Assessment uses map based data to catalog
 what is exposed and how
 sensitive it is to sea level
 rise
- It builds a foundation for understanding and planning for sea level rise adaptation

Marin's report – what it is

- A study of the bay shoreline
- Used the best available science combined with over 100 stakeholder interviews
- A summary of the findings presented in two major sections: Assets and Locations
 - Assets include: land, buildings, transportation, utilities, agriculture, habitats and wildlife, recreation, emergency services, and cultural resources



Why we did it



Highway 37 during winter 2017 storms. The roadway was closed for a record 27 days this winter due to flooding.

- The flooding that Marin already experiences will become the "new normal"
- Rising seas will make current winter flooding conditions permanent
- Our infrastructure is aging – knowing what is at risk across the region will make planning more timely and costeffective

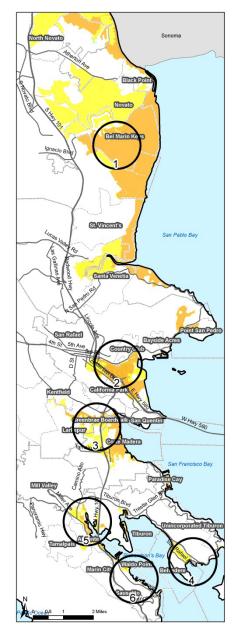
Why we did it

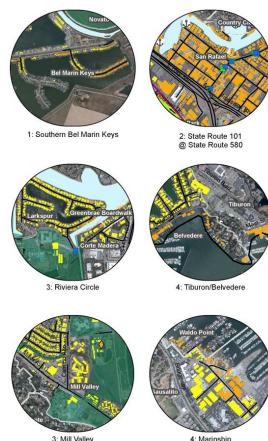
- It's a slow-moving emergency that needs our attention now
- Flooding, whether from a storm event of rising seas, knows no boundaries, and we will all be affected
- Public and private collaboration is essential to address the issues we will face as a community



What it isn't

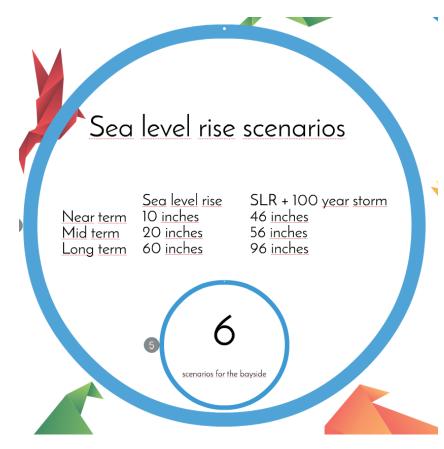
- Does not change existing policies or regulations
- Does not prioritize areas or suggest adaptation measures
- Does not include flooding from creeks or stormwater systems
- Does not incorporate field work





Mid-century projections from the Vulnerability Assessment: 20 inches of sea level rise and 20 inches with the 100year storm

How we did it



Sea level rise scenarios used for the Vulnerability Assessment

- Used a statewide sea level rise model developed by the United States Geological Survey (Google: Our Coast Our Future to view over 40 scenarios!)
- Analyzed the impacts of 6 scenarios, ranging from 10 inches to 96 inches of sea level rise
- Describes the impacts in text, graphics, and tables by individual assets and then lumped by community

What does it say?

- Impacts will extend beyond the flooded shoreline edge and will change our county in the future
 - Transportation, emergency services, water, sewer and other utilities, as well as many neighborhoods, commercial areas, and public areas like beaches, wetlands and our access to the water

| IMPACTS AT-A- | GLANCE: SCENARIO 2 |
|--|--|
| 5,000 acres flooded @ MHHW | 200,000+ residents plus commuting employees |
| 8,000 acres flooded @ MHHW +100-year storm surge | 2,000 agricultural acres (mostly ranch) |
| 4,500 homes, businesses, & institutions | Property Owners County of Marin Municipalities Caltrans Sanitary Districts |
| 80 miles of wet road, 3 ferry landings, 5 marinas, 4 boat launches | Water Districts Fire Districts Sausalito Police Department CHP SMART |
| Beaches Tidal Marshes Eelgrass beds Wetlands | GGBHTD MTA PG&E AT&T CADFW |

What happens in San Rafael?

