



# LASAFE

Louisiana's  
Strategic Adaptations  
*for Future Environments*







***THANK YOU FOR COMING!***





## ***TONIGHT:***

- **A presentation of the vision** residents have described in previous meetings
- **A preference survey** about the vision
- **A table discussion activity** about the projects, programs, and policies that can support that vision



# ***LA SAFE MISSION***

Working together for **community resilience, economic prosperity** and a **better quality of life** for everyone in Louisiana.



# ***6 PARISHES / \$40M***

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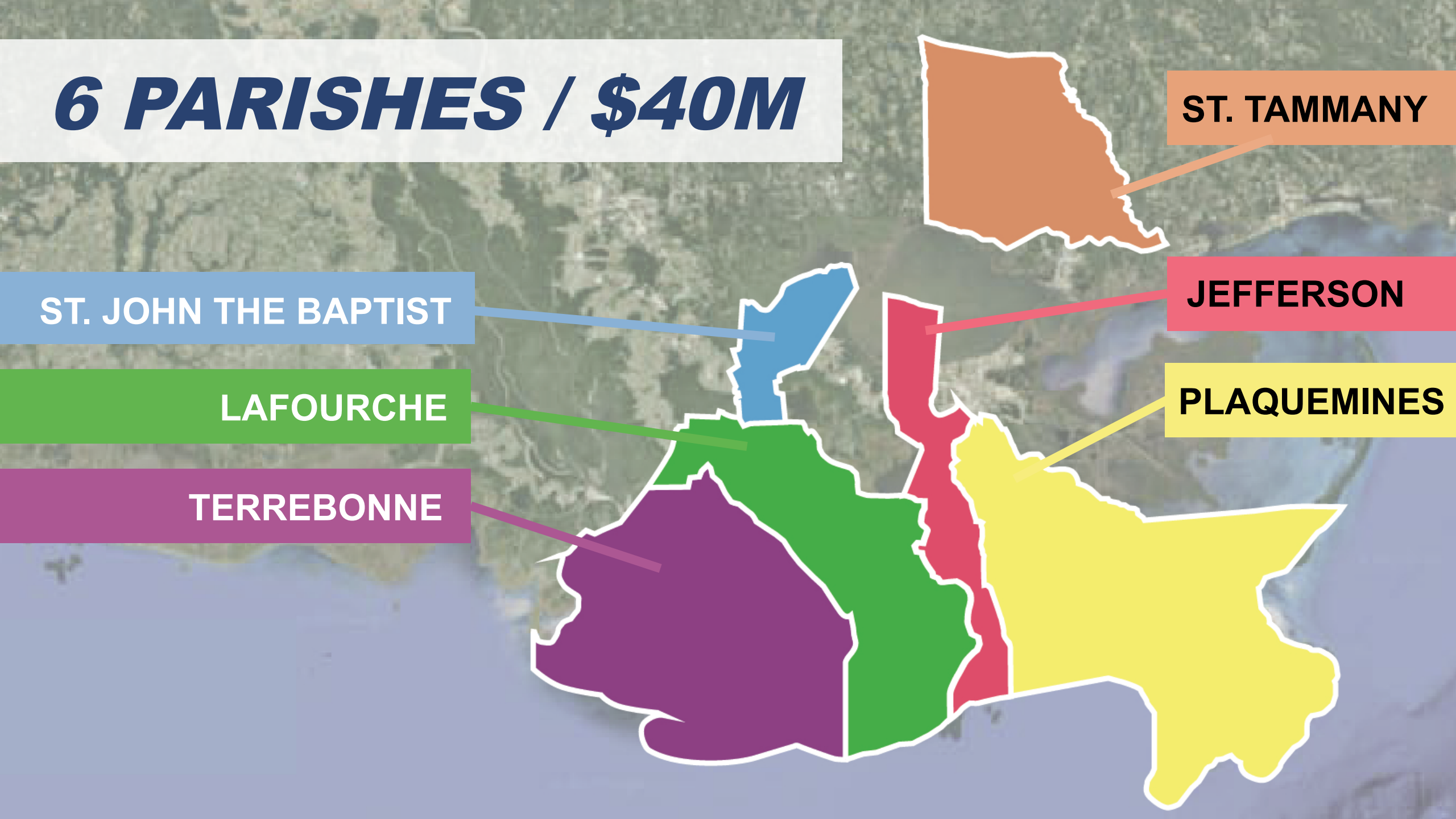
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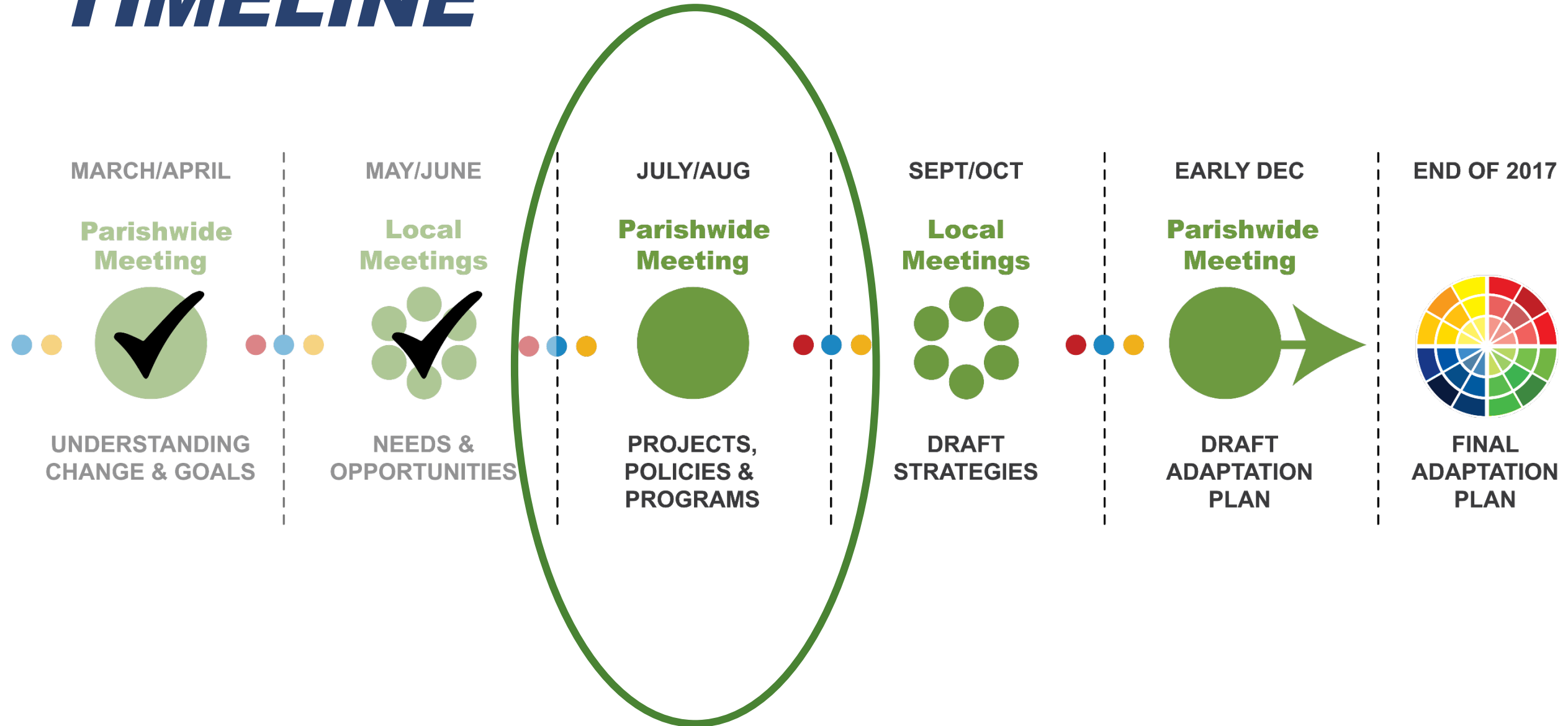
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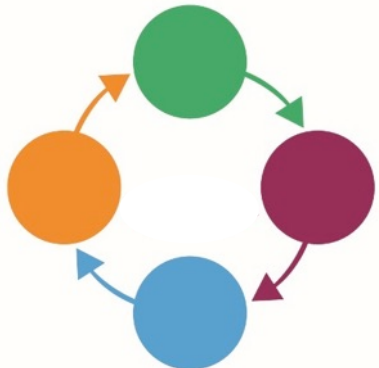
# ***TIMELINE***











# ***CO-DESIGN PRINCIPLES***

- 1. SHARE POWER***
- 2. PRIORITIZE RELATIONSHIPS***
- 3. INCLUDE ALL POINTS OF VIEW***
- 4. USE ALL KINDS OF KNOWLEDGE***
- 5. TEST SOLUTIONS EARLY & OFTEN***

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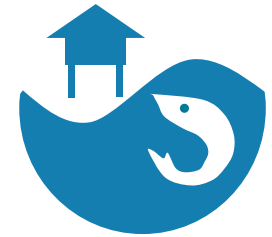
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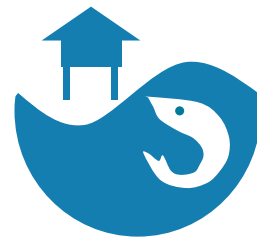




# **CURRENT & FUTURE ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS**

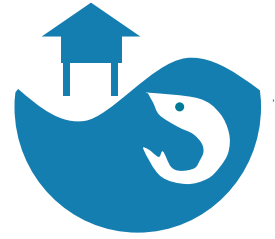


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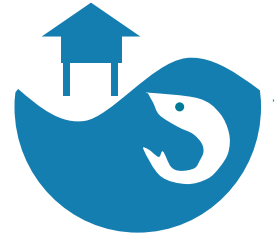
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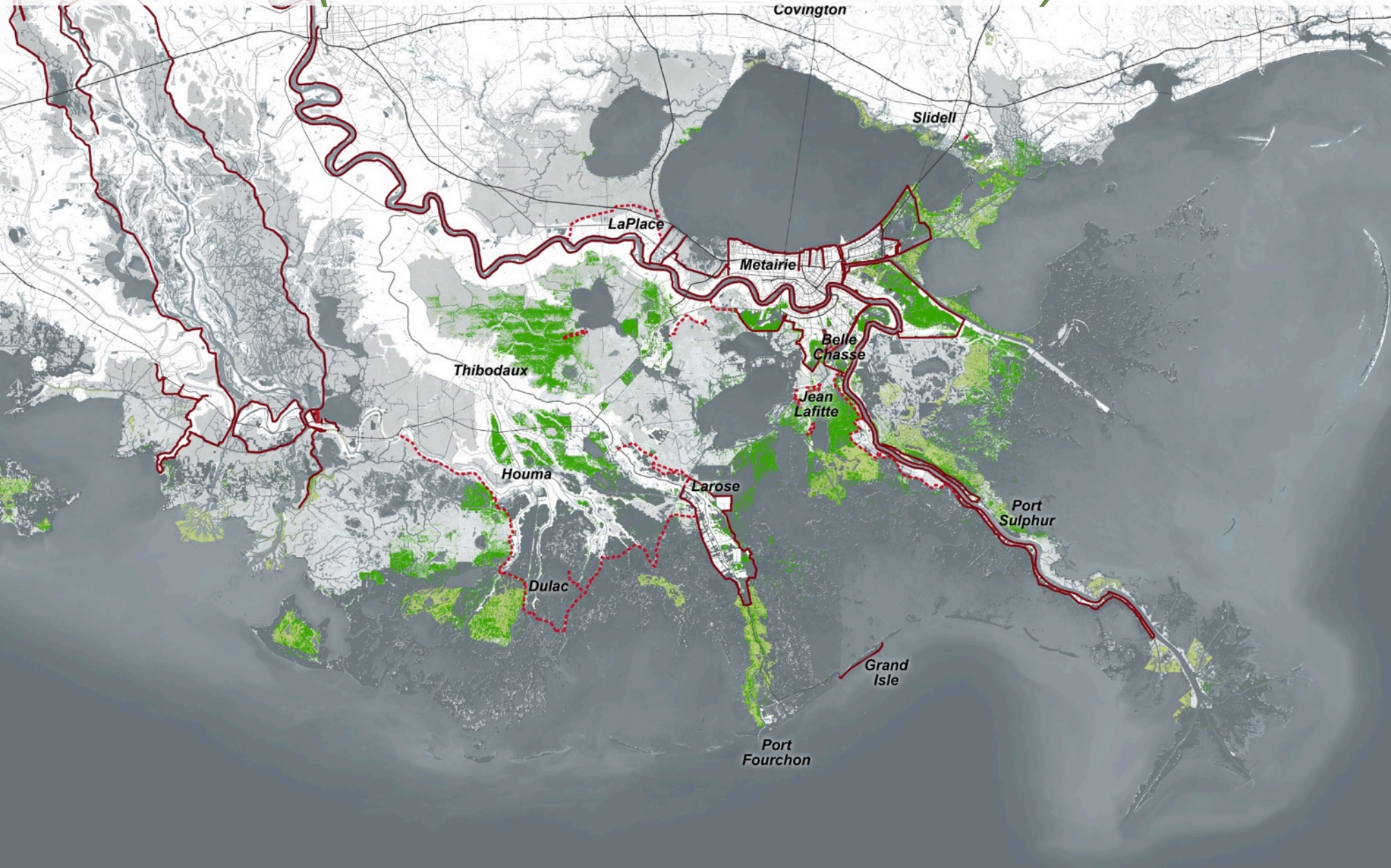
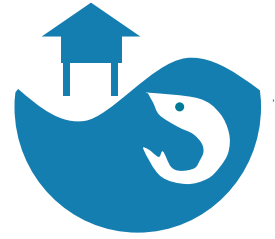
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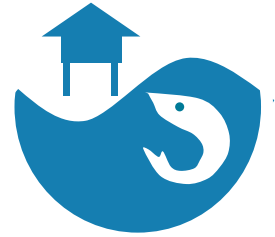


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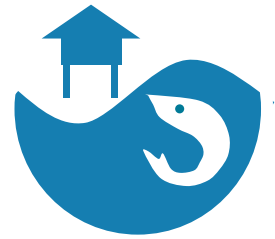
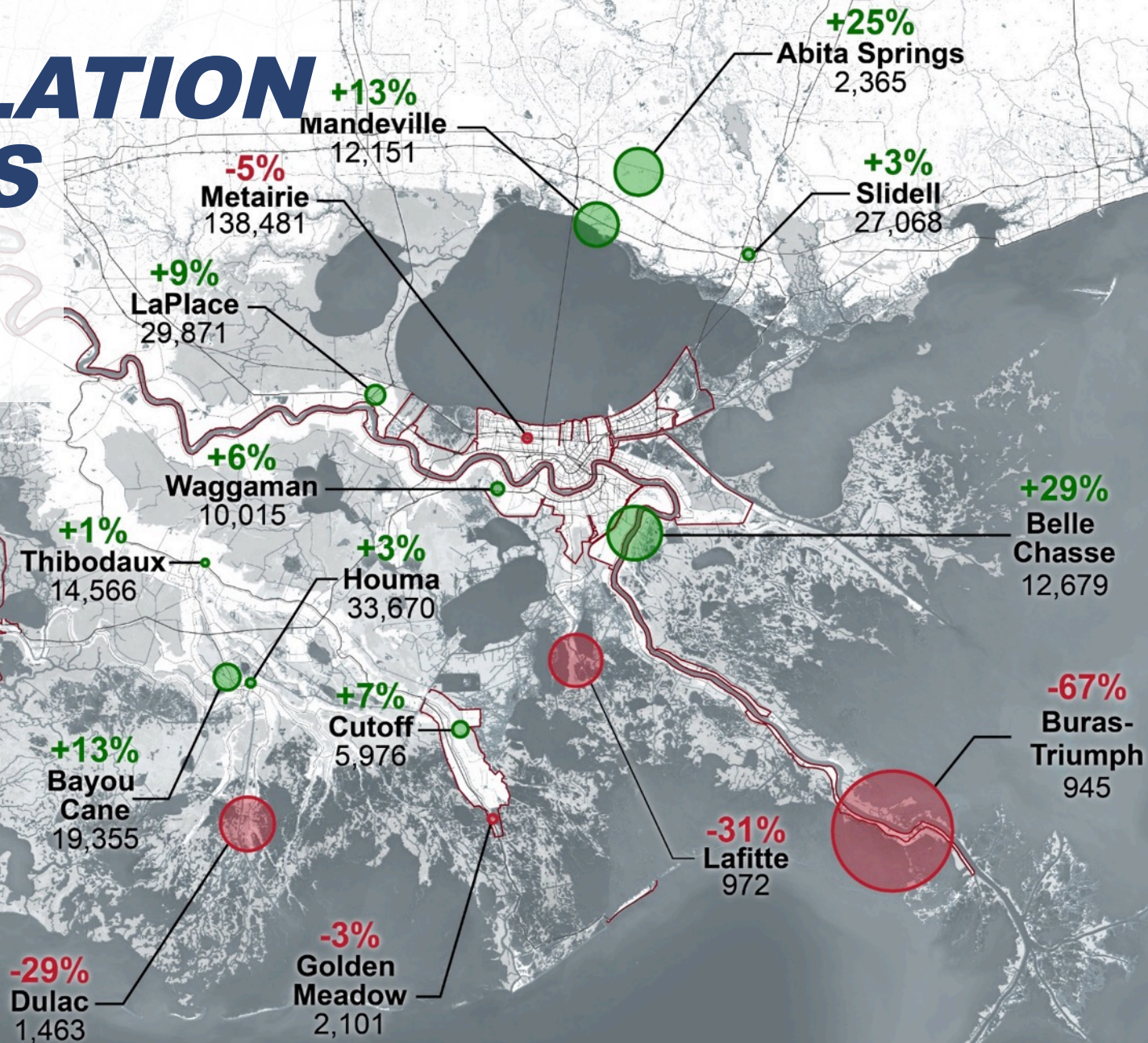
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AeroGRID, IGN, and the GIS User Community



