Maine Climate Hub

Resources for decision makers and assistance providers

STATE PARTNERS

Resources are managed through interagency coordination with the Departments of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry; Inland Fisheries and Wildlife; Marine Resources; and Transportation; and, the agencies and offices of Maine Emergency Management Agency; Governor's Energy Office; and the Center for Disease Control.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

People in Maine are directly connected in their daily lives with changes in our region's climate, and are taking steps to adapt and build resilience. In recognition of work at state agencies, and by active organizations in Maine and our region, DEP maintains webpages to provide a Maine-focused and centralized directory of available climate resources.

GOALS

- Make local, state, and federal climate related resources relevant to Maine readily accessible
- Assist Maine communities through individual or coordinated responses to requests

DESIGN & CONTENT

Content on the climate hub is designed for entry - and technical-level users. Information is available to learn about what climate change is, what changes are occurring, what is impacted by changes, risk and vulnerability assessment tools and resources, case studies, topic-specific toolkits, and engaged practitioners for assis-



tance and expertise. Collectively this information can enable and enhance consideration of climate-related factors that affect communities, homes, or businesses, and can be integrated into decision making for short and long-term projects and plans.



Maine Climate Hub | <u>http://www.maine.gov/</u> <u>dep/sustainability/climate/index.html</u>

• Topics: Climate Explored, Mitigation Actions, Climate Trends & Data, Adaptation Actions, and the Adaptation Toolkit.

Adaptation Toolkit| <u>http://www.maine.gov/dep/</u> <u>sustainability/climate/adaptation-toolkit/</u> index.html

Topic-Specific Toolkits: 1. <u>Working Landscapes: Agriculture & Working Forests</u>, 2. <u>Ecosystems, Habitat, Wildlife, Open Spaces</u>, 3. <u>Marine Resources & Fisheries</u>, 4. <u>Energy& Communication</u>, 5. <u>Transportation</u>, 6. <u>Drinking Water, Wastewater Utilities, and Stormwater</u>, 7. <u>Buildings & Homes</u>, 8. <u>Community Planning</u>, 9. <u>Public Health & Serwices</u>, and 10. <u>Social Vulnerability</u>.

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