

Preparing for Change: Building Resilient Coastal Communities

City of Aransas Pass
Aransas Pass Civic Center
700 W. Wheeler Avenue
Aransas Pass, TX 78336

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Agenda

- 8:45 AM Coffee
- 9:00 AM Welcome and Introductions
- 9:15 AM **Problem: Coastal Communities at Risk**
- 10:00 AM **Overview of Coastal Resilience Science and Opportunities**
- 10:15 AM **Coastal Resilience 2.0 Tool: Understanding Existing and Future Conditions**
- 10:15 AM Activity 1 – Case Study on Hazard Exposure
- 10:45 AM BREAK
- 11:00 AM Activity 2 – Case Study on Social Vulnerability/Sensitivity
- 11:30 AM Activity 3 – Case Study on Ecological Vulnerability
- 12:00 PM LUNCH (provided)
- 1:00 PM **Solution: Increase our Resilience**
- 1:00 PM **Activity 4 – Identifying Solutions using the Coastal Resilience Tool**
- 2:00 PM Case Study: City of Aransas Pass Resilience Planning
- 2:45 PM BREAK
- 3:00 PM **Local Solutions Discussion** – Talk about local issues and look at how tools can assist with planning for those issues.
- 3:45 PM Wrap up and Additional Resources
- 4:00 PM Meeting Adjourn



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