Sustainability & Resiliency Action Plan



County Administration

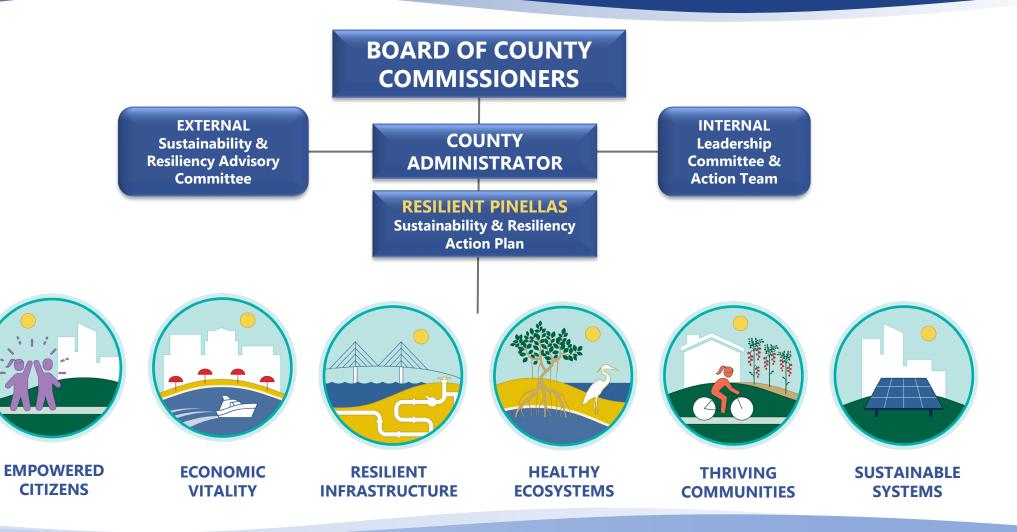
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Organizational Structure





SRAP Development & Alignment



Focus Areas, Goals & Action Items informed by:

- Baseline Assessment
- Internal Engagement
- Local and Regional Best Practices
- Prioritization Process
- External Engagement
 - Sustainability and Resiliency Advisory Committee
 - Public Survey













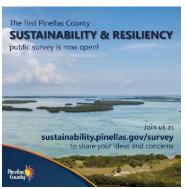
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Sustainability and Resiliency Public Survey











- Open for four weeks (Fall of 2021)
- 1,299 survey responses
- Gained important insight on:
 - climate change
 - **Visibility** of efforts
 - Stresses and barriers
 - Future actions
- Survey results helped to inform plan development

Top shocks or stressors from survey participants:



ALGAL BLOOMS 75.6%



LACK OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING 55.0%



HURRICANES, 74.6%



POOR WATER QUALITY IN RIVERS, LAKES AND BAYS, 41.1%



COASTAL HAZARDS, 62.1%



AGING INFRASTRUCTURE, 40.7%



SEVERE STORMS & RAINFALL, 50.9%



TRAFFIC & CONGESTION, 40.7%



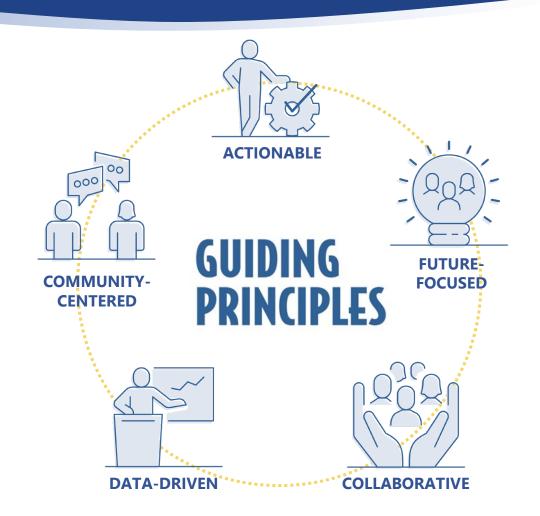
Vision and Guiding Principles



OUR VISION:

Pinellas County sets the standard for sustainability and resiliency practice by integrating its resources, embracing innovation and setting bold policy to support future generations.







