Interagency Flooding & Sea Level Rise Memorandum of Understanding

Bay Area Regional Collaborative Governing Board July 19, 2024















At a Glance: Roles and Responsibilities

	ABAG/ SFEP	BAAQMD	BARC	BCDC	Caltrans D4	МТС	SCC	Water Board
Planning			\bigcirc				\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Fund Management				\bigcirc				\bigcirc
Technical Assistance	©							\bigcirc
Regulatory Alignment	\bigcirc		\bigcirc			\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Coordination			©				\bigcirc	\bigcirc







How we got here



Completed Regional Systems assessment describing each agency's roles for various climate hazards (Fall 2023) + MTC/ABAG/BCDC Sea Level Rise Funding and Investment Framework (Summer 2023)



Facilitated early stakeholder discussions for filling funding gap for range of projects needs along shoreline and supporting capacity needs of under-resourced communities (Fall 2023)



Staff and board members participated in discussions and drafting of MOU (Winter - Spring 2023)



Check-In with BARC Governing Board (December 2023, March 2024)



Circulated MOU (May – July 2024)

BCDC – May 16, 2024 SCC – June 6, 2024 MTC – June 26, 2024 ABAG – July 18, 2024 (pending)

Staff Recommendation

Approve the San Francisco Bay Area Interagency Flooding and Sea Level Rise Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) previously signed by the Executive leaders of the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG), also host of San Francisco Estuary Partnership (SFEP); the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD); the Bay Area Regional Collaborative (BARC); the California State Coastal Conservancy (The Conservancy); the California Department of Transportation District 4 (Caltrans D4); the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC); the San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission (BCDC); and the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (SF Bay Water Board) to coordinate efforts to address the threats of sea level rise and flooding in the San Francisco Bay Area.