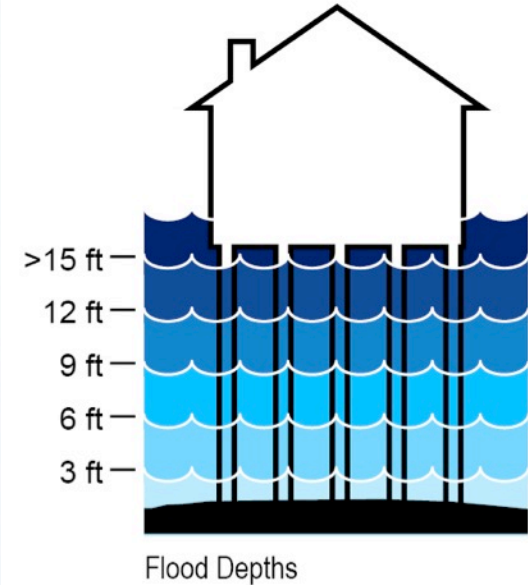
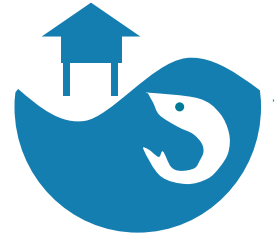
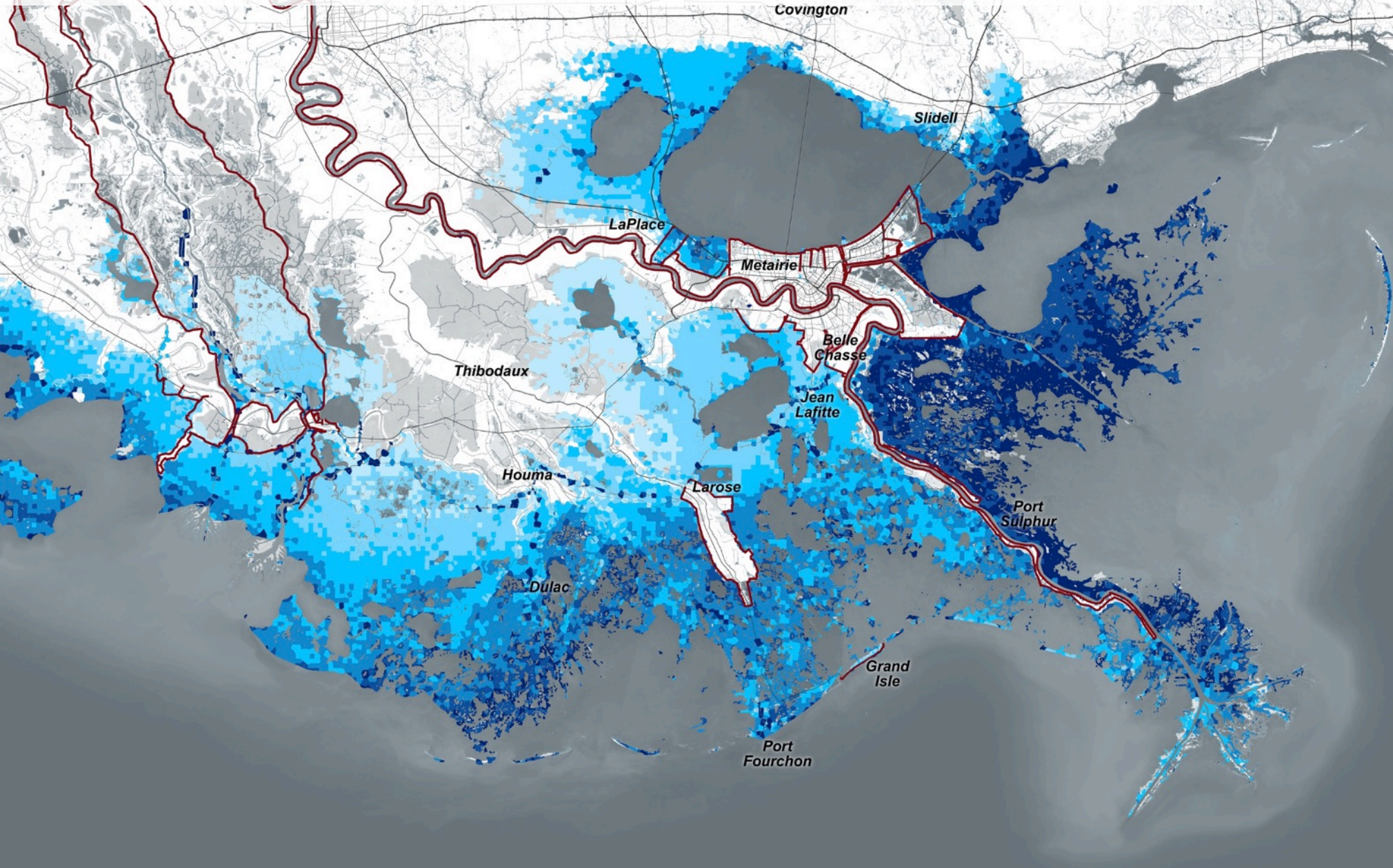
# POPULATION SHIFTS 2000- 2010



These data is based on US  
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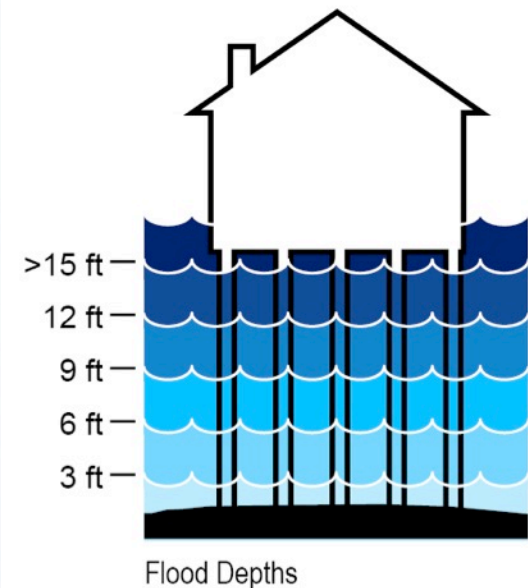
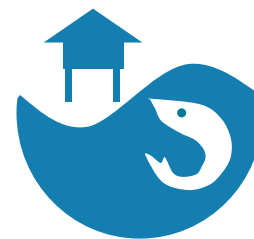
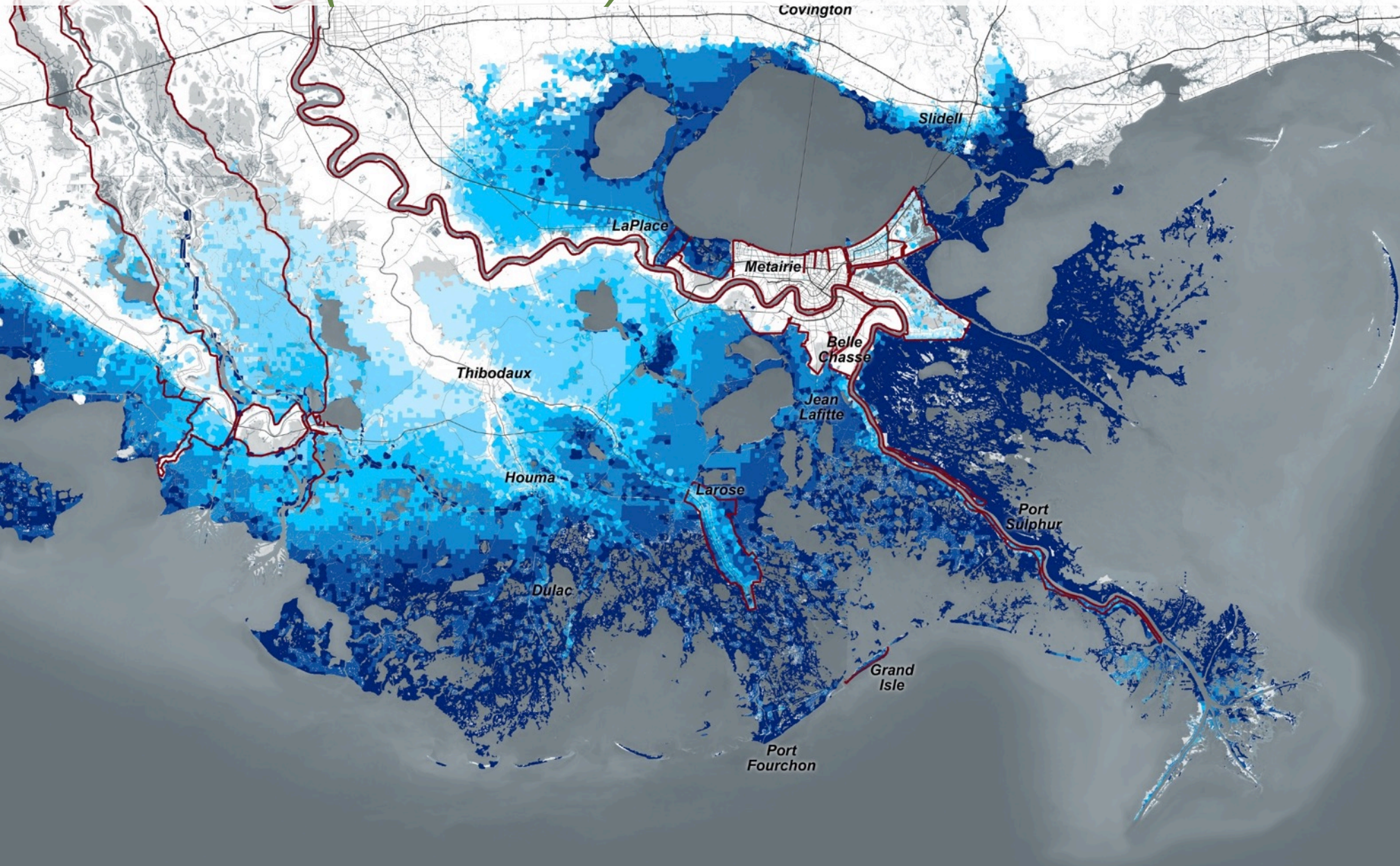


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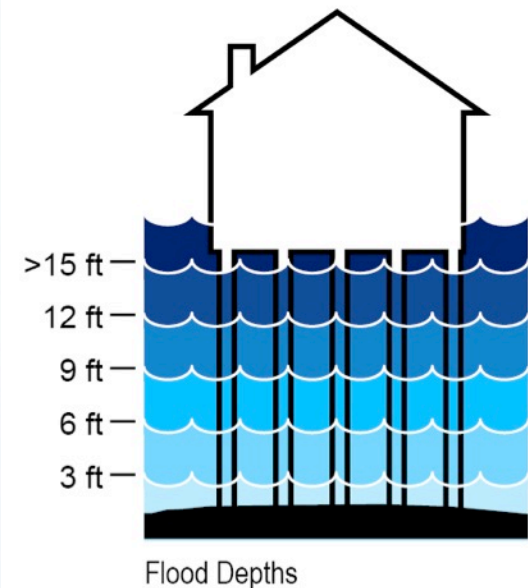
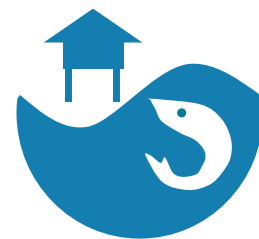
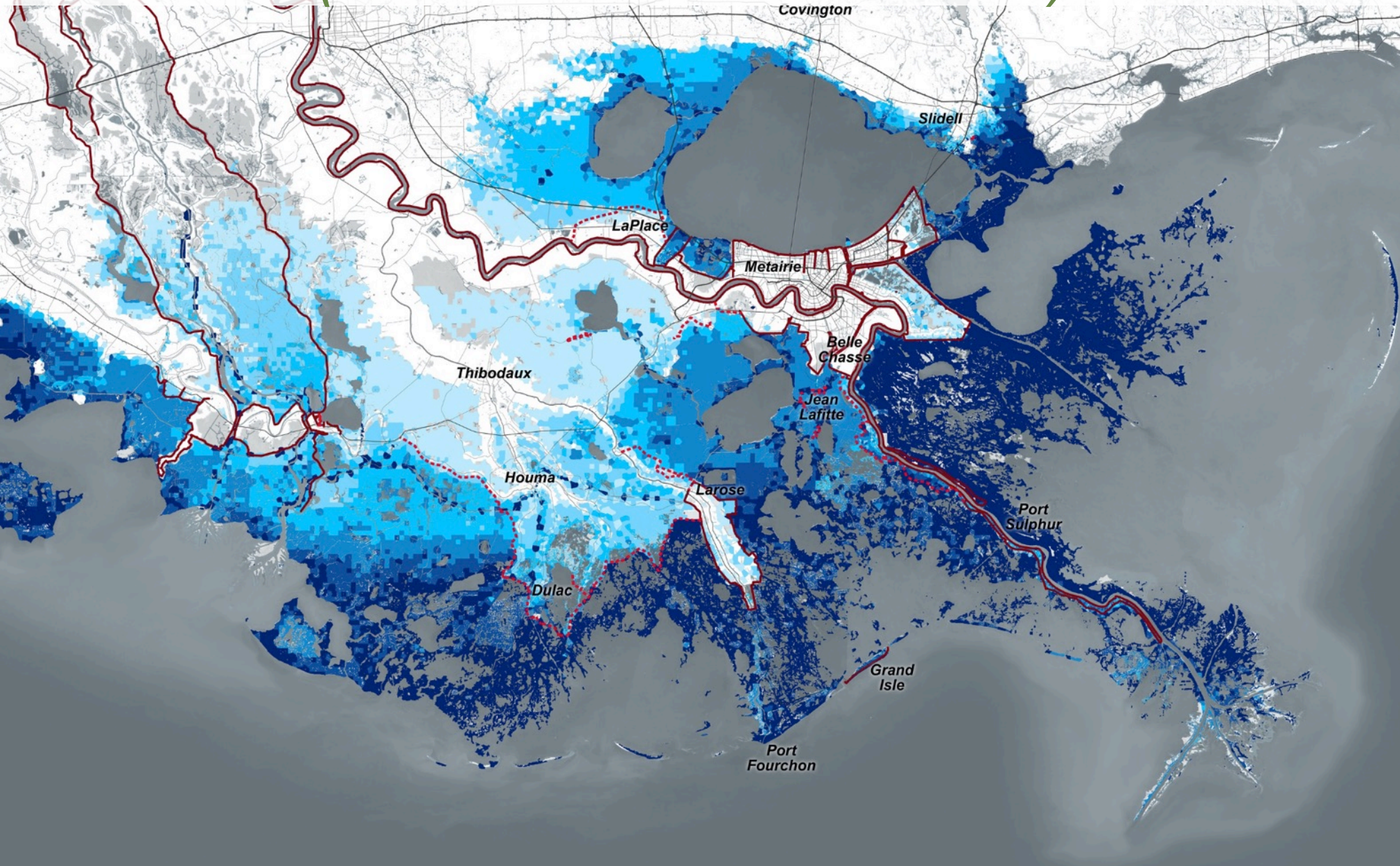


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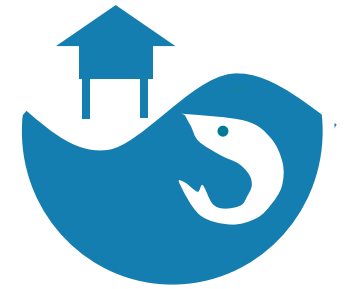
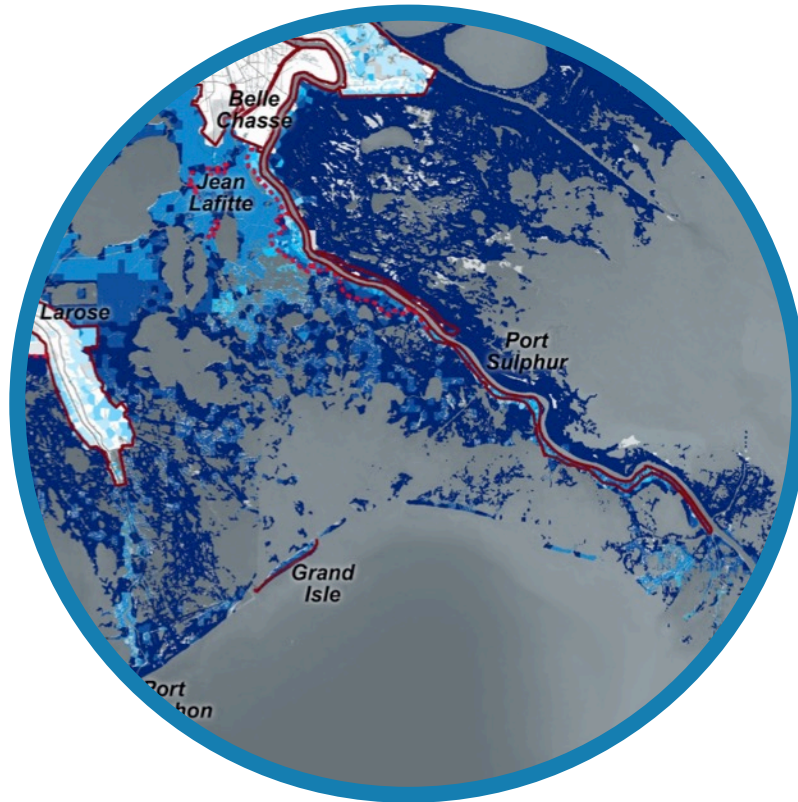
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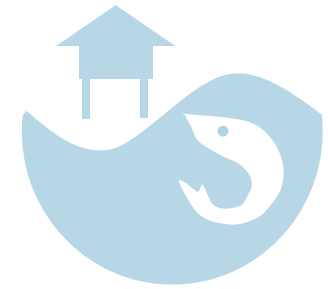




**CURRENT &  
FUTURE  
ENVIRONMENTAL  
CONDITIONS**



## **COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDER VISION**



## **CURRENT & FUTURE ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS**







# **MEETING YOU SET VALUES & GOALS FOR THIS PROCESS**





# MEETING 2

## YOU RECOMMENDED

# STRATEGIES

## FOR THE FUTURE





# WHAT WE HEARD AT MEETING 2

## ST. TAMMANY PARISH



Size of Icon

- Future proposed idea
- Existing asset or problem

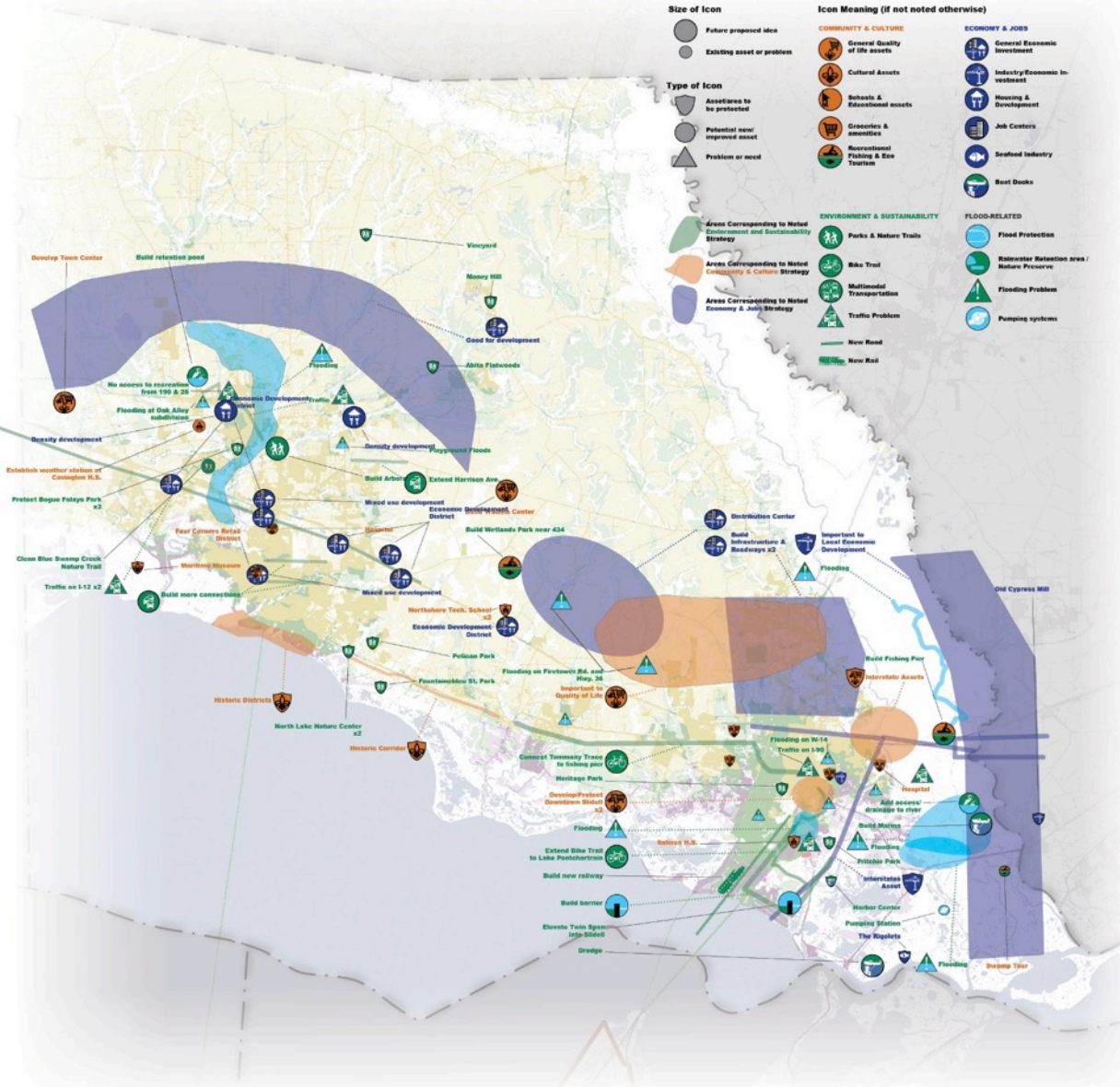
Type of Icon

- Assets/areas to be protected
- Potential new/improved asset
- Problem or need

Icon Meaning (if not noted otherwise)

