# Task 4.2 Annual Virginia Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting

**Follow-Up Survey Report** 



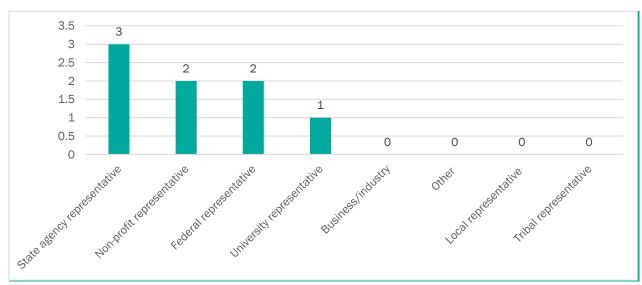




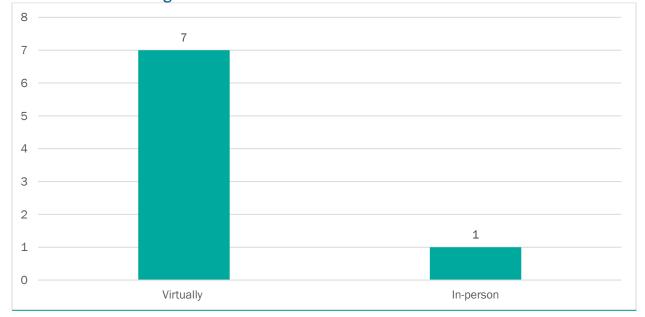
# **Annual Virginia Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting Survey Report**

#### **Summary Report**

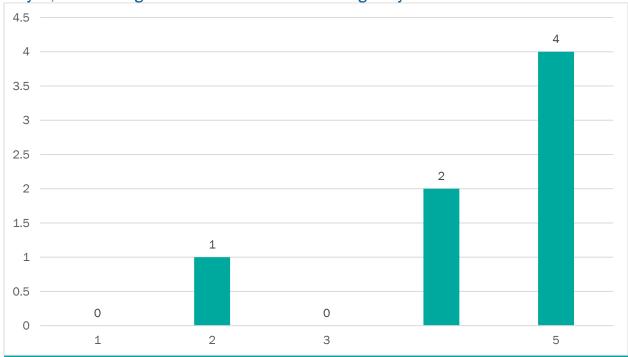
#### I am a:



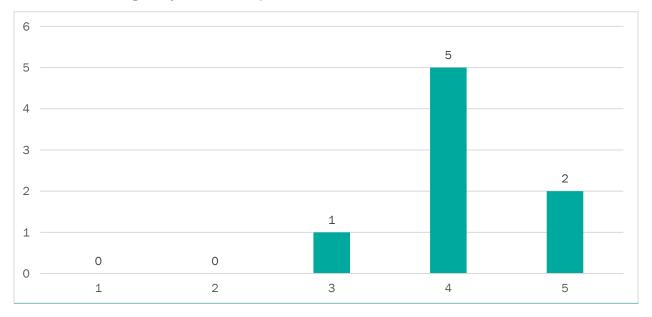
#### I attended this meeting:

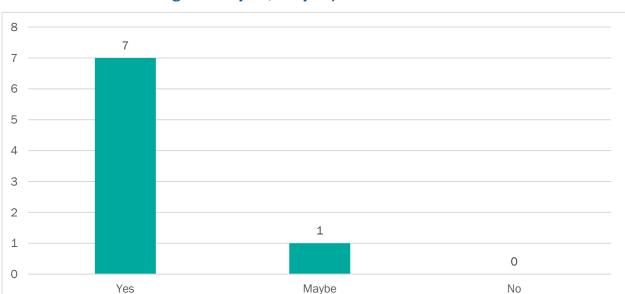


Indicate how valuable attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting was for you, with 1 being "not valuable at all" and 5 being "very valuable".



The objective of the Virginia Flood Protection Master Plan (VFPMP) presentation was to provide stakeholders with an understanding of the VFPMP process. Please indicate how well this objective was accomplished on a scale from 1-5, with 1 being "not accomplished at all" and 5 being "very well accomplished".