IMPACTS AT-A-GLANCE: SCENARIO 6

| 2,121 acres | 58,000 people | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| 4,700+ living units | | | |
| 7.5 road miles | 475 commercial | | |
| Storm and tidal impacts already occur | parcels | | |
| \$2.6 billion in assessed property value; \$1.7 billion in single-family home market value ¹² | City of San Rafael San Rafael Sanitation District Property Owners HOAs Caltrans | | |

Map 96. San Rafael Sea Level Rise and 100-year Storm Surge Scenarios

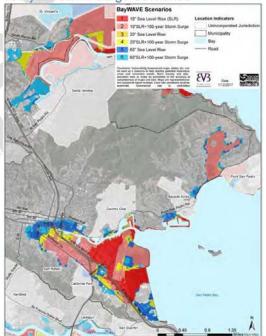


Table 104. San Rafael Vulnerable Parcels by Land Uses

| | Scenarios | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----|-----------------|-----|-----------|-----|--|
| Land Use | 1 | | 3 | | 5 | | |
| | Near-term | | Medium- term | | Long-term | | |
| | # | Ac. | # | Ac. | # | Ac. | |
| Commercial Improved | 116 | 98 | 213 | 267 | 419 | 527 | |
| Commercial Unimproved | 16 | 89 | 21 | 108 | 54 | 149 | |
| Common Area | 2 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 20 | 26 | |
| Industrial Improved | 45 | 21 | 97 | 50 | 153 | 83 | |
| Industrial Unimproved | 3 | 0.6 | 7 | 1 | 17 | 5 | |
| Residential | 492 | 46 | 883 | 88 | 1,798 | 196 | |
| Mobile Home | | | | | 154 | 1 | |
| Multi-Family Improved | 78 | 34 | 104 | 44 | 136 | 54 | |
| Multi-Family Unimproved | 2 | 0.2 | 3 | 0.6 | 4 | 1 | |
| Single Family Attached | 382 | 5 | 634 | 10 | 1,084 | 38 | |
| Single Family Improved | 20 | 4 | 127 | 31 | 390 | 76 | |
| Single Family Unimproved | 8 | 3 | 12 | 3 | 27 | 26 | |
| Tax Exempt | 22 | 53 | 57 | 193 | 159 | 530 | |
| Exemption Improved | 13 | 6 | 18 | 10 | 22 | 12 | |
| Exemption Unimproved | C.CA | | | | 1 | 0.5 | |

Source: MarinMap, CoSMoS

Table 103. San Rafael Vulnerable Residential and Commercial Parcels

| | | | Scena | arios | | |
|-------------|----------------|----|-------------|-------|--------|-----|
| Land Use | Near-term 1 | | Medi ter | | Long-t | erm |
| | | | 3 | | 5 | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Residential | 492 | 3 | 883 | 6 | 1,798 | 12 |
| Commercial | 132 | 11 | 234 | 19 | 475 | 40 |
| Industrial | 48 | 17 | 104 | 37 | 170 | 61 |