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| <p><b>ENVIRONMENT &amp; SUSTAINABILITY</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parks &amp; Nature Trails</li> <li>Bike Trail</li> <li>Multimodal Transportation</li> <li>Traffic Problem</li> <li>New Road</li> <li>New Rail</li> </ul>                              | <p><b>FLOOD-RELATED</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flood Protection</li> <li>Waterway Retention area / Nature Preserves</li> <li>Flooding Problem</li> <li>Pumping systems</li> </ul>  |

- Areas Corresponding to Netel Environment and Sustainability Strategy
- Areas Corresponding to Netel Community & Culture Strategy
- Areas Corresponding to Netel Economy & Jobs Strategy



## Discussion Summaries

### SLIDELL

- Minimize high-risk development
- Increase **recreational access to water**
- Elevate **roads** without creating a levee-like effect
- Insure new **road construction** doesn't negatively affect **stormwater management**
- Protect and promote **natural assets**
- Increase **connectivity** between parks and trails
- Adapt and **renovate existing structures**

### MANDEVILLE

- Prepare for **population growth**
- Increase **public transit**
- Expand **walking and biking** infrastructure
- Implement **more restrictions** on building practices
- Regulate impact studies for all future developments
- Increase **inexpensive housing** stock to attract younger people
- Address the **full scope of flooding needs**
- More **connectivity** between parks and trails
- Connect with environmental organizations to **clean up pollution** in waterways

### COVINGTON

- Synchronize **traffic lights** for maximum efficiency
- Implement a **public transit** system (bus line)
- Improve and add more **sidewalks**
- Grow **jobs** within Covington to reduce city-wide daily commute
- Grow **medical facilities** and aides for the elderly
- Increase support for **"green" jobs** (solar panels, Tesla) and advanced manufacturing
- Develop **less concrete** and **more greenspace/retention ponds**
- Connect existing **greenspaces** for education and recreation

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***WE WANT TO PRESENT THIS  
VISION  
AND GET YOUR FEEDBACK***





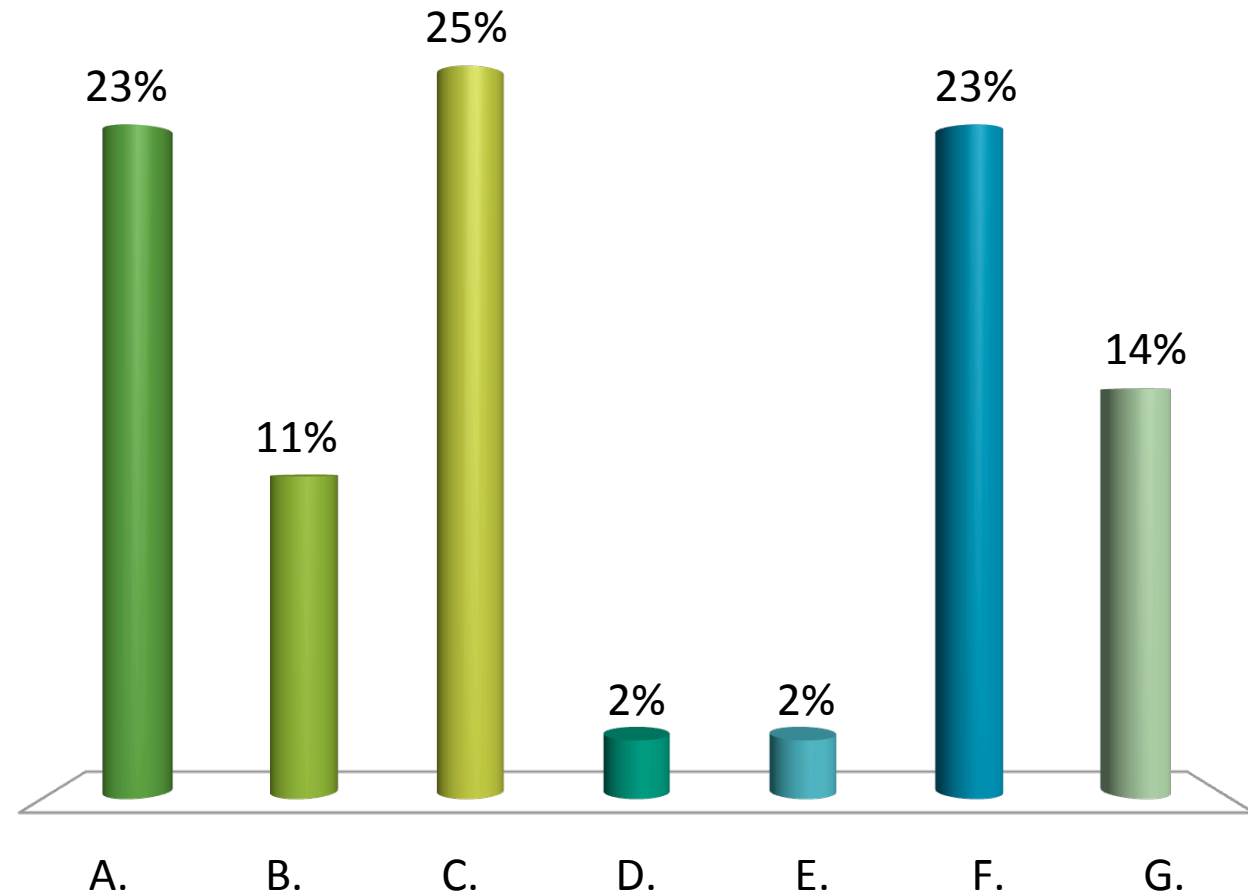
# ***BUT FIRST, WE WANT TO START WITH SNAP POLLING***



**YOUR TABLE HOST WILL HAND  
OUT CLICKERS SO EVERYONE  
CAN VOTE ANONYMOUSLY.**

# ***If you could have a superpower, what would you choose?***

- A. Able to fly**
- B. Read minds**
- C. Time travel**
- D. Invisibility**
- E. Superhuman strength**
- F. Know the future**
- G. I like life just the way it is**



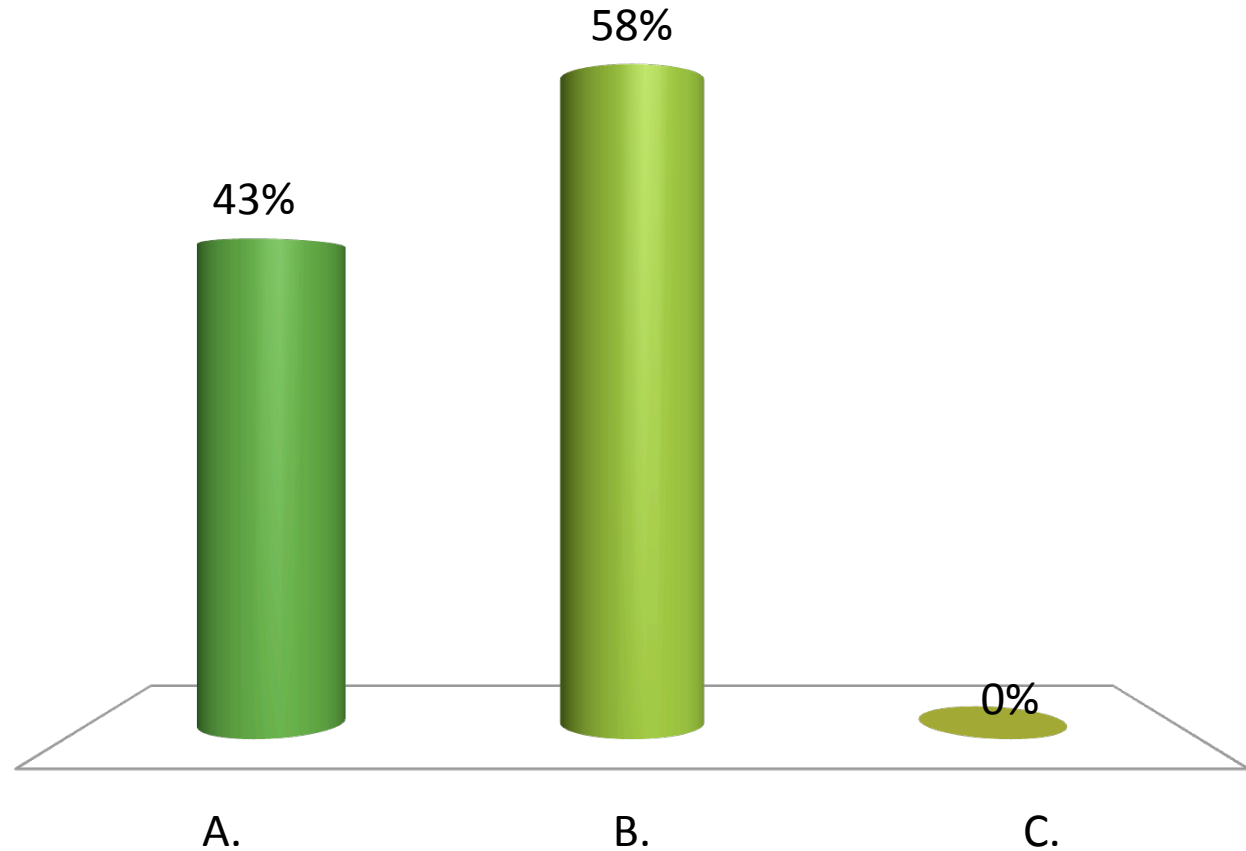


# ***Have you been to any other LA SAFE meetings?***

**A. Yes**

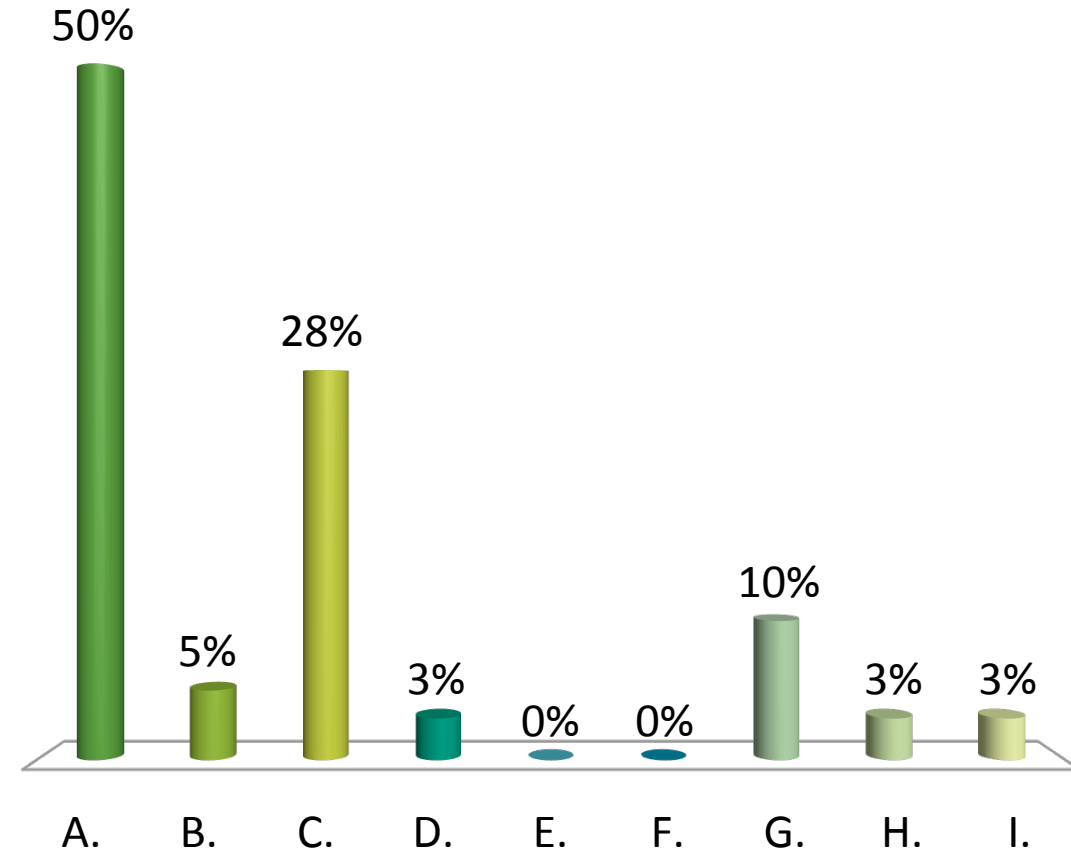
**B. No**

**C. Not sure**



# ***I am/I represent:***

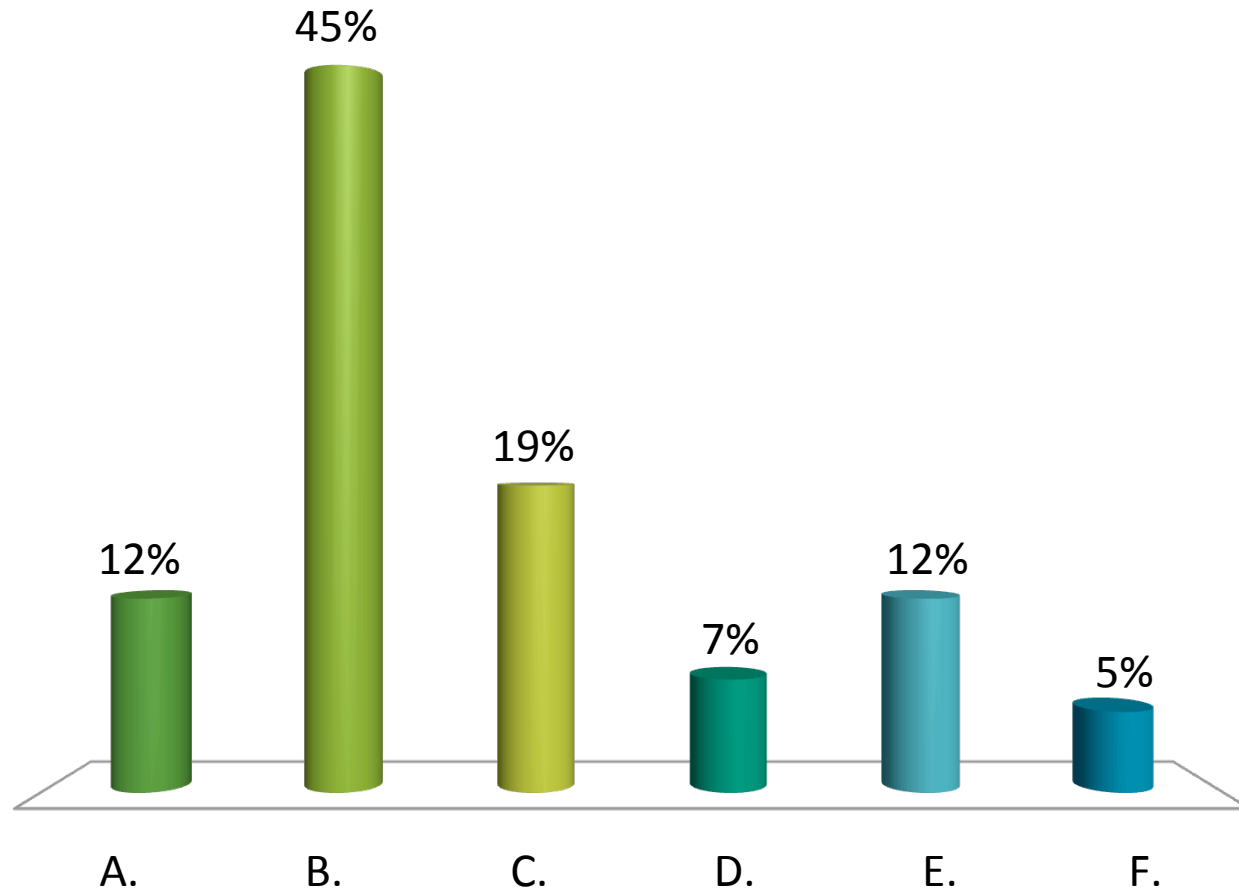
- A. Resident/neighborhood**
- B. Coastal restoration organization**
- C. City/Parish representative**
- D. Development industry**
- E. Economic development/chamber**
- F. Arts organization**
- G. Non-profit**
- H. Education**
- I. Other**





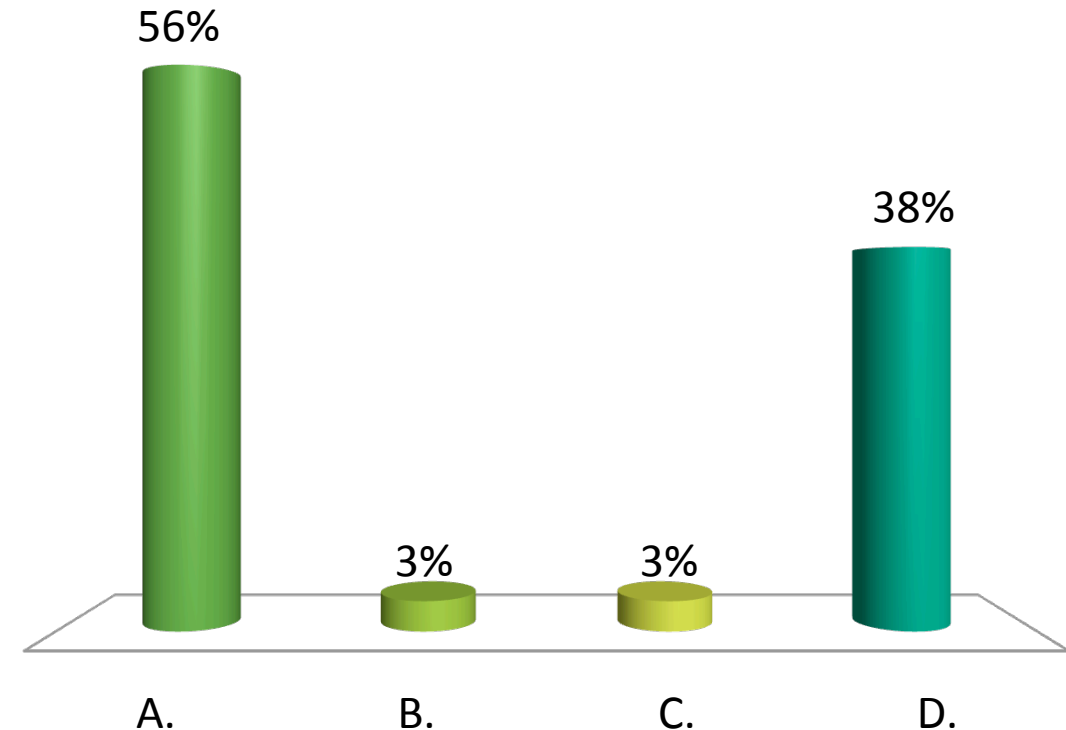
# ***How long have you lived in St. Tammany Parish?***

- A. All my life**
- B. More than 20 years**
- C. 10 to 20 years**
- D. 5 to 10 years**
- E. 1 month to 4 years**
- F. Never**