#### If DCR offers this event again next year, will you plan to attend?

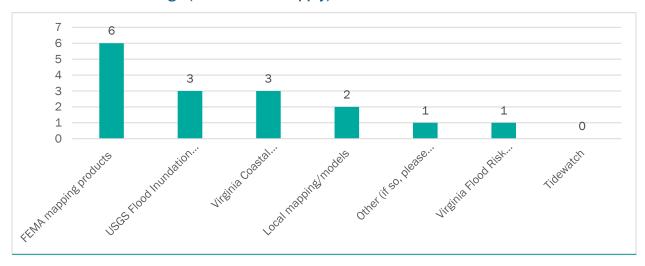
### Do you have any suggestions for how we can improve this meeting in the future? (1 response)

I was attending as a designee for the subcommittee meeting chair so I am not familiar
with how the rest of the process went over the time needed to develop
recommendations. I thought this meeting went very well. It was very smooth. Carolyn
kept things moving and the Launch team was very beneficial in helping understand what
attendees of the meeting wanted included in the recommendations.

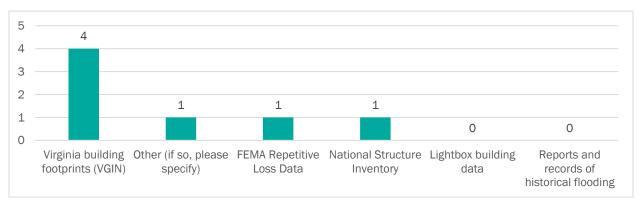
#### Are there any additional comments you would like to provide to DCR? (2 responses)

- Great meeting. Thanks!
- I wish I could be more helpful in my feedback. I'm new to the VFPMP, and I've been consumed by the HurricaneHelene response and recovery for the last few weeks. The kickoff was a good primer, and I'll be watching for howwe can better assist as this develops.

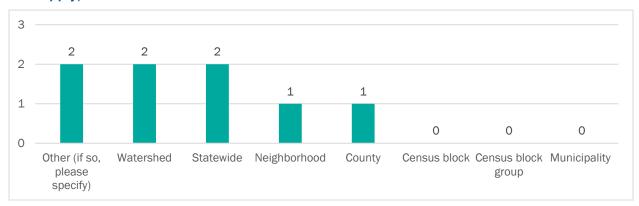
Your agency or organization may use flood data in different roles (e.g. as regulators, as landowners, as grant managers, etc.) Under any of those roles, what data do you currently use to examine flooding? (select all that apply):



#### I use the following to understand my assets at risk (select all that apply):



## I find flood data at the \_\_\_\_\_ spatial scale to be most helpful in my work (select all that apply):



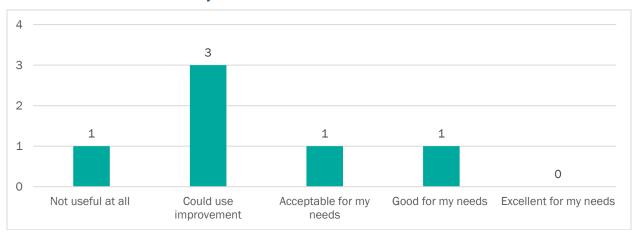
Your agency may use flood data in different roles (e.g. as regulators, as landowners, as grant managers, etc.)

Under any of those roles, indicate how do you use the flood and asset data with 1 being No Use/Infrequent Use and 5 being Very Frequent Use).

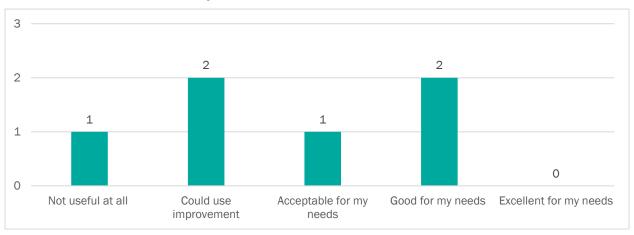
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Looking at current flood exposure (who or what is affected by flooded now)	3.71	4.00	7
Looking at future flood exposure	3.71	4.00	7
Looking at depth of Flooding	4.00	4.50	6
Planning for future development	2.50	2.50	6
Planning flood mitigation measures	3.00	3.00	6
Design of flood mitigation measures	3.00	3.00	6
Defining floodproofing requirements/regulations	3.40	5.00	5
Emergency response planning	3.00	3.00	5
Determining regulatory/permit compliance	2.67	2.00	6
Evaluating potential environmental impacts	2.60	2.00	5
Prioritize areas or assets (for any reason, including floodproofing/mitigation, detailed study, or community outreach, etc)	4.00	5.00	5