SRAP Focus Areas





EMPOWERED CITIZENS

- 2 Goals
- 3 Existing Best Practices
- 10 Proposed Future Action Items



THRIVING COMMUNITIES

- 3 Goals
- 6 Existing Best Practices
- 10 Proposed Future Action Items



RESILIENT INFRASTRUCTURE

- **3** Goals
- 9 Existing Best Practices
- 9 Proposed Future Action Items



ECONOMIC VITALITY

- 3 Goals
- 5 Existing Best Practices
- 7 Proposed Future Action Items



HEALTHY ECOSYSTEMS

- 3 Goals
- 5 Existing Best Practices
- 8 Proposed Future Action Items



SUSTAINABLE SYSTEMS

- 4 Goals
- 10 Existing Best Practices
- 13 Proposed Future Action Items

Preliminary New Initiatives





EMPOWERED CITIZENS

- Neighborhood Resilience Hubs
- New public education campaigns
- Health in All Policies data portal
- Awareness of green building incentives



THRIVING COMMUNITIES

- Mobility analysis for employment centers
- Food recovery networks
- New opportunity zones for resilient development
- Update Post-Disaster Redevelopment Plan



RESILIENT INFRASTRUCTURE

- Adaptation Action Areas
- Expanding policies from vulnerability assessments
- Green infrastructure pilot projects
- Parametric Insurance



ECONOMIC VITALITY

- Residential mitigation/retrofit program
- Accessory dwelling unit (ADU) pilot program
- Green business marketing campaigns



HEALTHY ECOSYSTEMS

- Recreation, Open Space and Cultural Systems Master Plan
- Parks as living laboratories
- Support habitat migration



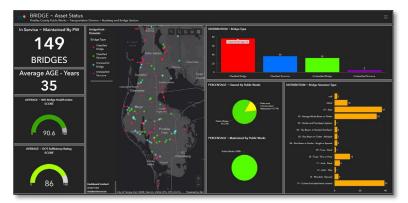
SUSTAINABLE SYSTEMS

- Energy audits for facilities and structures
- Micro-grids at critical facilities
- Solar feasibility analyses

Implementation: Leadership and Decision-Making



- 1) We will **commit the organization's resources to execute** the goals and actions of the Sustainability
 & Resiliency Action Plan.
- 2) We will **integrate** sustainability and resiliency into **existing processes** and track **future performance**.
- 3) We will foster a **culture of innovation** to increase opportunity for more sustainable or resilient **outcomes**.



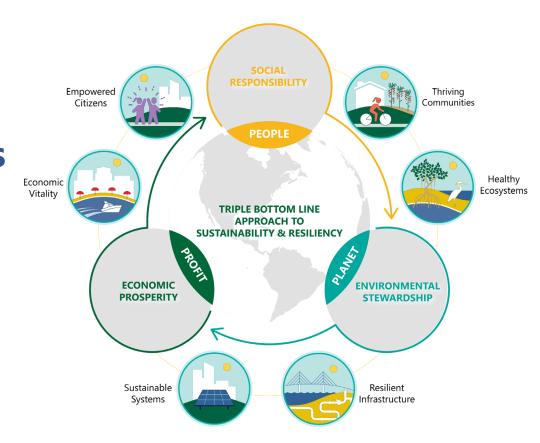




Other Implementation Measures



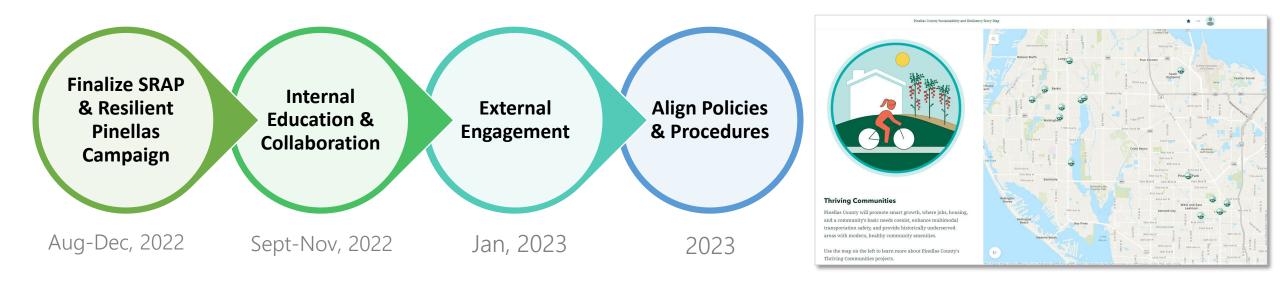
- Sea Level Rise and Storm Surge Vulnerability Assessment
- Green House Gas (GHG) Emissions Inventory
- Return on Investment Guidance
- Clean Energy Roadmap

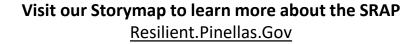




Looking Forward











Thank you!

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