# ***If LA SAFE invested in a transportation project, which project would you most like to see funded?***

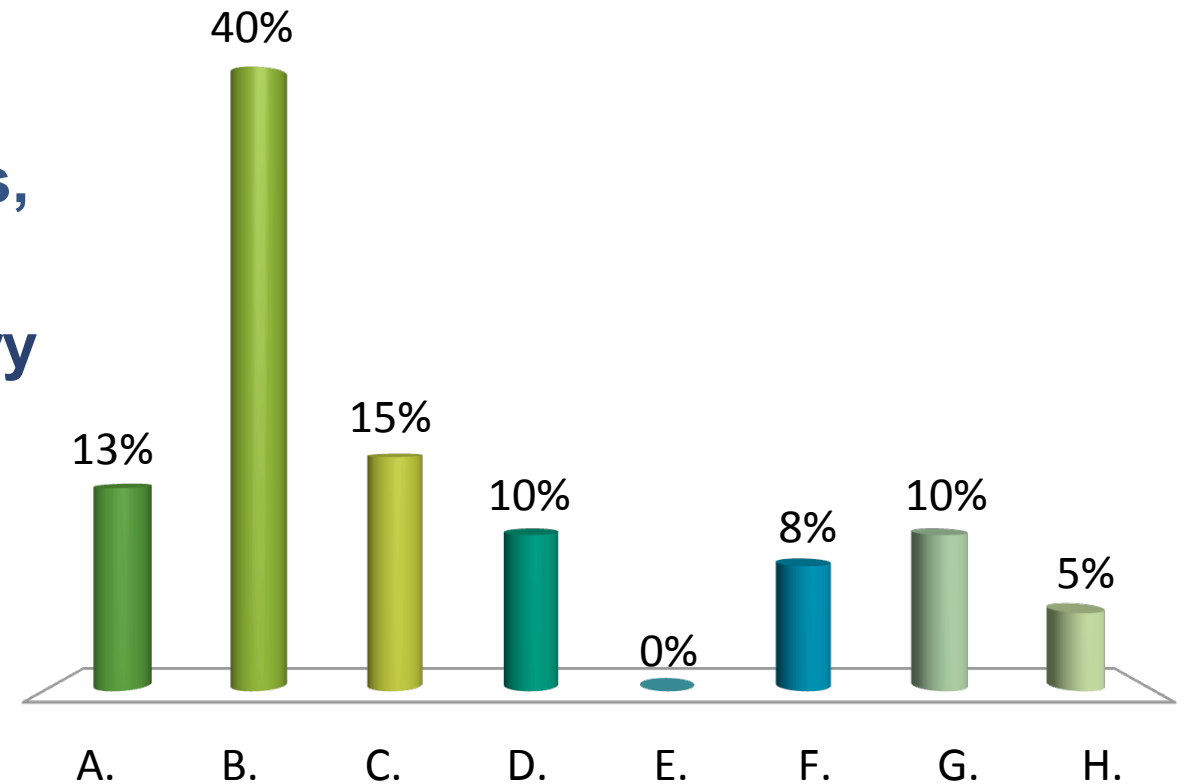
- A. Transit service**
- B. Bike trails**
- C. Park-and-ride**
- D. Complete streets  
(sidewalks, improved  
shading, bike lanes)**





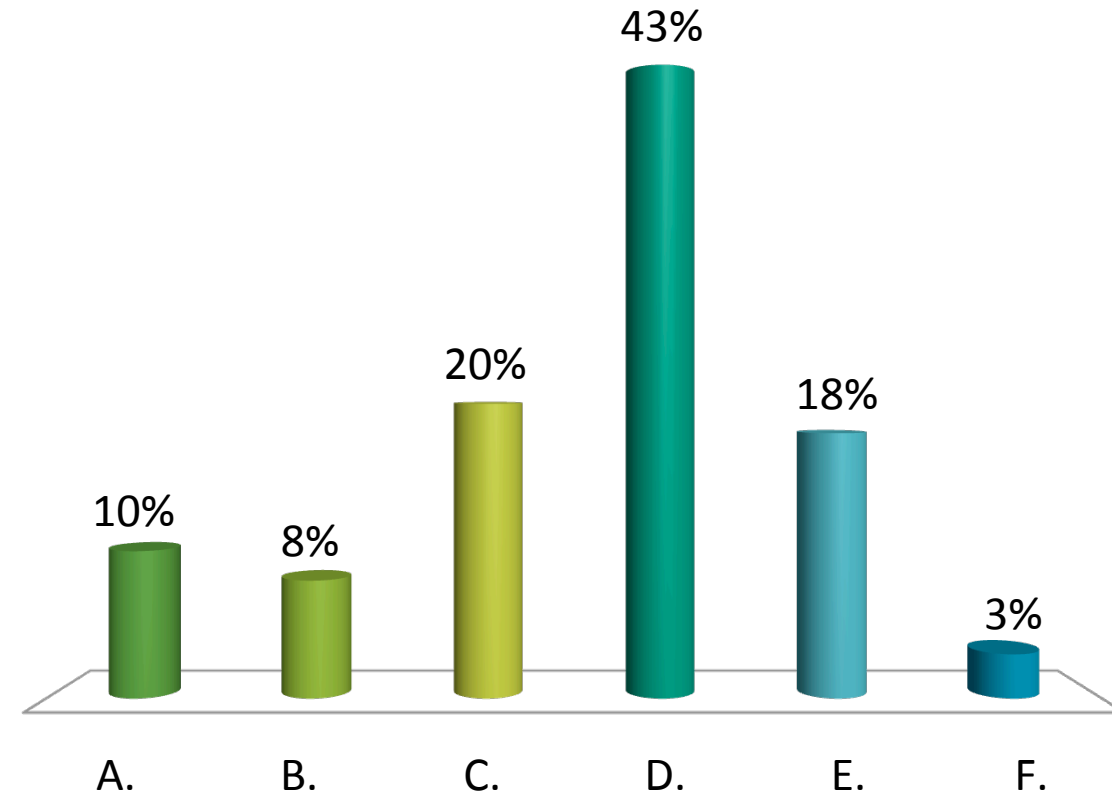
# ***Which types of job opportunities would you like to see expanded in your parish?***

- A. Healthcare
- B. Alternative energy
- C. Commerce (transportation logistics, marine engineering)
- D. Warehousing & distribution industry
- E. Oil, gas, and chemical industries
- F. Tourism
- G. Aquaculture and agriculture
- H. Other



# ***Which of the following is most important in envisioning a future St. Tammany Parish?***

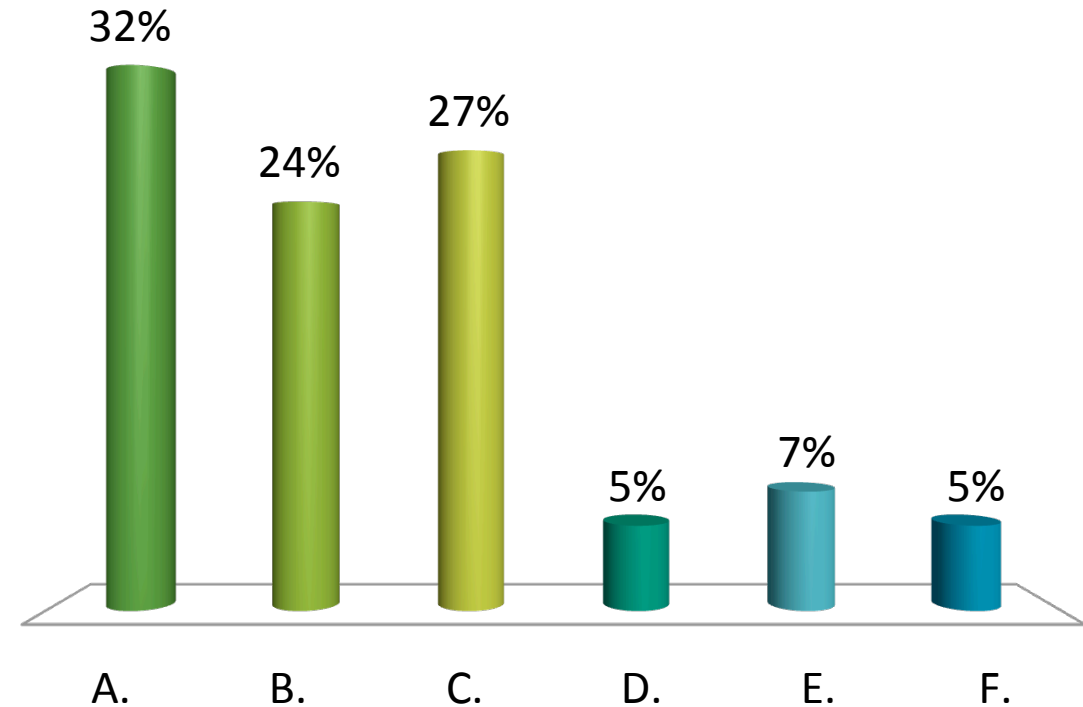
- A. Increase green spaces and recreation**
- B. Provide more affordable housing options**
- C. Limit wetland development**
- D. Regulate development in the floodplain**
- E. Alleviating Traffic Congestion**
- F. Other**





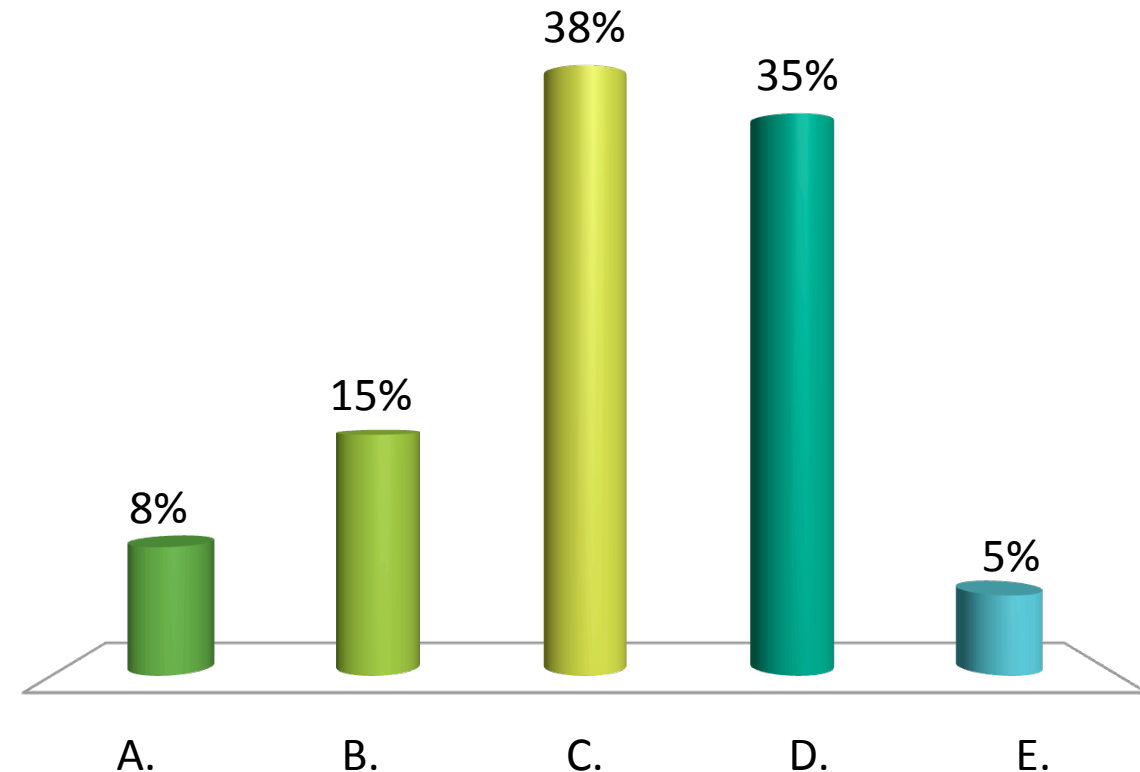
# ***Which of the following opportunity types should be prioritized first in a future St. Tammany Parish?***

- A. Education opportunities**
- B. Job opportunities**
- C. Job training opportunities**
- D. Recreational opportunities**
- E. Commercial opportunities**
- F. Other**



# ***To improve stormwater management, St. Tammany Parish should do which of the following?***

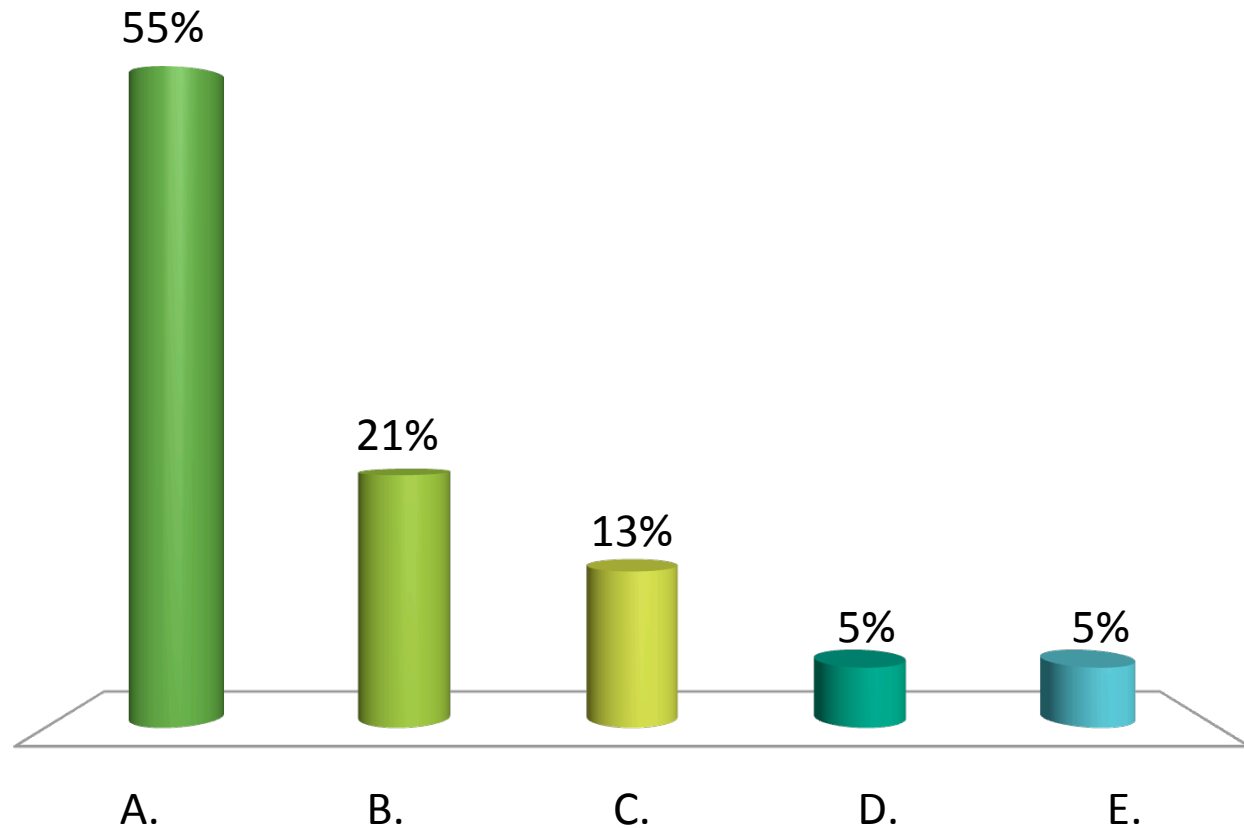
- A. Invest in pumping and lift stations**
- B. Slow down new development**
- C. Require new development to implement stormwater retention strategies**
- D. Invest in and incentivize green infrastructure (i.e. rain gardens, green roofs, bioswales)**
- E. Other**





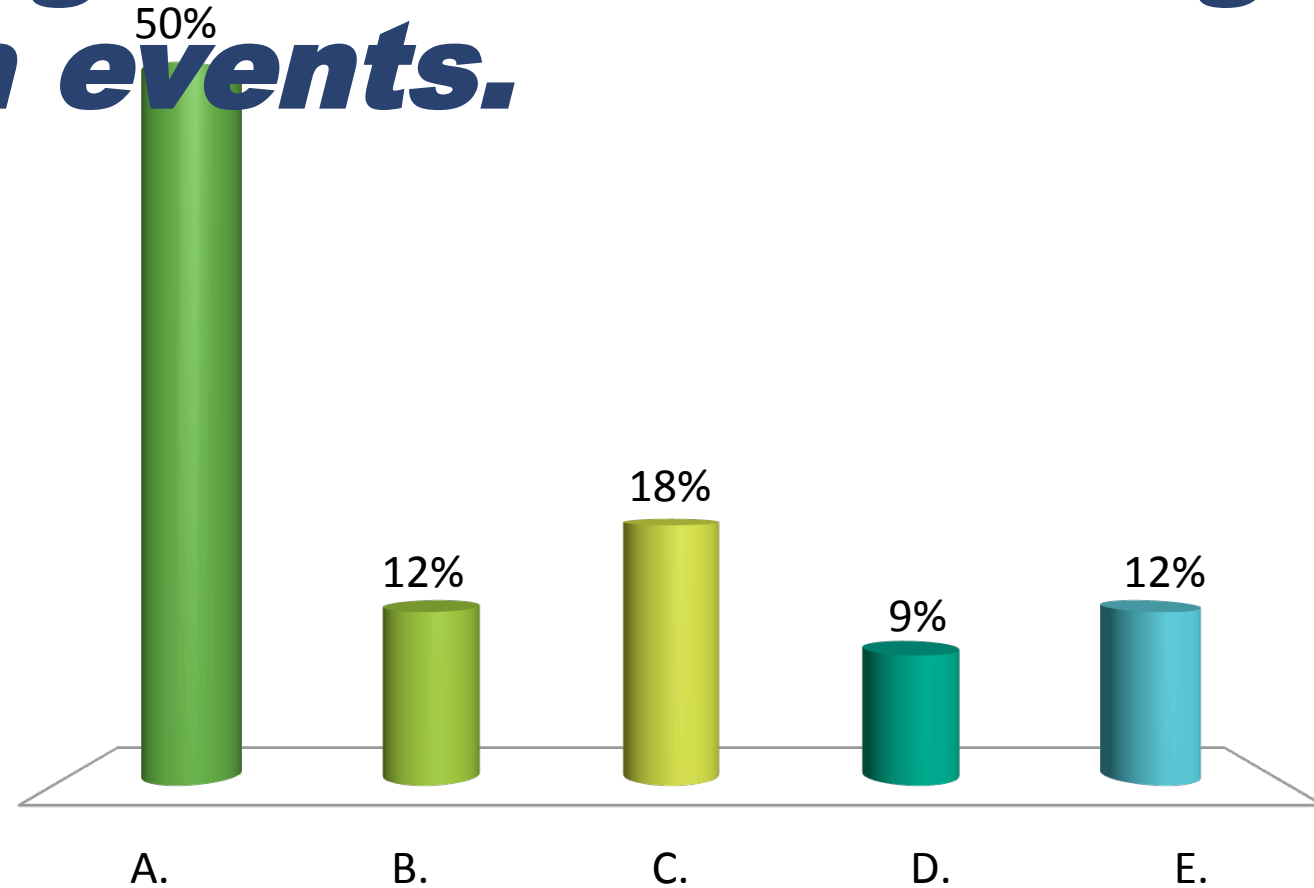
# ***St. Tammany Parish should incentivize residential rainwater harvesting systems to help reduce stormwater run-off.***

- A. Strongly agree**
- B. Agree**
- C. Neutral**
- D. Disagree**
- E. Strongly disagree**



