

Capital Region Climate Readiness Collaborative Quarterly Meeting
Tuesday, June 9, 2015 – 9:00am– 12:00pm
City of Sacramento – New City Hall – Conference Room 1119
915 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

8:30 Check-In, Networking and Morning Refreshments

9:00 Welcome, Introductions and an Update on Recent CRC Efforts

Jenny Woods, Local Government Commission (LGC)

*Larry Greene, Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District (SMAQMD) and
Chair of the Capital Region Climate Readiness Collaborative*

**9:30 Enhancing Economic Resiliency in the Capital Region – An Update on the Business
Resiliency Initiative**

Introductory Presentation

Meg Arnold, Valley Vision

Panel Discussion

Supervisor Jennifer Montgomery, County of Placer

Robin Friedman, Regional Disaster Program Officer, Gold Country Region, Red Cross

Moustafa Abou-Taleb, Preparedness Branch Chief, CalOES

*Michael Cummings, Private Sector Liaison, External Affairs, FEMA Region IX, U.S.
Department of Homeland Security*

Small Group Discussion Questions

1. What benefits accrue to both the public and private sector as a result of greater interaction between them with respect to resiliency planning?
2. How can we motivate both the public and private sectors to interact more frequently and meaningfully with each other in resiliency planning efforts? Provide ideas about specific mechanisms, programs, etc. Are there specific contributions that BRI should seek to make in this regard?
3. What other efforts are occurring in this region that are helping to reduce the risks and the economic impacts of climate change on our business community and economy?
4. What else can we (CRC, key partners, etc.) do to reduce the risks and economic impacts of climate change to our business community and economy?

5. Who else do we need to work with in this region to advance these efforts?
6. What resources, knowledge or support do we need to be successful in these efforts?

10:40 Climate Action through Landscape Conservation

Michelle Passero, Senior Climate Policy Advisor, The Nature Conservancy (TNC)

Alex Leumer, Policy Associate, California Climate Change Program, TNC

John Nickerson, Principal Consultant, Dogwood Springs Forestry

Dick Cameron, Lead Scientist, Land Conservation Program, TNC

Elizabeth O'Donoghue, Director of Infrastructure and Land Use, TNC

Group Discussion Questions

1. How would this tool be valuable in your work?
2. How could this tool/project be made more valuable?

11:50 Closing Remarks

Jenny Woods, LGC

Larry Greene, SMAQMD and Chair of the Capital Region Climate Readiness Collaborative

12:00 Adjourn