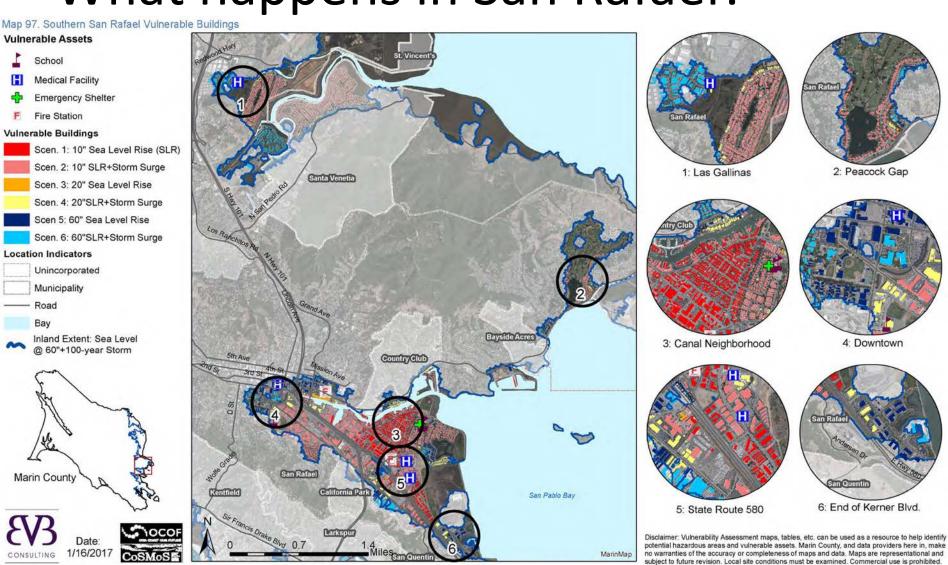
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Table 105. San Rafael Vulnerable Buildings by Scenario

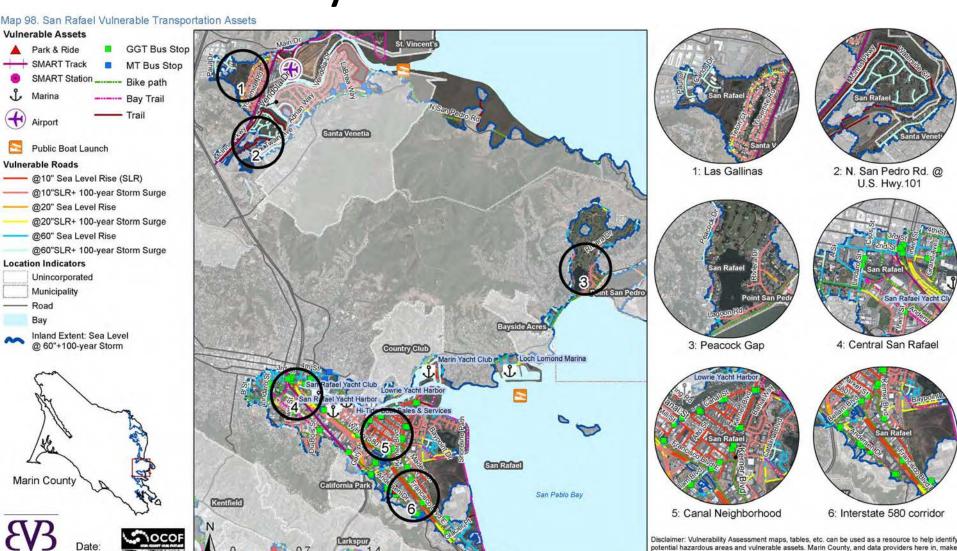
| Scenarios | | Buildings | | |
|-------------|---|-----------|----|--|
| | | # | % | |
| Near-term | 1 | 410 | 2 | |
| | 2 | 1,846 | 10 | |
| Medium-term | 3 | 1,088 | 6 | |
| | 4 | 2,097 | 11 | |
| Long-term | 5 | 2,495 | 13 | |
| | 6 | 3,247 | 18 | |

Source: MarinMap, CoSMoS

What happens in San Rafael?



Doesn't stay in San Rafael....



no warranties of the accuracy or completeness of maps and data. Maps are representational and

What did we learn?



- There are no solutions that "fix" everything
- There is a lot to do!
- And there is also a lot we CAN do, especially if we start planning now
- We're in this together

What's next?



1982 flooding at Jackson's Hardware

- Planning for adaptation will occur over time and involve the public and multiple agencies and jurisdictions
- Public review draft is available. Written comments due May 29th to Chris Choo,

cchoo@marincounty.org

- Civic Center 308, BOS, Library
- San Rafael, Corte Madera,
 Novato, Mill Valley,
 Tiburon/Belvedere



Thank you

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