***I would support a policy that required a freeboard requirement of 2 feet to help reduce damages and loss during storm events.***

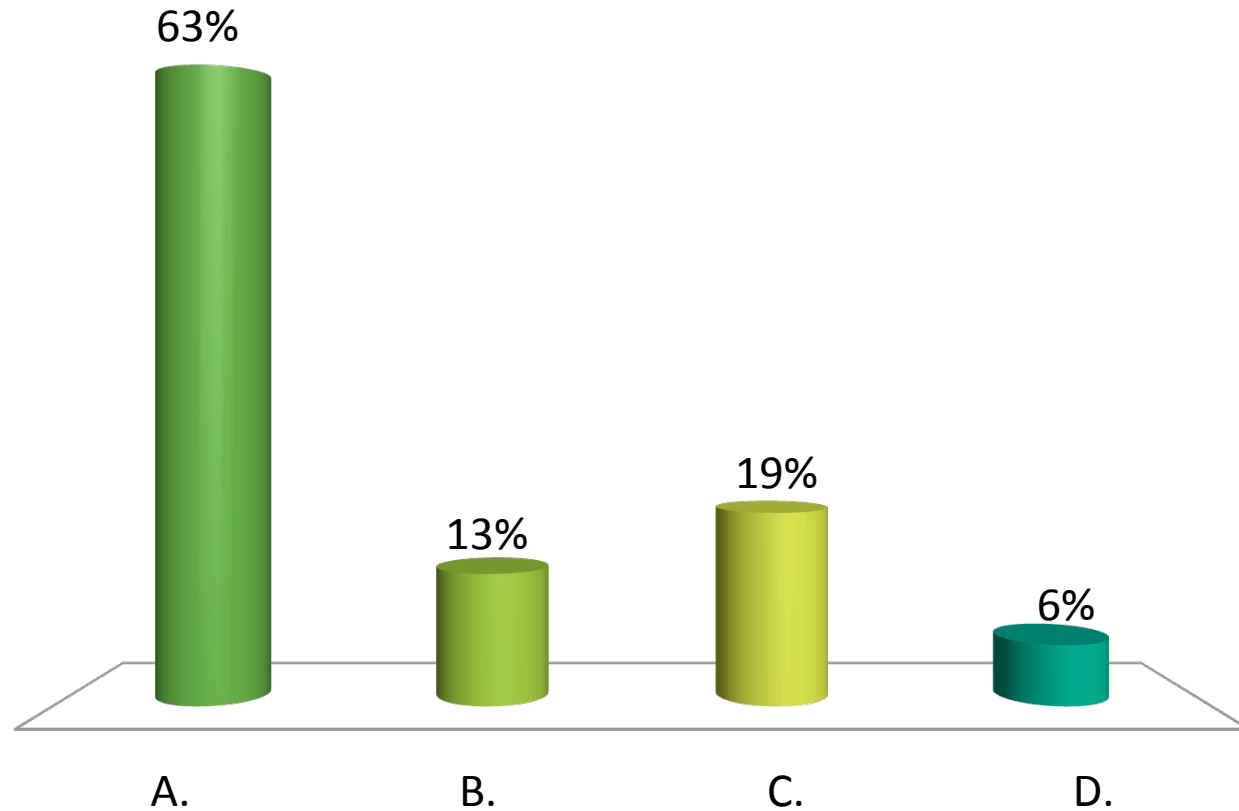
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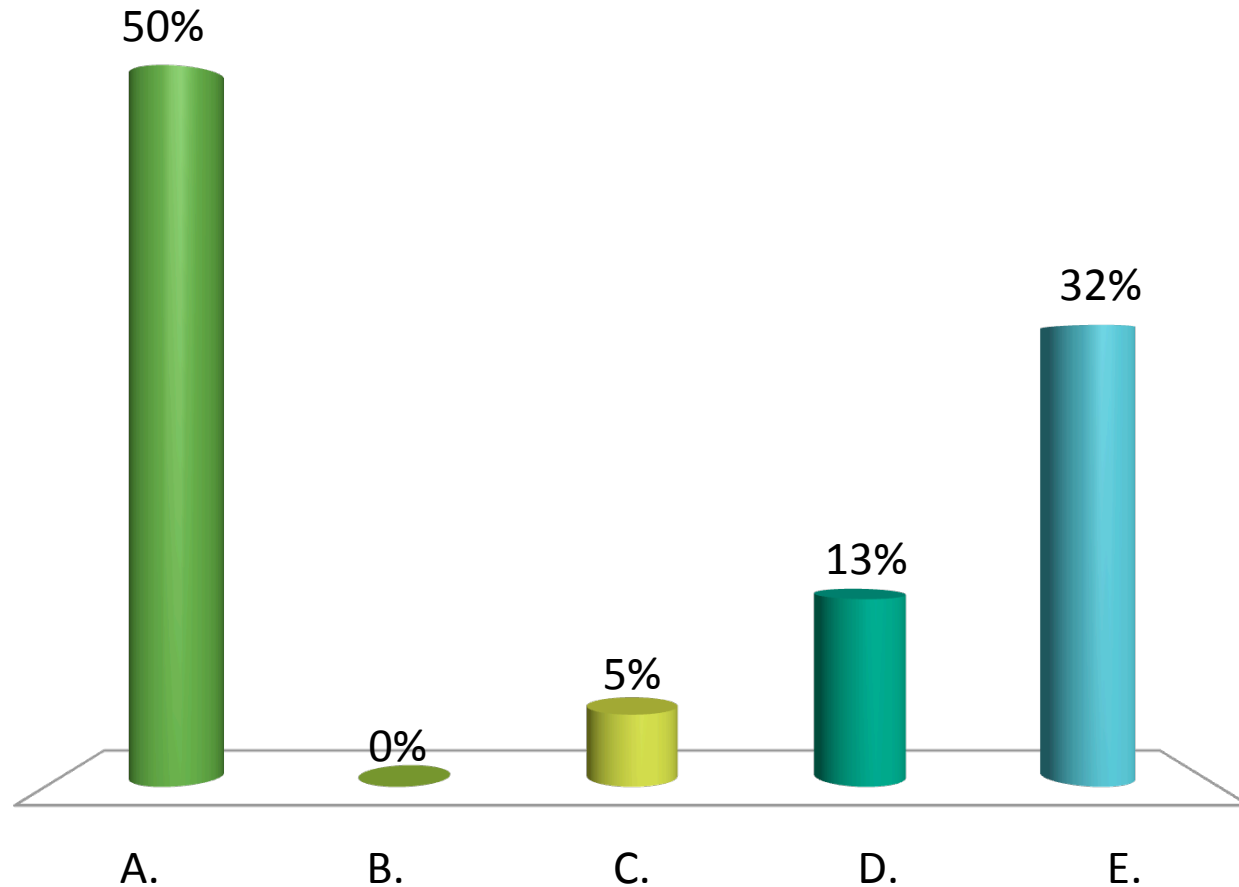
# ***How important is improving transportation connectivity in St. Tammany?***

- A. Very important**
- B. Important**
- C. Not important**
- D. I don't care**



# ***Which of the following housing types would you most like to see more of in your parish?***

- A. Affordable**
- B. Rental**
- C. Senior-living**
- D. Other**
- E. None of the above**

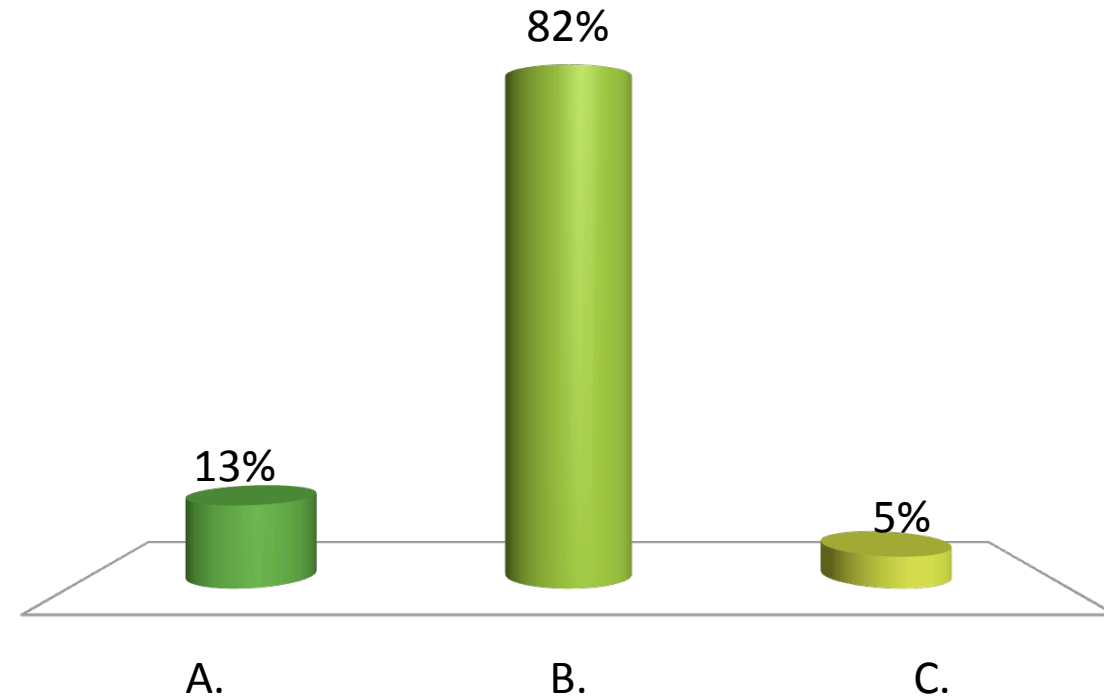


# ***Are you aware of alternative forms of flood insurance such as local risk pools?***

**A. Yes**

**B. No**

**C. Not sure**



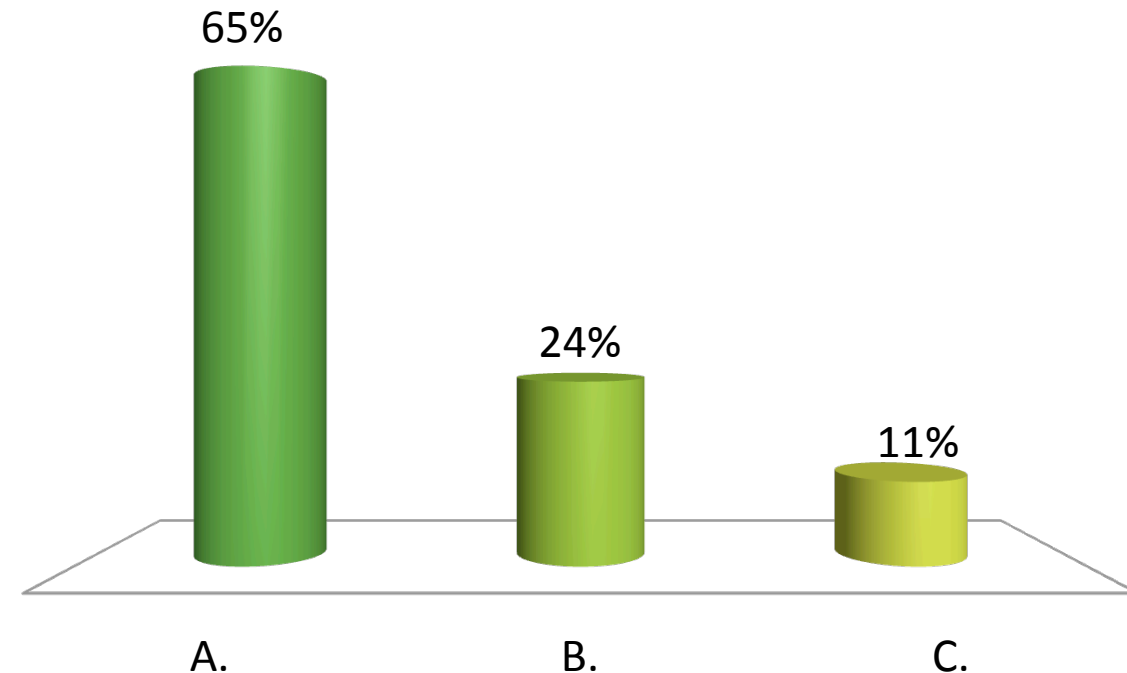


# ***Would you choose to purchase a flood insurance policy if not required by a mortgage company or covenant?***

**A. Yes**

**B. No**

**C. Not sure**



# ***BIG PICTURE VISION***



***A 50-YEAR VISION FOR  
LOW, MEDIUM, & HIGH-RISK AREAS***

***HOUSING &  
DEVELOPMENT***

# ***5 CATEGORIES***

***TRANSPORTATION***

***STORMWATER  
MANAGEMENT  
& GREEN SPACE***

***EDUCATION,  
ECONOMY, & JOBS***

***CULTURE &  
RECREATION***



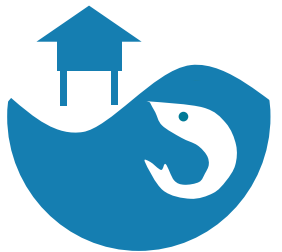
# ***3 RISK LEVELS***

***LOW RISK AREAS***

***MODERATE RISK AREAS***

***HIGH RISK AREAS***

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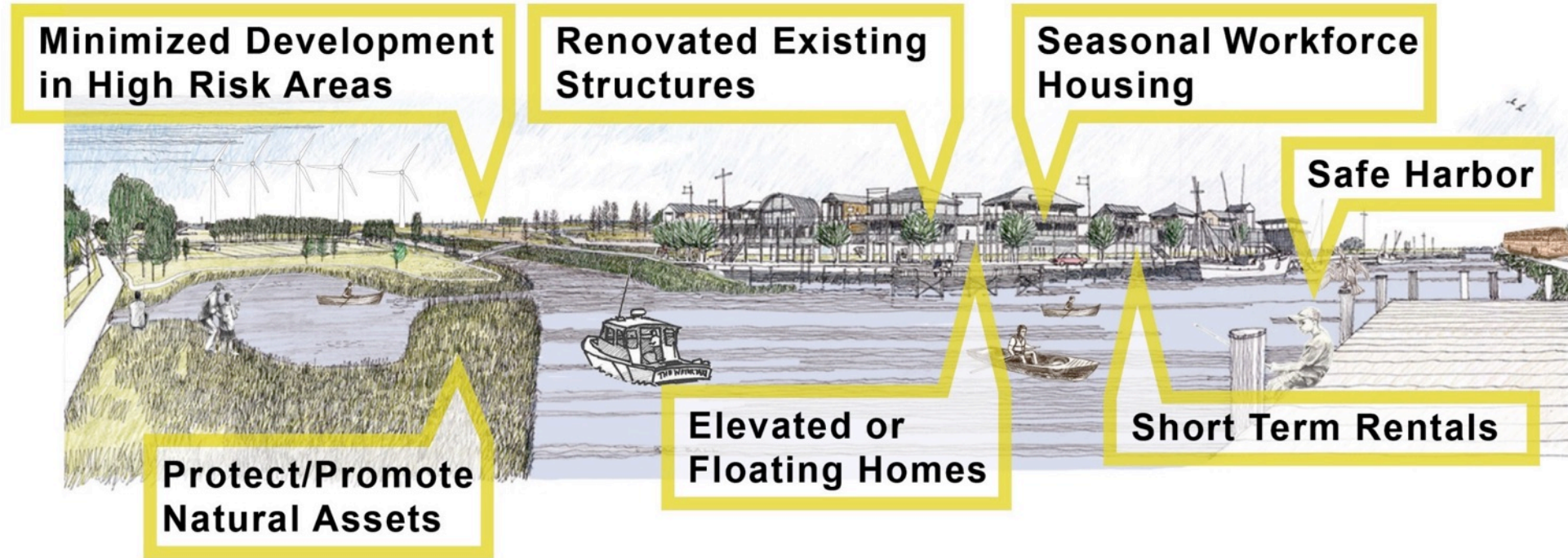


***What we expect  
over 50 years:***

**Land loss  
High flood risk  
Decline in population**

# ***Housing & Development***

## **HIGH RISK AREA**



## ***What we heard***



**“We don’t have modest housing. People in the service industry have no place to live.”**

**“Stop building on property in the flood plain.”**

**“Buyout should be considered on undeveloped property to prevent development.”**

*- Slidell meeting participants*

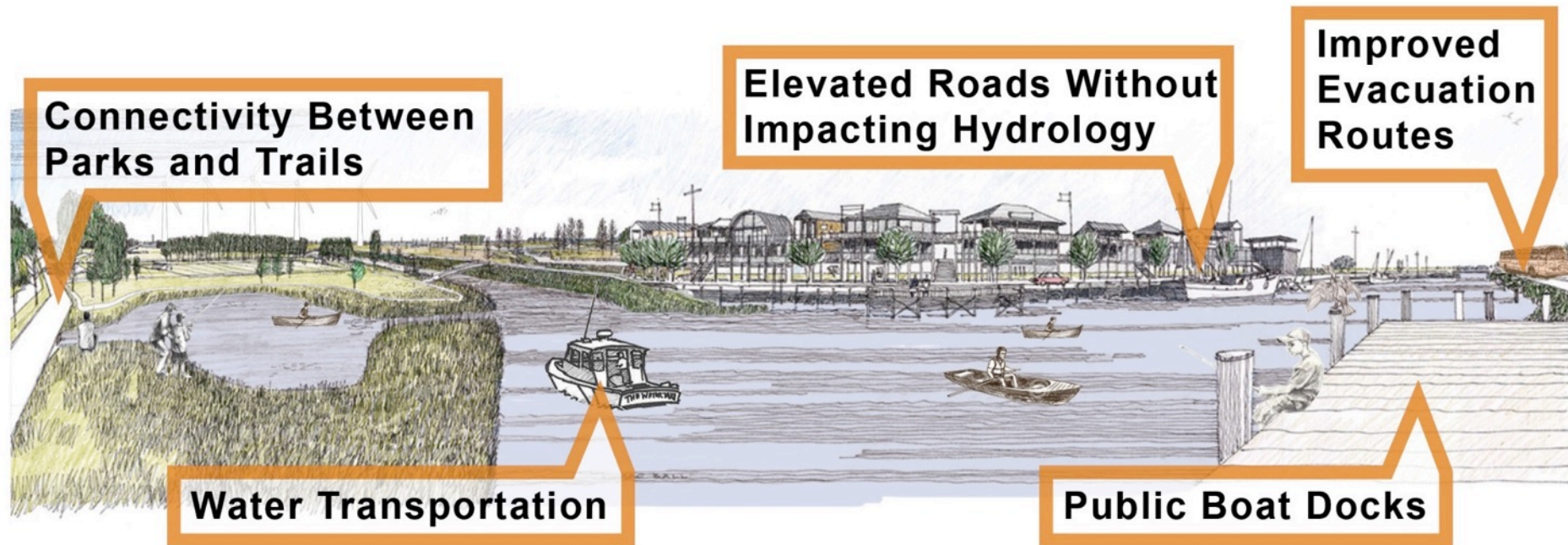






# Transportation

## HIGH RISK AREA



### What we heard



**“We should be using boats in emergency situations.”**

**“Lacombe needs help along 90 so it doesn’t act as a levee backing water up.”**

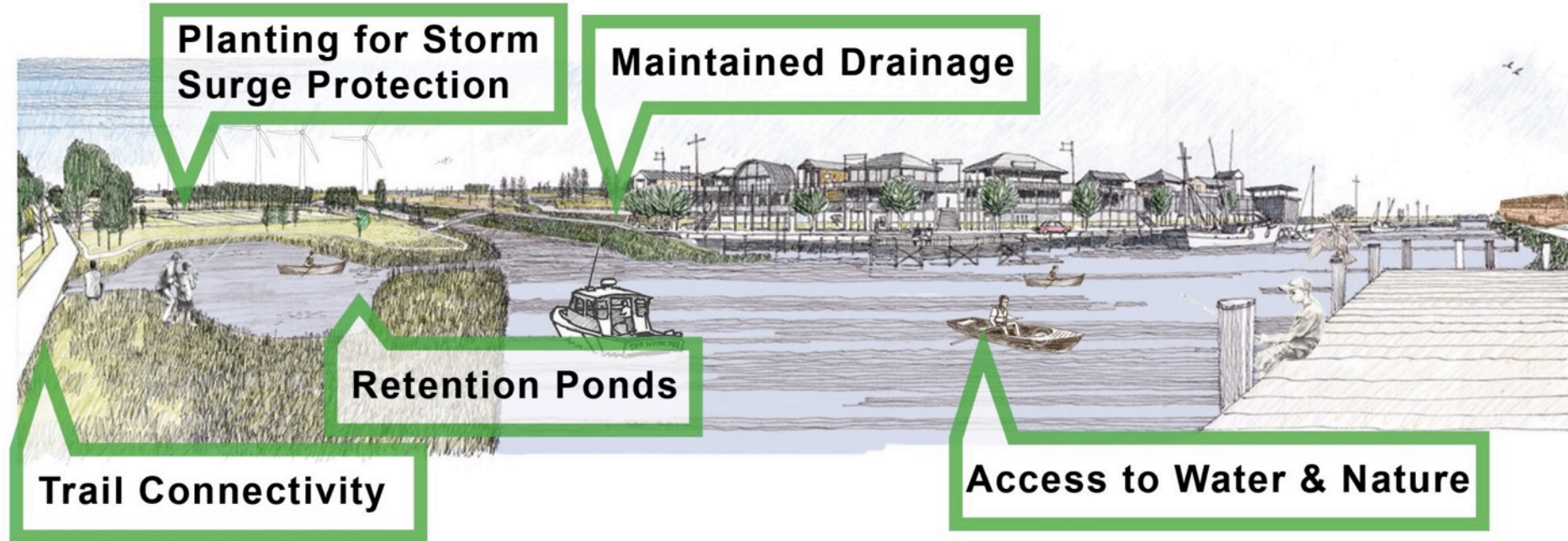
**“We have a major transit disconnect...”**

