

Scituate Harbor Resiliency Master Plan

Task Force Meeting #1

June 18th, 2019



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Task Force Meeting #1 Agenda

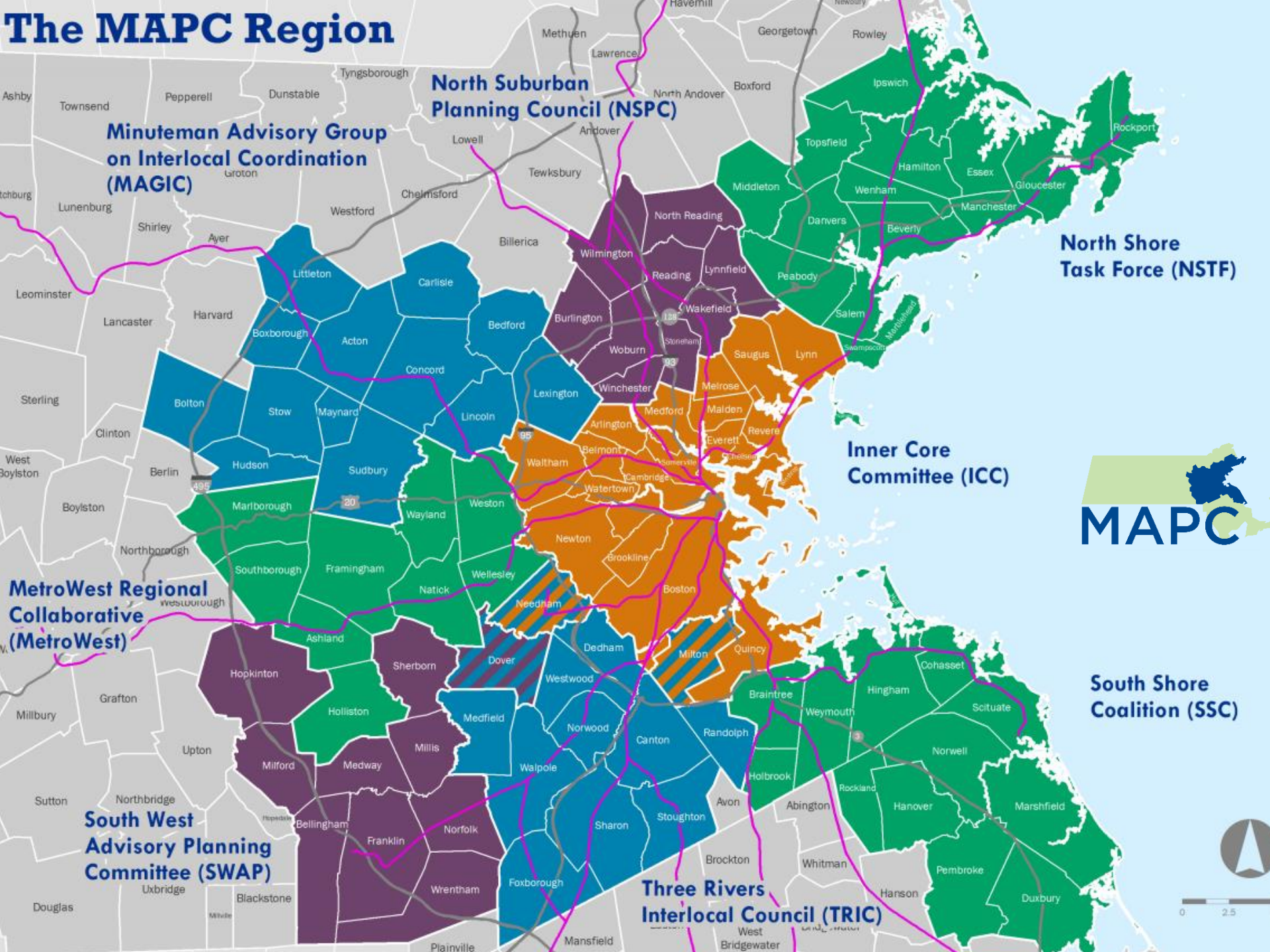
- **Introductions**
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- **Community Engagement Plan**
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- **Share Your Experiences and Concerns**
- **Next Steps**



Introductions



The MAPC Region



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MAPC Staff



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Principal Planner



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Community Engagement Coordinator