Selecting projects to receive funding from the Commonwealth	1.40	1.00	5
Grant applications	2.80	3.00	5
Other	2.33	1.00	3

#### I find the flood data I currently use to be:

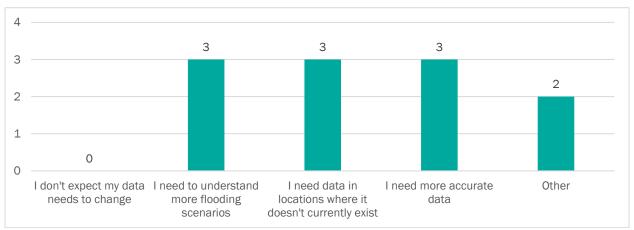


#### I find the asset data I currently use to be:



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#### How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 5 years? (select all that apply):



#### Other

• I don't quite understand which components of my agency are using flood data yet.

#### How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 10 years? (select all that apply):



#### **Appendix: Individual Responses**

#### **RESPONDENT 1**

RESPONDENT 1	
I am a:	Non-profit organization representative
I participated in this meeting:	N/A
Indicate the value of attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting	1
Indicate how objective was met	3
Attend again?	Yes
Improvements?	N/A
Additional initiatives or activities?	N/A
Additional Comments	N/A
What data do you currently use to examine flooding?	FEMA mapping products
I use the following to understand my assets at risk	Virginia building footprints (VGIN)
Which special scale is the most helpful?	Statewide

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I am a:	State agency representative
I participated in this meeting:	Virtually
Indicate the value of attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting	4
Indicate how objective was met	4
Attend again?	Yes
Improvements?	N/A
Additional initiatives or activities?	N/A
Additional Comments	I wish I could be more helpful in my feedback. I'm new to the VFPMP, and I've been consumed by the Hurricane Helene response and recovery for the last few weeks. The kickoff was a good primer, and I'll be watching for how we can better assist as this develops.
What data do you currently use to examine flooding?	N/A
I use the following to understand my assets at risk	N/A
Which special scale is the most helpful?	Statewide

How Frequently do you use flood asset data under the following roles?			
Looking at current flood exposure (who or what is affected by flooded now)			
Looking at future flood exposure			
Looking at depth of Flooding		N/A	
Planning for future development		N/A	
Planning flood mitigation measures		N/A	
Design of flood mitigation measures		N/A	
Defining floodproofing requirements/regul	ations	N/A	
Emergency response planning		N/A	
Determining regulatory/permit compliance		3	
Evaluating potential environmental impact	s	N/A	
Prioritize areas or assets (for any reason, i detailed study, or community outreach, etc.		N/A	
Selecting projects to receive funding from	the Commonwealth	N/A	
Grant applications		N/A	
Other		N/A	
I find the flood data I currently use to be:	N/A		
I find the asset data I currently use to be:	N/A		
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 5 years? (select all that apply)	Other: I don't quite understand which components of my agency are using flood data yet.		
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 10 years? (select all that apply)		narios.	
	Other: I don't quite understand which component my agency are using flood data yet.	ents of	
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Name	Justin Hall		
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I am a:	Non-profit organization representative
I participated in this meeting:	Virtually
Indicate the value of attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting	5
Indicate how objective was met	5
Attend again?	Yes
Improvements?	N/A
Additional initiatives or activities?	N/A
Additional Comments	N/A
What data do you currently use to examine flooding?	Virginia Coastal Resiliency Master Plan flood layers FEMA mapping products USGS Flood Inundation Mapper Local mapping/models
I use the following to understand my assets at risk	National Structure Inventory
Which special scale is the most helpful?	Watershed