*- Slidell meeting participants*



# Stormwater Management & Green Space

## HIGH RISK AREA



### What we heard



**“I’ll say some of the worst flooding has occurred over the past few years.”**

**“Re-managing locks around Lake Pontchartrain might help. Cleaning ditches will help.”**

**“Issues getting boats on water because of blockage and silt.”**

*- Slidell meeting participants*

# Education, Economy & Jobs

## HIGH RISK AREA



## What we heard



**“We need ecotourism increased. Scenic rivers, bayous, etc. are all assets.”**

**“We need to teach more about wetlands and environment. Use parks to teach.”**

**“We don’t have a lot of jobs for those that don’t choose to go to college.”**

*- Slidell meeting participants*



# Culture & Recreation

## HIGH RISK AREA



### What we heard



“Fishing tourism has potential.”

“Bayou Liberty area provides a variety of economic and recreational opportunities.”

“We need to market and advertise (our local tourism assets).”

- Slidell meeting participants



# ***Do you agree with this vision for High Risk Areas?***

You described a future with **elevated homes, safe evacuation routes, an expanded recreational and ecotourism industry, and infrastructure needed to protect existing industries and development.**

Strongly  
Agree

A

Agree

B

Slightly  
Agree

C

Neutral

D

Slightly  
Disagree

E

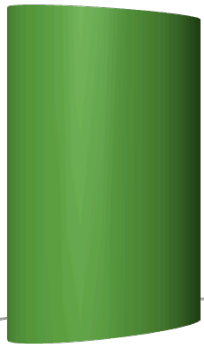
Disagree

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Strongly  
Disagree

G

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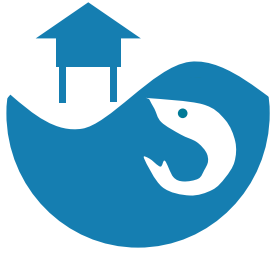
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# ***MODERATE RISK AREAS***



*What we expect  
over 50 years:*

**Land loss in  
surrounding areas**

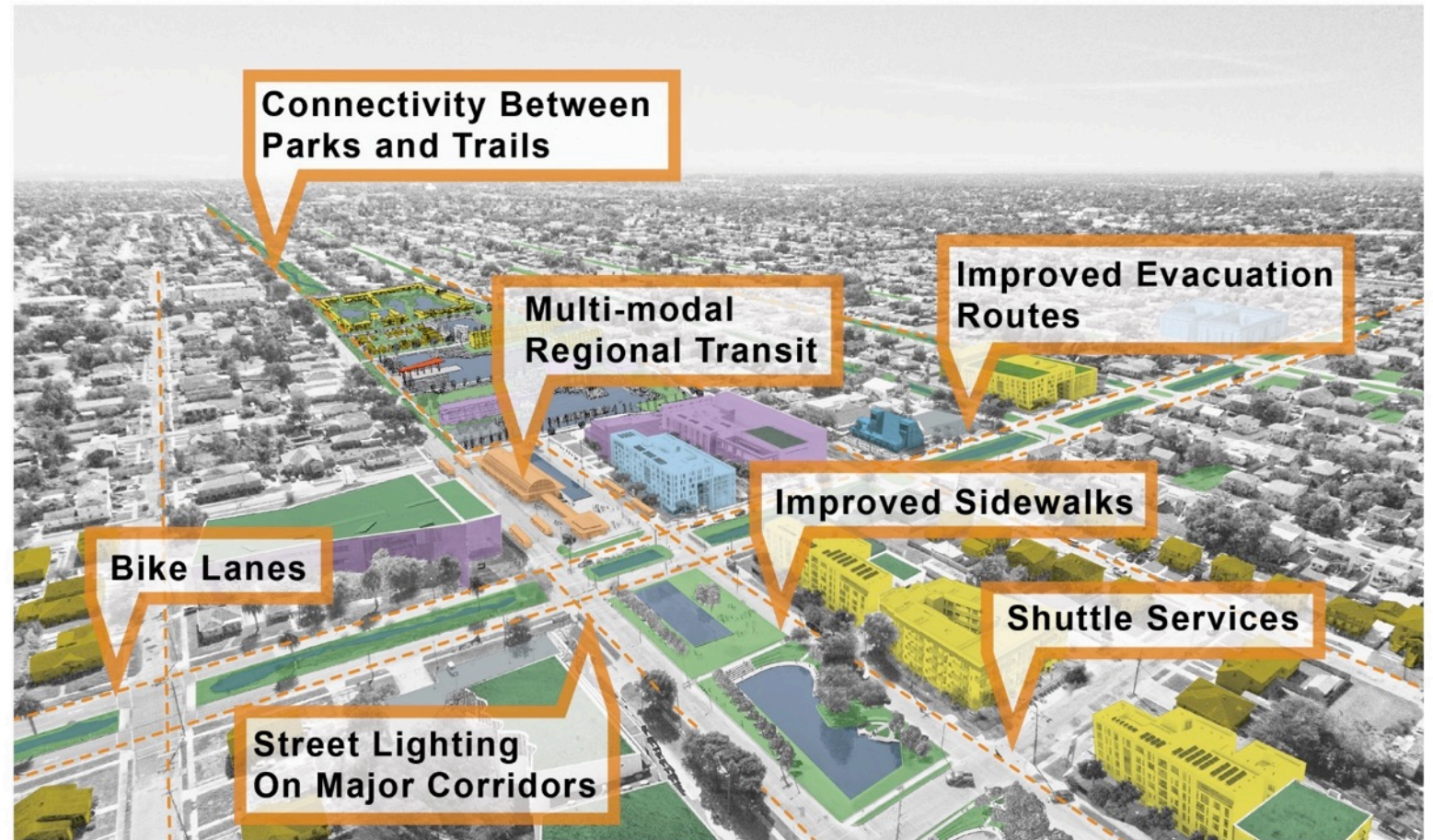
**Moderate local flood risk**

**Not much change  
in population**





## Transportation





# Housing & Development

## MODERATE RISK AREA



### *What we heard*

**“Stop building new buildings when we have older buildings that can be repurposed like the old mall.”**

**“Livable communities surrounded by greenspace would require master plan update.”**

**“Rehab center, Trauma center needed. Planned in Lakeview.”**

*- Slidell, Covington, & Mandeville meeting participants*





# Transportation

## MODERATE RISK AREA



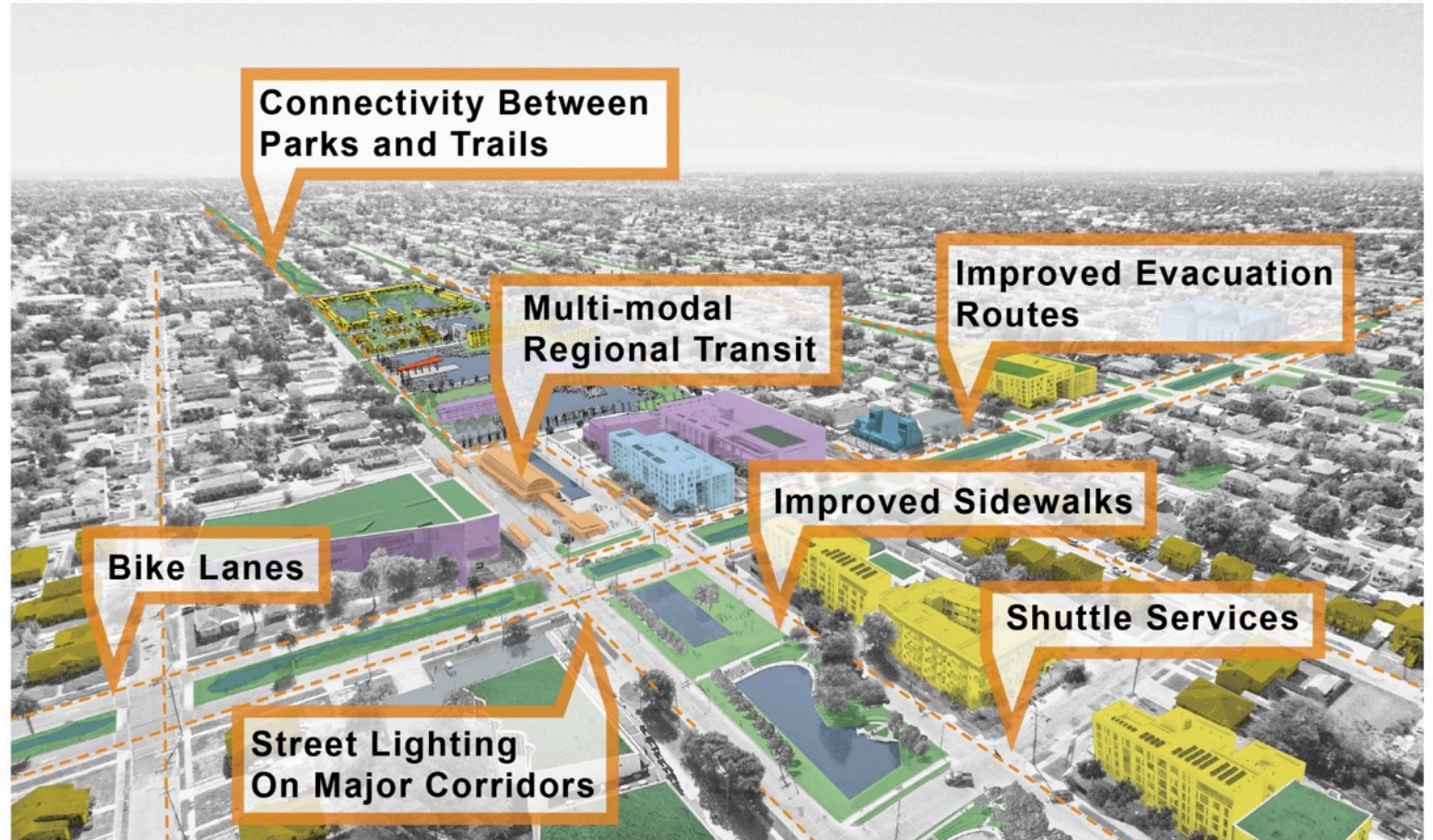
### *What we heard*

**“What about multimodal transportation? We got a 2 lane bridge, there’s no space for bicycles...”**

**“I-12 is bumper to bumper and it was just built.”**

**“Need more trains and increased walkability for the parish.”**

*- Covington & Mandeville meeting participants*





# Stormwater Management & Green Space

## MODERATE RISK AREA



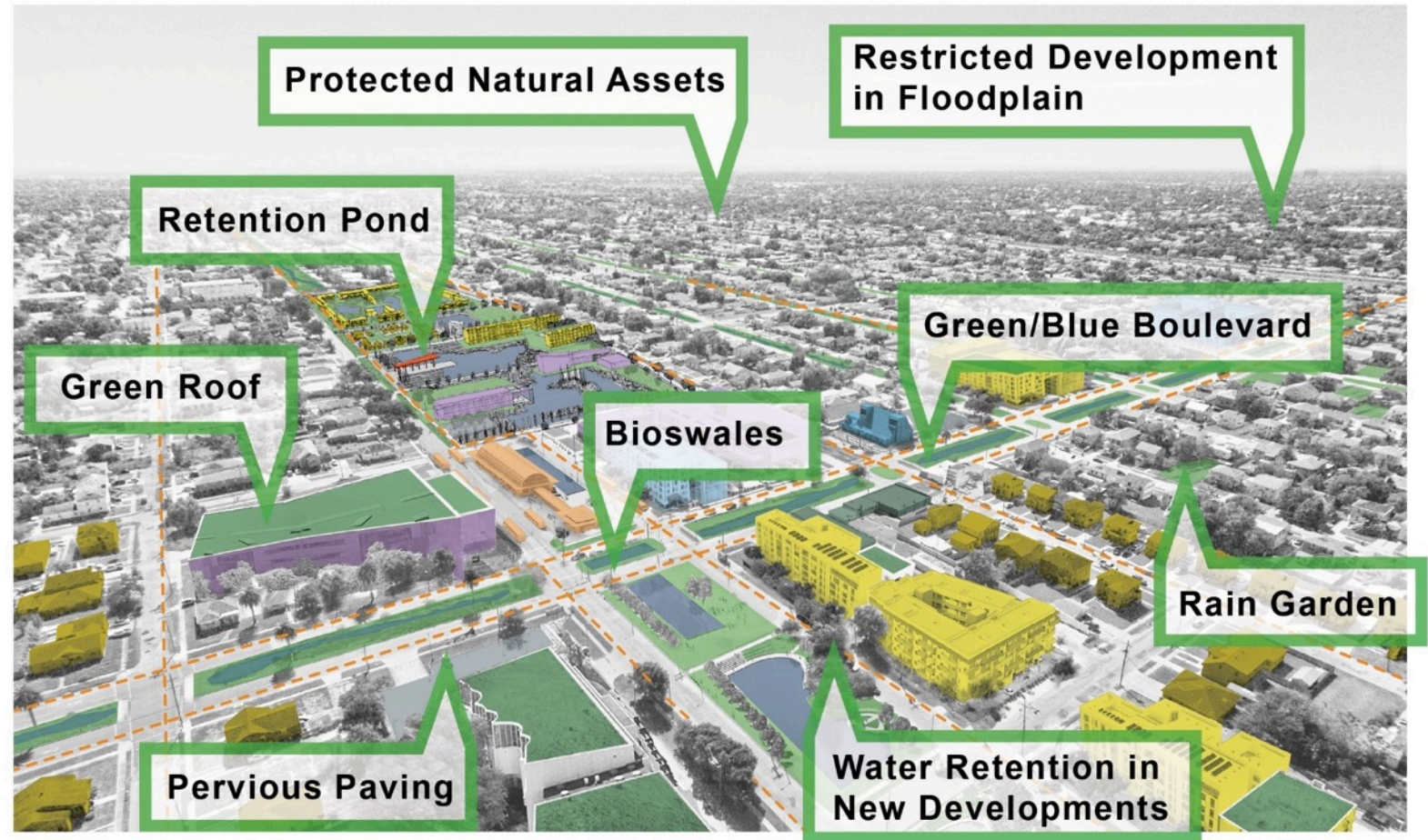
### *What we heard*

**“Series of retention ponds?  
Needs more of a regional  
approach.”**

**“Need to have a river and  
creeks management  
department to monitor  
construction site runoff.”**

**“If you build low lying coastal  
areas, developers need to  
build to incorporate flooding  
in the future”**

*- Mandeville & Slidell meeting  
participants*





# Education, Economy & Jobs

## MODERATE RISK AREA



### *What we heard*

**“Need training in high tech, energy sector jobs.”**

**“What will it take for St. Tammany to invest in energy future?”**

**“In education...incentives teaching about what is a wetland, building a mini wetland...We should be celebrating nature, working with it.”**

*- Covington & Mandeville meeting participants*





# Culture & Recreation

## MODERATE RISK AREA



### *What we heard*

**“Access to recreational activities.”**

**“Expand advertising of tourist attractions on the Northshore.”**

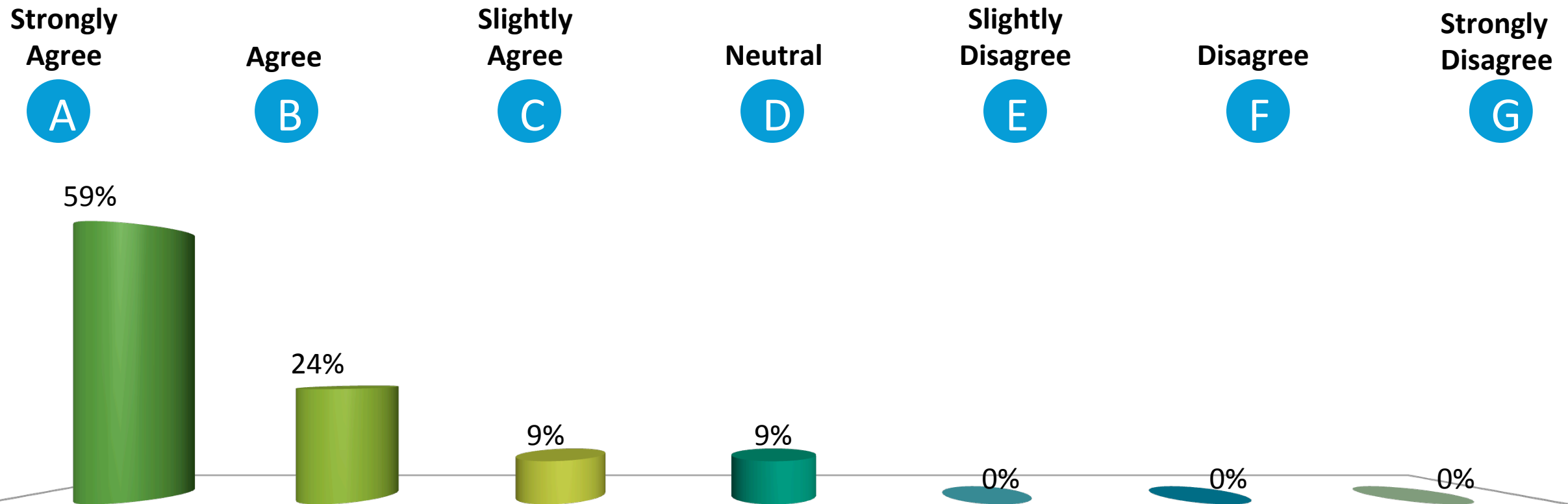
**“Things like...fairs are important to maintain small town culture.”**

