

# The Joint Platform

9 actions, 21 tasks, 1 region *moving forward together*

## PEOPLE



### Action 1: Collaborate on a “One Bay” vision to adapt to rising sea levels.

- Task 1.1: Create a long-term regional vision rooted in communities, bay habitats, and the economy.
- Task 1.2: Lay the foundation for a proactive regional legislative agenda.

### Action 2: Elevate communities to lead.

- Task 2.1: Improve how communities and public agencies learn from each other and work together.
- Task 2.2: Fund the participation and leadership of community-based organizations (CBOs) and frontline communities in adaptation planning.

## INFORMATION



### Action 3: Broaden public understanding of climate change science and impacts.

- Task 3.1: Tell local and regional stories about people and places adapting to climate change.
- Task 3.2: Weave climate literacy into school programs.

### Action 4: Base plans and projects on the best science, data, and knowledge.

- Task 4.1: Align research and monitoring with information gaps.
- Task 4.2: Make scientific data, information, and guidance easier to use.
- Task 4.3: Increase access to technical consultants for local adaptation partners.

## PLANS



### Action 5: Align local and regional plans into a unified adaptation approach.

- Task 5.1: Provide incentives for robust, coordinated adaptation plans.
- Task 5.2: Align state-mandated planning processes around adaptation.

### Action 6: Figure out how to fund adaptation.

- Task 6.1: Expand understanding of the financial costs and revenues associated with regional adaptation.
- Task 6.2: Establish a framework for funding plans and projects.
- Task 6.3: Help cities and counties expand ways to fund adaptation planning and projects.

## PROJECTS



### Action 7: Refine and accelerate regulatory approvals processes.

- Task 7.1: Accelerate permitting for equitable, multi-benefit projects.
- Task 7.2: Tackle environmental regulations and policies that slow down progress on projects.

### Action 8: Fund and facilitate faster adaptation projects.

- Task 8.1: Incentivize projects that meet regional guidelines.
- Task 8.2: Encourage collaboration among people doing projects in the same places.
- Task 8.3: Facilitate faster construction of nature-based projects.

## PROGRESS



### Action 9: Track and report progress to guide future actions.

- Task 9.1: Measure regional progress using metrics and share results.
- Task 9.2: Monitor and learn from pilot projects.