How Frequently do you use flood asset data under the following	lowing roles?	
Looking at current flood exposure (who or what is affected by flooded now)		
Looking at future flood exposure		5
Looking at depth of Flooding		5
Planning for future development		3
Planning flood mitigation measures		3
Design of flood mitigation measures		4
Defining floodproofing requirements/regulations		5
Emergency response planning		5
Determining regulatory/permit compliance		5
Evaluating potential environmental impacts		5
Prioritize areas or assets (for any reason, including floodproofing/mitigation, detailed study, or community outreach, etc)		5
Selecting projects to receive funding from the Commonwe	ealth	1
Grant applications		3
Other		1
I find the flood data I currently use to be:	Could use improvement	
I find the asset data I currently use to be:	Good for my needs	
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 5 years? (select all that apply)  I need to understand more flooding scenarios		)
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 10 years? (select all that apply)  I need data in locations whit doesn't currently exist		nere
Contact Information		
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I am a:	State agency representative
I participated in this meeting:	Virtually
Indicate the value of attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting	5
Indicate how objective was met	4
Attend again?	Yes
Improvements?	I was attending as a designee for the subcommittee meeting chair so I am not familiar with how the rest of the process went over the time needed to develop recommendations. I thought this meeting went very well. It was very smooth. Carolyn kept things moving and the Launch team was very beneficial in helping understand what attendees of the meeting wanted included in the recommendations.
Additional initiatives or activities?	N/A
Additional Comments	Great meeting. Thanks!

How Frequently do you use flood asset data under the follo	owing roles?	
Looking at current flood exposure (who or what is affected by flooded now)		
Looking at future flood exposure	1	
Looking at depth of Flooding	1	
Planning for future development	1	
Planning flood mitigation measures	1	
Design of flood mitigation measures	1	
Defining floodproofing requirements/regulations	1	
Emergency response planning	1	
Determining regulatory/permit compliance	1	
Evaluating potential environmental impacts	1	
Prioritize areas or assets (for any reason, including floodproofing/mitigation, detailed study, or community outreach, etc)		
Selecting projects to receive funding from the Commonwea	alth 1	
Grant applications	1	
Other		
I find the flood data I currently use to be:	Not useful at all	
I find the asset data I currently use to be:	Not useful at all	
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 5 years? (select all that apply) $N/A$		
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 10 years? (select all that apply) $N/A$		
Contact Information		
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I am a:	State agency representative
I participated in this meeting:	In-person
Indicate the value of attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting	5
Indicate how objective was met	4
Attend again?	Yes
Improvements?	N/A
Additional initiatives or activities?	N/A
Additional Comments	N/A
What data do you currently use to examine flooding?	Virginia Coastal Resiliency Master Plan flood layers
	FEMA mapping products
	USGS Flood Inundation Mapper
I use the following to understand my assets at risk	Virginia building footprints (VGIN)
Which special scale is the most helpful?	Neighborhood

How Frequently do you use flood asset data under the following roles?	
Looking at current flood exposure (who or what is affected by flooded now)	3
Looking at future flood exposure	4
Looking at depth of Flooding	4
Planning for future development	1
Planning flood mitigation measures	1
Design of flood mitigation measures	1
Defining floodproofing requirements/regulations	1
Emergency response planning	4
Determining regulatory/permit compliance	1
Evaluating potential environmental impacts	4
Prioritize areas or assets (for any reason, including floodproofing/mitigation, detailed study, or community outreach, etc)	5
Selecting projects to receive funding from the Commonwealth	3
Grant applications	4
Other	5

Other (text): Evaluating impacts to cultural resources

**Phone Number** 

Email

I find the flood data I currently use to be:	Acceptable for my needs
I find the asset data I currently use to be:	Acceptable for my needs
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 5 years? (select all that apply)	I need data in locations where it doesn't currently exist I need more accurate data
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 10 years? (select all that apply)	I need to understand more flooding scenarios I need data in locations where it doesn't currently exist I need more accurate data
Contact Information	
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I am a:	University representative
I participated in this meeting:	Virtually
Indicate the value of attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting	5
Indicate how objective was met	5
Attend again?	Yes
Improvements?	
Additional initiatives or activities?	
Additional Comments	
What data do you currently use to examine flooding?	Virginia Coastal Resiliency Master Plan flood layers
	FEMA mapping products
	USGS Flood Inundation Mapper
	Local mapping/models
I use the following to understand my assets at risk	Virginia building footprints (VGIN)
Which special scale is the most helpful?	All of the above