*- Covington & Mandeville meeting participants*



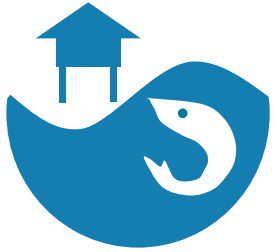
# ***Do you agree with this vision for Moderate Risk Areas?***

You described a future with **elevated residential and commercial development, multimodal transportation, education and job training programs, and improved stormwater management.**



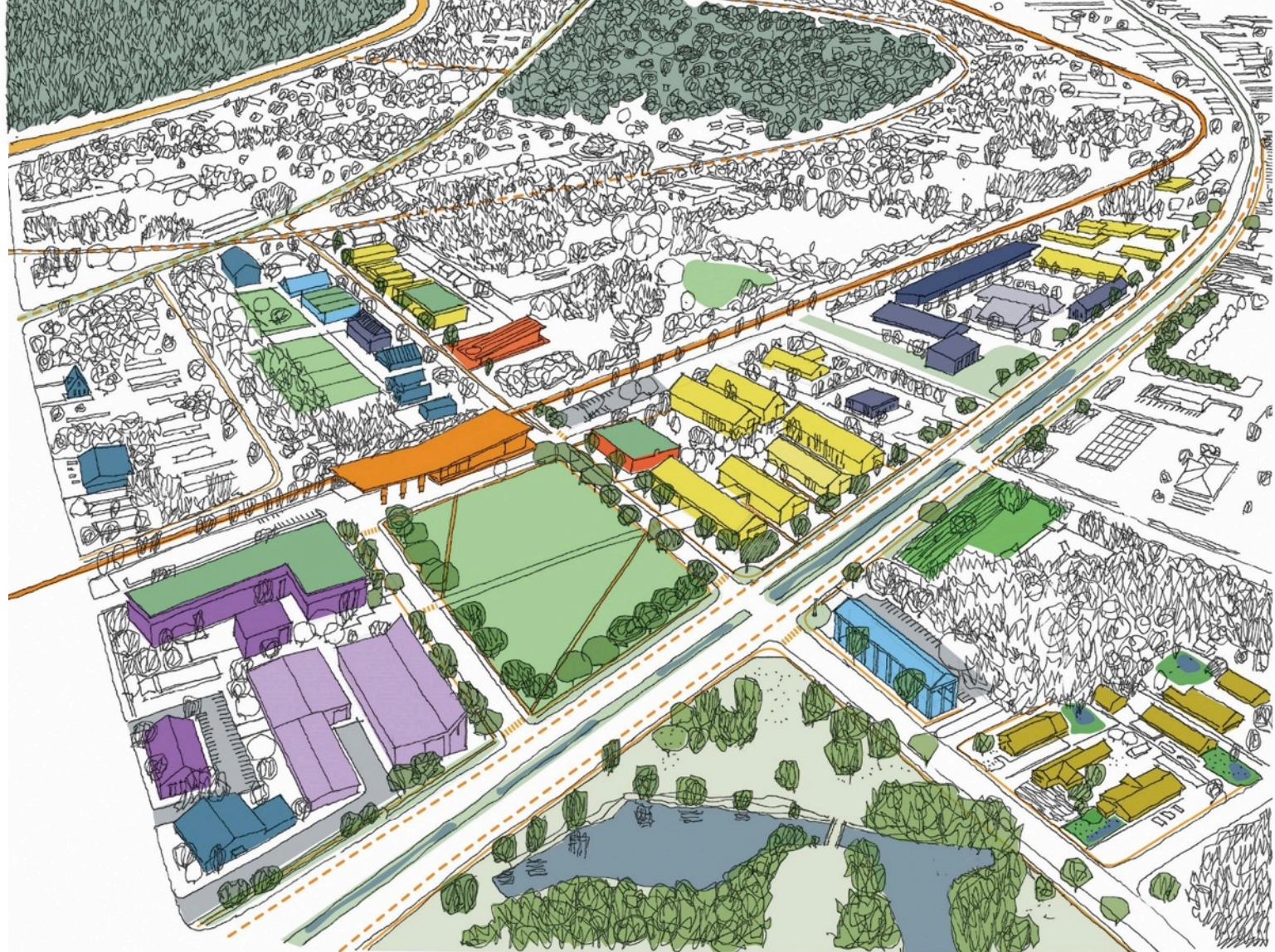


# ***LOW RISK AREAS***



*What we expect  
over 50 years:*

**Minimal flood risk  
Economic growth  
Increases in population**





## Housing & Development



Housing &  
Development



Transportation



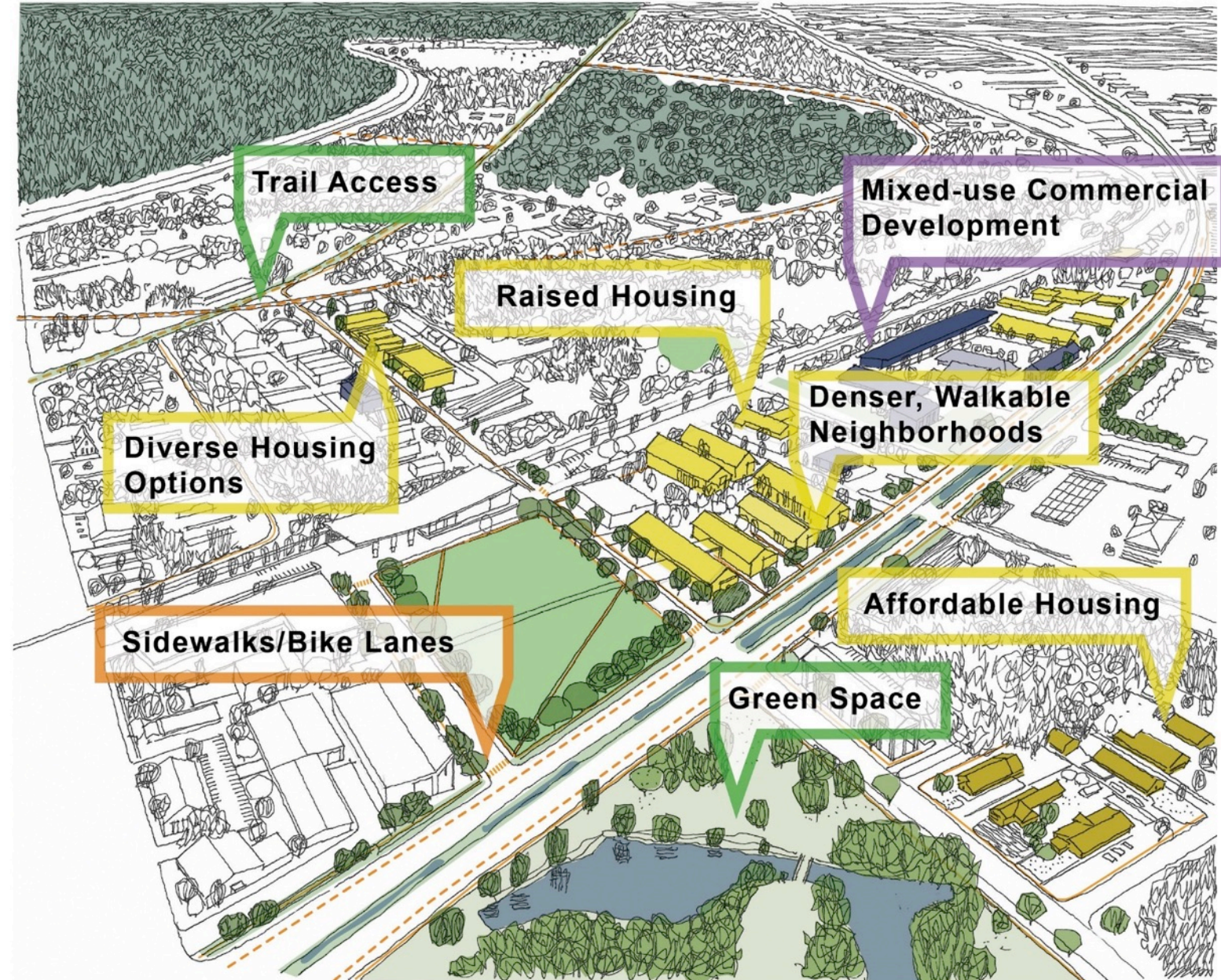
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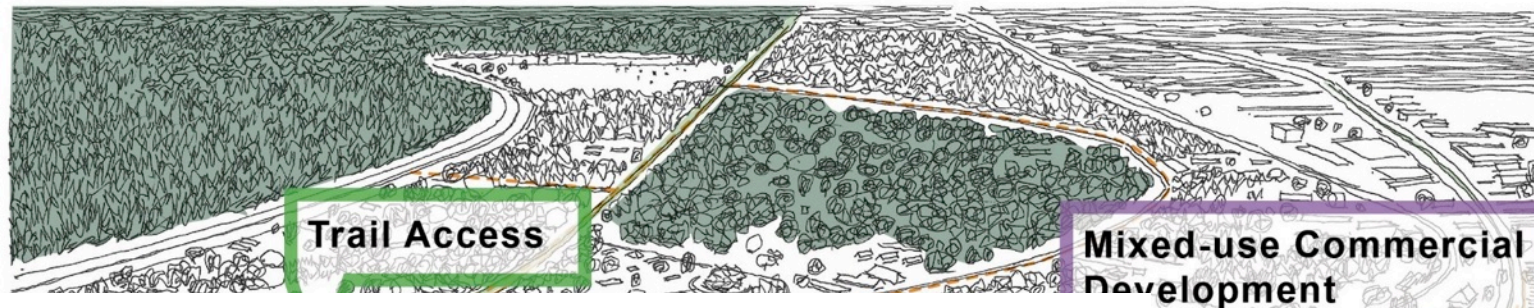
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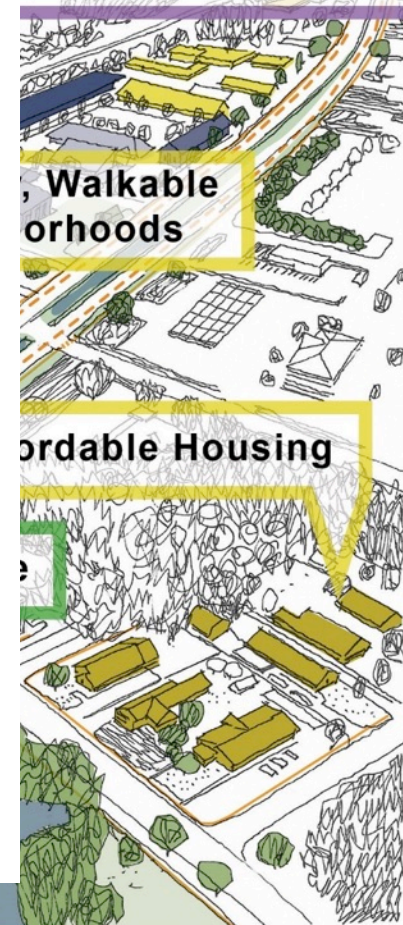




## Housing & Development



## Stormwater Management & Green Space





# Housing & Development

## LOW RISK AREA



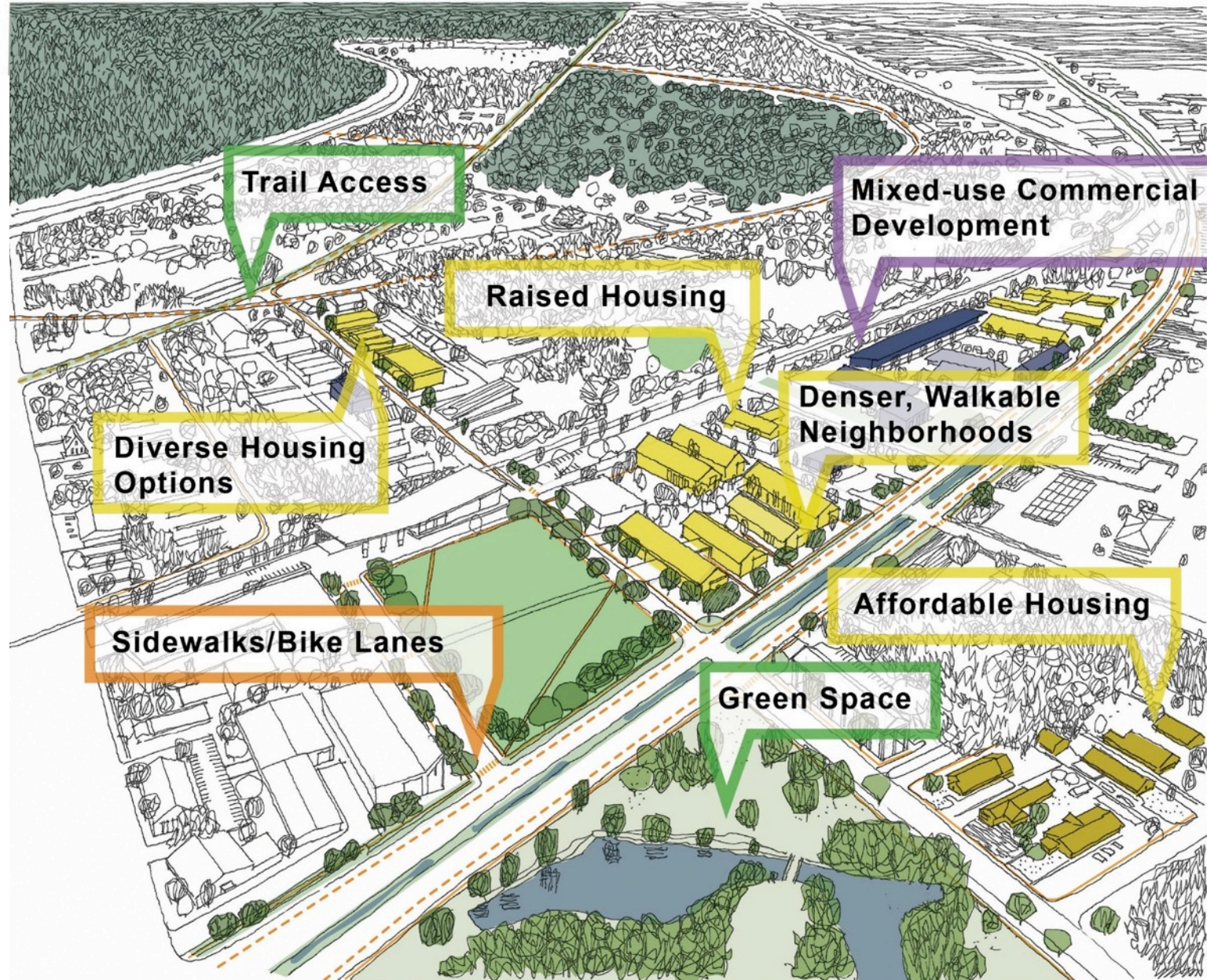
### *What we heard*

**“Diversity of housing would allow for residents to stay and attract younger families.”**

**“With population growth, more service/retail workers who can’t afford to live here.”**

**“Would like to see larger venues, entertainment type districts.”**

- *Covington & Mandeville meeting participants*





# Transportation

## LOW RISK AREA



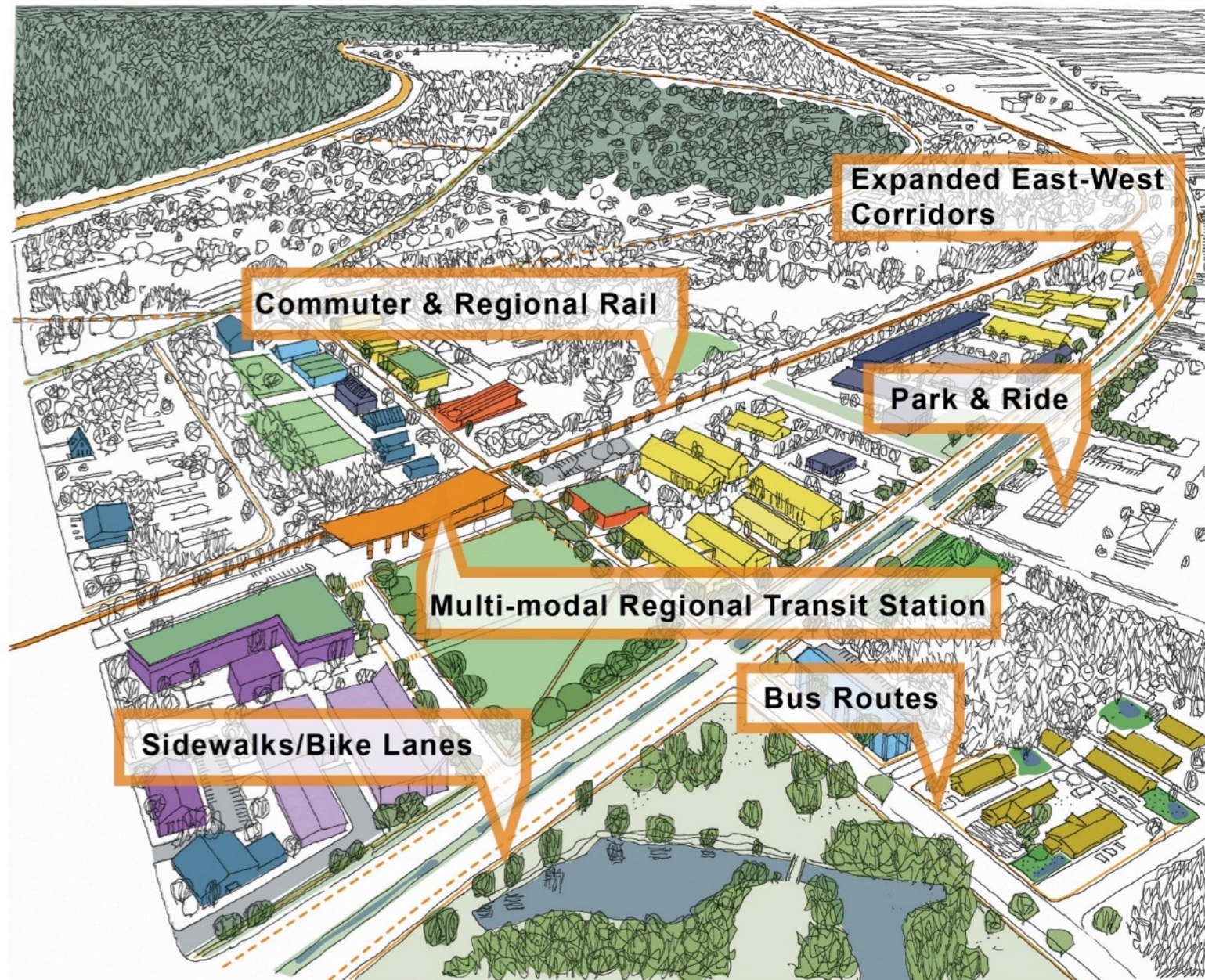
### *What we heard*

**“...you have to have a vehicle to get there...there is no public transportation.”**

**“No good East-West means to get back and forth, no good corridors except for I-12.”**

**“Uber may be the best alternative to public transportation.”**

*- Covington & Mandeville meeting participants*





# Stormwater Management & Green Space

## LOW RISK AREA



### *What we heard*

**“We need to build some parks in the neighborhoods; There are no parks in these huge neighborhoods, so kids stay in their homes.”**