Town of Scituate Staff

- **Kyle Boyd**
Coastal Management Officer
- **Brad Washburn**
Director of Planning and Development

Invited Task Force Members

- **Anthony Vegnani** *Selectmen Chairman*
- **Brad Washburn** *Planning & Development Director*
- **Brian Kelly** *Chairman of Waterways Committee*
- **Frank Snow** *Chairman Conservation Commission*
- **James Boudreau** *Scituate Cultural District Committee Member*
- **John Murphy** *Fire Chief*
- **Kevin Cafferty** *DPW Director*
- **Louise Pfund** *Chairperson Coastal Advisory Commission*
- **Lynda Ferguson** *President Scituate Chamber of Commerce*
- **Michele Wood** *President of Scituate Harbor Business Association*
- **Sarah Smith** *Chairperson Cultural Council*
- **Stephen Mone** *Harbor Master*
- **Sue DiPesa** *Chairperson Economic Development Commission*
- *(Open Seat)*
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Study Introduction



Scope of Work

- **Task 1: Existing Conditions**
- **Task 2: Review of Relevant Plans and Policies**
- **Task 3: Resiliency Assessment and Action Plan**
- **Task 4: Vision Plan and Zoning Recommendations**
- **Task 5: Implementation Plan**
- **Task 6: Community Engagement**

Project Outcomes

- **Detailed Resiliency Assessment**
- **Solutions with Synergy Identified**
- **Project Champions Enabled**
- **Shared Interests Supported**



Study Area



Study Area Digital Model



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Previous Studies

- *Building a Resilient Scituate: Climate Vulnerability and Action Plan, 2018*
- *Scituate Zoning Bylaw Audit, 2017*
- *South Shore Chamber of Commerce Regional Development Strategy, 2017*
- *Harbor Parking Management Plan, 2016*
- *Scituate Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan, 2016*
- *Scituate Harbor Cultural District, 2015*
- *Scituate Housing Production Plan, 2015*
- *Harbor Parking Study, 2015*
- *Water Conservation Plan, 2015*
- *Scituate Economic Development Plan, 2014*
- *Harbor Planning and Streetscape Plan, 2003*
- *Scituate Wastewater Master Plan*
- *Zoning Regulations, floodplain regulations, and other land use codes*
- *Wayfinding Program, on-going*
- *Civic organization initiatives (Community Preservation Act, Affordable Housing Trust, Cultural District, SCC, HBA, etc.)*

Case Studies

- *Boston Climate Ready Neighborhood Planning: East Boston and others*
- *NYC Planning Resilient Neighborhoods: Sheepshead Bay and others*
- *Estes Park Downtown Plan: A Vision for a Resilient Future*



Schedule

Task	Year/Month													
	2019							2020						
	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	01	02	03	04	05	06
Task 1 – Existing Conditions	█													
Task 2 – Review of Relevant Plans and Policies	█													
Task 3 – Resiliency Assessment and Action Plan			█											
Task 4 – Vision Plans/Zoning Amendments					█									
Task 5 – Implementation Plan											█			
Task 6 – Community Engagement	<i>Preparation and Engagement</i>				<i>More Public-facing Engagement</i>									
Task Force Meetings		●		●		●		●		●		●		●
Community Engagement Meetings			●	●	●			●			●		●	●●



- Community Meeting and Board/Committee Presentations
- Community Open House
- Focus Group Meetings

Community Engagement Plan



Community Engagement Plan

- **Task Force**
- **Types of Events**
 - Focus Groups
 - Community Meetings
 - Community Open Houses
 - Presentations to Boards and Committees
- **Stakeholders – Who needs to be involved?**
- **Questions and discussion**



Task Force Role and Meetings



- **Task Force Members**
 - **Engage in and support this process**
 - **Plan advisors**
 - **Plan ambassadors**
 - **Project champions**
 - **8 Meetings (no more than 1 per month)**
 - *Other questions and discussion*



Share Your Experiences and Concerns



- **Help us get plugged into the “word on the street”**
- **Share your thoughts:**
 - **What works in Scituate Harbor? What doesn't?**
 - **What weather/coastal related issues have you experienced**
 - **What other resilience issues have you noticed?**
 - **What should resilience look like for Scituate Harbor?**
 - **What do you want this study to accomplish?**
 - ***Other questions and discussion***



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Next Steps

- Existing conditions analysis
- Getting informed and engaged
- Previous study review
- Preparing for and setting up focus group meetings

