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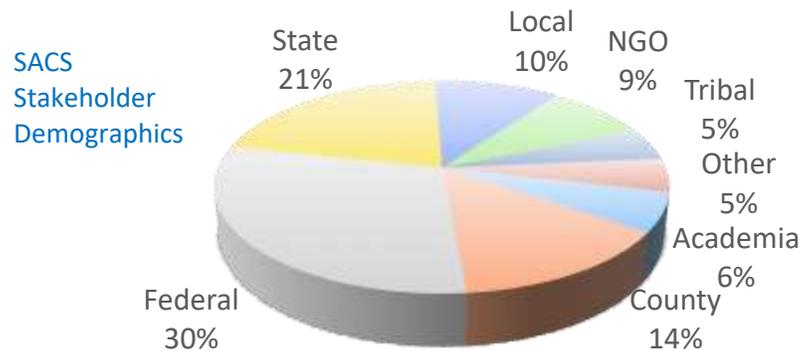
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SOUTH ATLANTIC STUDY STAKEHOLDERS

Stakeholder database is more than 1100 strong! The initial Vision Meeting held in February of 2019, had 400 attendees which was the start of building our valued stakeholders list. The team's outreach efforts have resulted in an increase to nearly three times that!



TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- ✓ Task orders awarded to CDM Smith to complete the PR and USVI territory appendices. A kick-off meeting between CDM Smith and the team was held on April 27th!
- ✓ Planning Technical Lead, Matt Schrader, and the District Project Delivery Teams conducted a series of webinars to review Command Team comments on completed state appendix sections.
- ✓ Economics Lead, Idris Dobbs, held a Measures and Cost Library (MCL) webinar. The draft Measures and Cost Library product is in the hands of districts for review and the appropriate enterprise RMOs are being engaged to obtain review of cost data prior to finalization.
- ✓ The viewer for Puerto Rico and the US Virgin Islands is complete! To improve the analysis for Puerto Rico and the USVI, territory-specific datasets were utilized for the infrastructure exposure index.





UP NEXT: VIRTUAL WORKSHOPS (Jun/Jul)

SAND

The Sand Availability and Needs Determination (SAND) Project Delivery Team (PDT) will conduct an internal technical workshop on 28 May. The purpose of the workshop is to review all project data and prepare district-specific presentations for SAND stakeholder workshops. The results of the SAND study will be summarized into five power point presentations (including maps and tables), one per district. The presentations will be presented at two-hour SAND stakeholder webinars for each of the five SAD districts in early June.

ENVIRONMENTAL

The SACS Environmental Workshops will obtain feedback on the identification of environmental resources including habitats and species in the study area vulnerable to increased coastal storms and sea level rise. Maps to be presented include the SACS Marsh Loss/Infrastructure and Population Analysis and SACS Habitat Loss and Sea Level Rise Analysis. USACE will solicit feedback from stakeholders on existing and planned projects and recommended measures to reduce risk.

FOCUS AREA ACTION STRATEGY

The FAAS workshops are set to commence in July. Stay tuned for more information on the schedule for our five SAD Districts.

