

# Canton and Potsdam Climate Change Adaptation Workshop



March 7, 9, and 14, 2023

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## **Workshop Overview:**

This 3-part workshop focuses on understanding community vulnerabilities to climate change in Canton and Potsdam and then developing adaptation strategies to address those vulnerabilities. Participants will also learn how to use tools that are available for communities to enable climate-savvy decision making into the future.

**Time: 1-5pm ET each day (3/7, 3/9, 3/14) *Join at 12:45pm for technology check***

## **Meeting Log-in Information**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88599292859?pwd=YVBHbzBoTVNMZmxJTW1BK0R6aHdCQT09>

Meeting ID: 885 9929 2859

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- **Update Zoom** prior to the 1<sup>st</sup> session
- First time using Zoom, familiarize yourself by joining a test meeting at

<https://zoom.us/test>

***Workshop materials can be found online at:***

<http://ecoadapt.org/workshops/CantonPotsdamMarchWorkshop>

## Day 1: Climate Impacts

Tuesday, March 7

Time	Agenda Item	Presenter(s)
12:45 pm	Technology check	
1:00 pm	Welcoming remarks, overview, and introductions	Ann Heidenreich Lara Hansen Marc Stern
1:40 pm	Overview of adaptation planning process and case studies	Eric Mielbrecht
<b>2:00 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
2:10 pm	<i>Presentation and Activity:</i> Complete Step 1 of the Climate Change Adaptation Certification Tool	Lara Hansen, participants
2:30 pm	<i>Presentation:</i> Intro to Climate Change Impacts & Vulnerability Assessment	Laura Hilberg
<b>3:15 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
3:25 pm	<i>Presentation:</i> Orientation to the Rapid Vulnerability And Adaptation Tool (RVAT)	Lara Hansen
3:35 pm	<i>Breakout Group Activity:</i> Complete Step 1 of the RVAT	EcoAdapt Staff and participants
4:30 pm	<i>Group Activity:</i> Report back	EcoAdapt staff and participants
4:50 pm	Introduction to Network Maps	Jenn Brousseau
4:55 pm	Summary and wrap-up	Lara
5:00 pm	<b>ADJOURN</b>	

## Day 2: Risks and Vulnerabilities

Thursday, March 9

Time	Agenda Item	Presenter(s)
12:45 pm	Technology check	
1:00 pm	Review of day 1 and introduction to day 2	Lara Hansen
1:20 pm	Orientation to step 2 of the Rapid Vulnerability and Adaptation Tool (RVAT)	Laura Hilberg
1:30 pm	<i>Breakout Group Activity</i> : Complete step 2 of the RVAT	EcoAdapt staff and participants
<b>2:00 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
2:10 pm	<i>Breakout Group Activity (con't)</i> : Complete step 2 of the RVAT	EcoAdapt staff and participants
<b>3:10 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
3:20 pm	<i>Group Discussion</i> : Report back on vulnerability results	EcoAdapt Staff and participants
<b>4:00 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
4:10 pm	Introduction to adaptation strategies	Eric Mielbrecht
4:35 pm	Introduction to step 2 of the Climate Change Adaptation Certification Tool (CCAC)	Lara Hansen
4:50 pm	Summary of Day 2 & Next Steps <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Homework</i>: Complete step 2 of the CACC (goal of 3pm ET on Monday, March 13)</li></ul>	Lara Hansen
<b>5:00 pm</b>	<b>ADJOURN</b>	

## Day 3: Finding Solutions

Tuesday, March 14

Time	Agenda Item	Presenter(s)
12:45 pm	Technology check	
1:00 pm	Review of days 1 & 2	Lara Hansen
1:20 pm	Orientation to adaptation strategy activity (step 3)	Laura Hilberg
1:35 pm	<i>Breakout Group Activity</i> : Complete step 3 of the Rapid Vulnerability and Adaptation Tool (RVAT)	EcoAdapt staff and participants
<b>2:00 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
2:10 pm	<i>Breakout Group Activity (con't)</i> : Complete step 3 of the RVAT and begin step 4	EcoAdapt staff and participants
<b>2:50 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
3:00 pm	Orientation to Implementation Activity (step 4)	Laura Hilberg
3:10 pm	<i>Breakout Group Activity</i> : Complete step 4 of the RVAT	EcoAdapt staff and participants
<b>3:55 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
4:05 pm	Report Back: One action per group for which there is participant commitment	EcoAdapt staff and participants
4:35 pm	Survey	Caleb O'Brien
4:50 pm	Summary of Day 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What to expect coming out of the workshop</li> <li>• <i>Homework</i>: Continue to engage with climate change adaptation and make Canton and Potsdam climate savvy!</li> </ul>	Lara Hansen
5:00 pm	<b>ADJOURN</b>	



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