How Frequently do you use flood asset data under the following roles?			
Looking at current flood exposure (who or	Looking at current flood exposure (who or what is affected by flooded now)		
Looking at future flood exposure		5	
Looking at depth of Flooding		5	
Planning for future development		5	
Planning flood mitigation measures		5	
Design of flood mitigation measures		5	
Defining floodproofing requirements/regul	ations	N/A	
Emergency response planning		N/A	
Determining regulatory/permit compliance		N/A	
Evaluating potential environmental impacts		N/A	
Prioritize areas or assets (for any reason, including floodproofing/mitigation, detailed study, or community outreach, etc)		N/A	
Selecting projects to receive funding from the Commonwealth		N/A	
Grant applications		5	
Other		N/A	
Other		N/A	
Other  I find the <u>flood</u> data I currently use to be:	Could use improvement	N/A	
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I am a:	Federal government representative
I participated in this meeting:	Virtually
Indicate the value of attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting	4
Indicate how objective was met	4
Attend again?	Maybe
Improvements?	N/A
Additional initiatives or activities?	N/A
Additional Comments	N/A
What data do you currently use to examine flooding?	Virginia Flood Risk Information System FEMA mapping products
I use the following to understand my assets at risk	Virginia building footprints (VGIN)
Which special scale is the most helpful?	Watershed

How Frequently do you use flood asset data	How Frequently do you use flood asset data under the following roles?			
Looking at current flood exposure (who or what is affected by flooded now)				
Looking at future flood exposure		3		
Looking at depth of Flooding		4		
Planning for future development		3		
Planning flood mitigation measures		3		
Design of flood mitigation measures		2		
Defining floodproofing requirements/regulations		5		
Emergency response planning		3		
Determining regulatory/permit compliance		4		
Evaluating potential environmental impacts		2		
Prioritize areas or assets (for any reason, including floodproofing/mitigation, detailed study, or community outreach, etc)		5		
Selecting projects to receive funding from the Commonwealth		1		
Grant applications		N/A		
Other		N/A		
I find the flood data I currently use to be:	Could use improvement			
I find the asset data I currently use to be:	Could use improvement			
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 5 years? (select all that apply)	I need to understand more flooding scenarios			
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I am a:	Federal government representative
I participated in this meeting:	Virtually
Indicate the value of attending the 2024 Flood Preparedness Coordination Meeting	5
Indicate how objective was met	4
Attend again?	Yes
Improvements?	N/A
Additional initiatives or activities?	N/A
Additional Comments	N/A
What data do you currently use to examine flooding?	FEMA mapping products
I use the following to understand my assets at risk	FEMA Repetitive Loss Data
Which special scale is the most helpful?	County

How Frequently do you use flood asset data under the following roles?				
Looking at current flood exposure (who or what is affected by flooded now)				
Looking at future flood exposure		5		
Looking at depth of Flooding		5		
Planning for future development		2		
Planning flood mitigation measures		5		
Design of flood mitigation measures		5		
Defining floodproofing requirements/regulations		5		
Emergency response planning		2		
Determining regulatory/permit compliance		1		
Evaluating potential environmental impacts		1		
Prioritize areas or assets (for any reason, including floodproofing/mitigation, detailed study, or community outreach, etc)		4		
Selecting projects to receive funding from the Commonwealth		1		
Grant applications		1		
Other	Other			
I find the flood data I currently use to be:	Good for my needs			
I find the asset data I currently use to be:	Good for my needs			
How do you see your use of flood data changing over the 5 years? (select all that apply)	I need data in locations where it doesn't currently exist I need more accurate data			
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Contact Information				
Name	N/A			
Phone Number	N/A			
Email	N/A			