**“As development increases, the more water will flow into parish -- water can’t go through concrete.”**

**“We need inspections of new developments’ stormwater management.”**

*- Covington meeting participants*





# Education, Economy & Jobs

## LOW RISK AREA



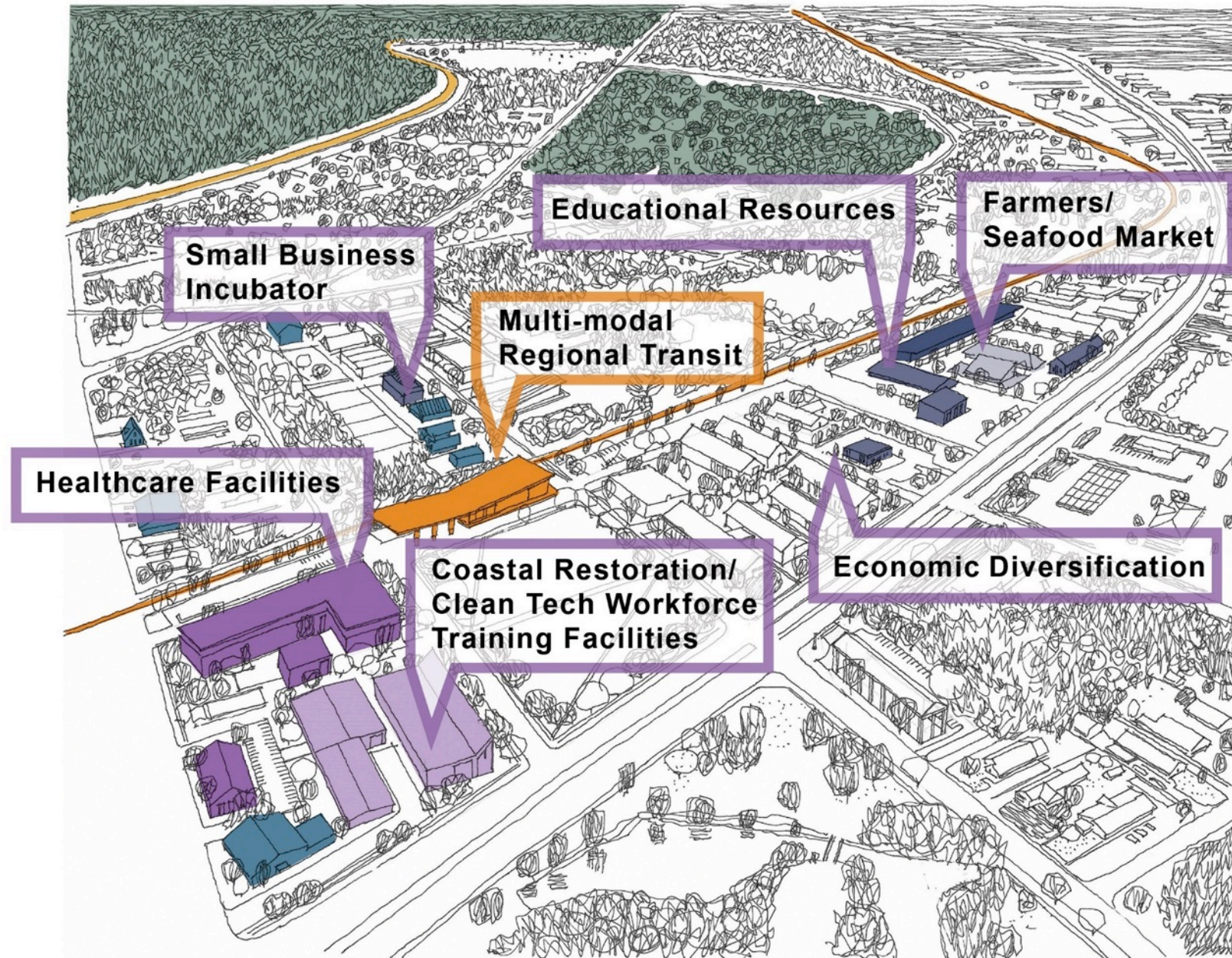
### *What we heard*

**“It all fits together, keep quality of life and education good, people will stick around.”**

**“Change culture from energy heavy industry to environmentally friendly.”**

**“Smaller community schools would be nice.”**

*- Covington & Mandeville meeting participants*





# Culture & Recreation

## LOW RISK AREA



### *What we heard*

**“Maintaining culture will allow us to maintain tourism.”**

**“Protect historical areas.”**

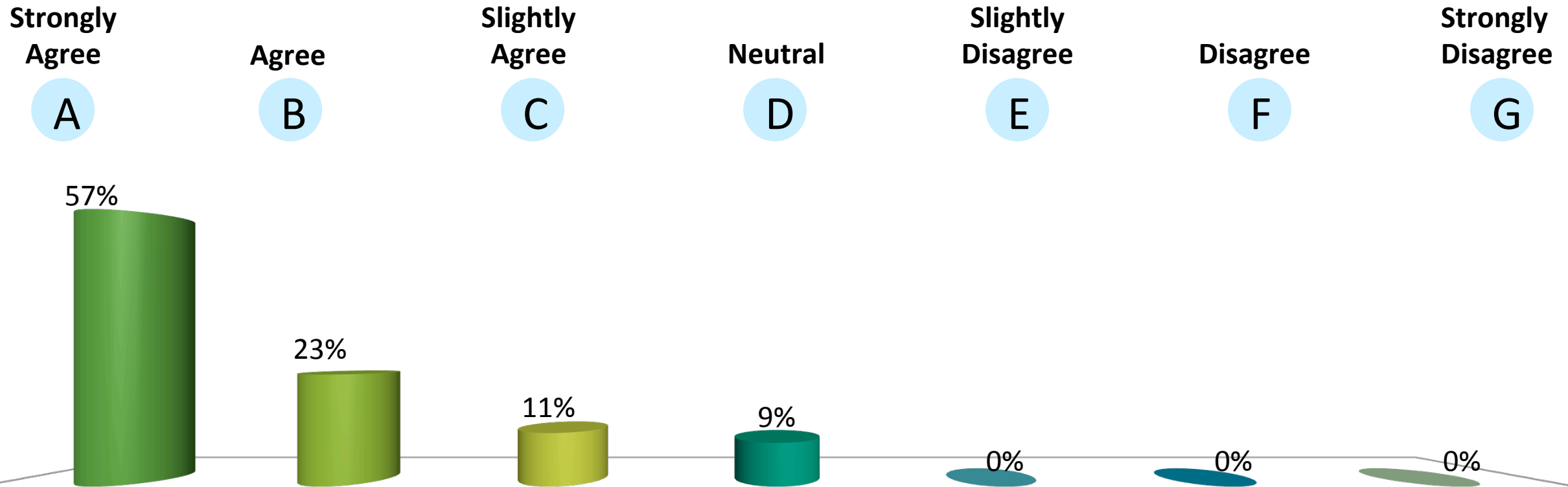
**“Bogue Falaya- park, make more accessible to recreation boats. Known to tourists.”**

*- Covington & Mandeville meeting participants*



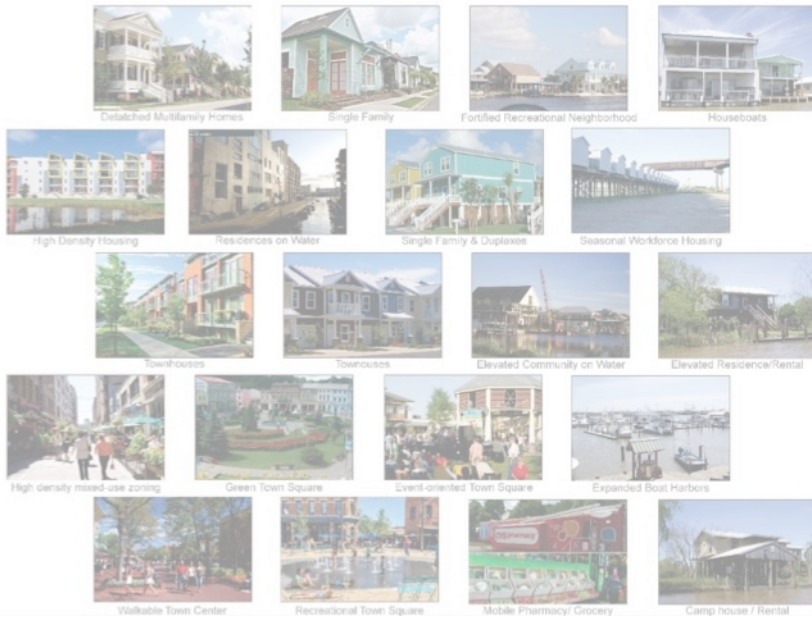
# ***Do you agree with this vision for Low Risk Areas?***

You described a future with more **residential and commercial development**, greater **transportation options**, better **stormwater management**, and more **green space**.





# ***NOW LET'S TALK STRATEGIES***



## ***PROJECTS, PROGRAMS, & POLICIES THAT SUPPORT THE VISION***

## ***OUR GOALS ARE TO...***

***Learn*** which strategies you think are most important for your parish

***Understand*** how we can improve

***Gather*** more strategies that you think will support your parish vision



# ACTIVITY 2

***EACH CATEGORY SHEET IS FILLED WITH IDEAS WE HEARD FROM YOU***

## EDUCATION, ECONOMY, & JOBS

These are some of the ideas that we heard at previous meetings. Which of these investments and strategies do you think will bring the greatest benefit to your Parish?

### LOW RISK



BUSINESS INCUBATOR TO HELP RESIDENTS START NEW BUSINESSES



FARMERS & SEAFOOD MARKET



INCREASE ACCESS TO LIBRARIES



SUPPORT GROWTH IN CREATIVE INDUSTRIES AND INFORMATION ECONOMY

### LOW RISK

### MODERATE RISK



ECOTOURISM JOBS



PROVIDE INCENTIVES TO RETAIN & ATTRACT GOOD TEACHERS



JOB TRAINING PROGRAMS



JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN RENEWABLE ENERGY

### MODERATE RISK

### HIGH RISK



COASTAL RESTORATION CONSTRUCTION JOBS & TRAINING



ECOTOURISM ATTRACTIONS



HANDS-ON ENVIRONMENTAL CURRICULUM AND FIELD TRIPS



CREATIVE REUSE OF OIL RIGS AS ECOTOURISM DESTINATIONS



COMMERCIAL FISHING



FLOATING SERVICES / BUSINESSES



SUPPORT AQUACULTURE

### HIGH RISK

### PARISHWIDE & REGIONAL



CERTIFY, LABEL, AND PROMOTE AUTHENTIC LOUISIANA SEAFOOD



LOCAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE & LOANS FOR FISHERMEN



COORDINATED REGIONAL TOURISM EFFORT



CREATE PARISH SPECIFIC CURRICULUM IN SCHOOLS



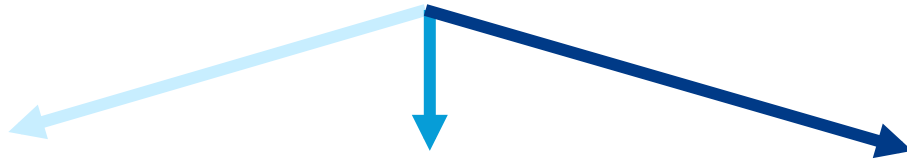
ENGLISH AS SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL) CLASSES AND SERVICES

### NEW IDEAS

What other strategies would add to this vision for the parish?

***SOME IDEAS ARE A  
BETTER FIT FOR  
CERTAIN RISK  
LEVELS***

***OTHER  
STRATEGIES  
ARE PARISH-  
WIDE OR  
REGIONAL***

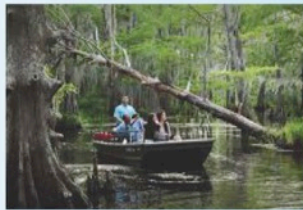


**LOW RISK**



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CONSTRUCTION JOBS &  
TRAINING

**HIGH RISK**



CREATIVE REUSE OF OIL  
RIGS AS ECOTOURISM  
DESTINATIONS

**PARISHWIDE & REGIONAL**



CERTIFY, LABEL, AND  
PROMOTE AUTHENTIC  
LOUISIANA SEAFOOD



LOCAL FINANCIAL  
ASSISTANCE & LOANS  
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***TAKE A CLOSE LOOK AT ALL OF THEM!***



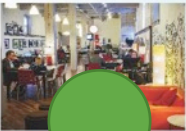













# ACTIVITY 2

**STEP 1:**  
**WHICH STRATEGIES**  
**ARE BEST?**

**YOUR TABLE HAS 8**  
**GREEN STICKERS.**  
**DECIDE AS A GROUP**  
**WHERE TO PLACE**  
**THEM.**

## EDUCATION, ECONOMY, & JOBS

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| LOW RISK  | MODERATE RISK   | HIGH RISK   | PARISHWIDE & REGIONAL  |
|---|---|---|--|
| <br>BUSINESS INCUBATOR TO HELP RE-ENTREPRENEURS START NEW BUSINESSES | <br>ECOTOURISM JOBS                                      | <br>COASTAL RESTORATION CONSTRUCTION JOBS & TRAINING   | <br>CREATIVE REUSE OF OIL RIGS AS ECOTOURISM DESTINATIONS   |
| <br>FARMERS & SEAFOOD MARKET   | <br>PROVIDE INCENTIVES TO RETAIN & ATTRACT GOOD TEACHERS | <br>ECOTOURISM ATTRACTIONS                             | <br>COMMERCIAL FISHING                                      |
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| <br>SUPPORT GROWTH IN CREATIVE INDUSTRIES AND INFORMATION ECONOMY  | <br>JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN RENEWABLE ENERGY              | <br>SUPPORT AQUACULTURE                              | <br>CERTIFY, LABEL, AND PROMOTE AUTHENTIC LOUISIANA SEAFOOD |
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|   |   |   | <br>COORDINATED REGIONAL TOURISM EFFORT                     |
|   |   |   | <br>CREATE PARISH SPECIFIC CURRICULUM IN SCHOOLS            |
|   |   |   | <br>ENGLISH AS SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL) CLASSES AND SERVICES  |
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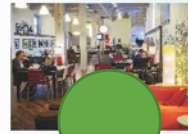
**STEP 2:**  
**ARE ANY OF THESE**  
**BAD IDEAS?**

**IF YOU THINK SO,**  
**PLACE ONE OF YOUR**  
**3 RED STICKERS, AND**  
**TELL US WHY YOU**  
**THINK SO.**

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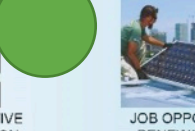

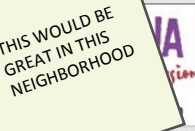
# ACTIVITY 2

**STEP 3:**  
**TELL US HOW**  
**THESE CAN BE**  
**IMPROVED AND**  
**WHAT WE CAN ADD.**

**USE YOUR POST-ITS**  
**OR WRITE ON THE**  
**SHEET**

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NEW IDEAS

WHAT ABOUT DOING....









LET'S TALK ABOUT

YOU LEFT OUT.....

# ACTIVITY 2

**EACH TABLE HAS  
3 SHEETS  
TO DISCUSS.**

**15 MINUTES  
PER SHEET**

| HOUSING & DEVELOPMENT  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| TRANSPORTATION   |  |  |  |  |
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# ***LET'S GET TO WORK!***

***Our advice:  
Take about 5 minutes to place your stickers  
and about 10 to discuss and add comments***

***We will let you know when  
it is time to switch sheets***

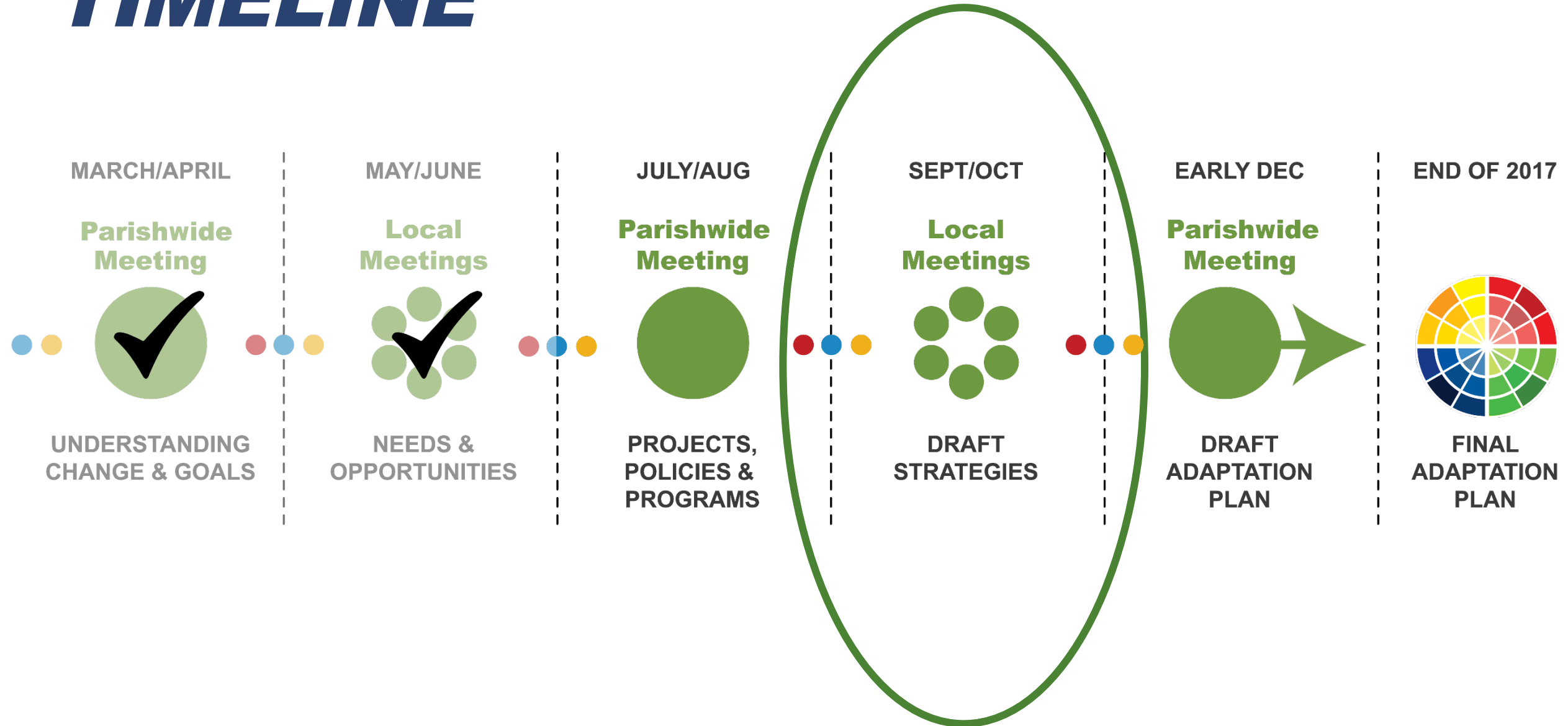


A close-up photograph of a person's hands pointing at a map of the Gulf of Mexico. The map is spread out on a wooden surface and shows various geographical features, including Lake Washington, Lake Grand Ecaille, Bay Long, and the Gulf of Mexico itself. The person's hands are visible, with one hand wearing a watch and a ring. The text 'NEXT STEPS' is overlaid in large, bold, white letters, flanked by large white parentheses. The overall image has a blue tint.

**NEXT STEPS**



# ***TIMELINE***



# ***MEETING EVALUATION***





# ***DURING THE PROCESS, WE MAY ASK YOU TO:***

**Complete a quick survey after each meeting**

**Attend focus groups and interviews**

**Fill out an internet survey**

**CHART will bring back what they found for  
the community and project team to review**





***GRAB A TAKEHOME  
PACKET  
AND SHARE  
WITH YOUR  
FRIENDS!***



***IF YOU EVER WANT TO GET IN TOUCH,***

**CONTACT  
SETH MAGDEN**

**SMagden@gcrincorporated.com**  
**504.304.0706**



A sunset scene over a body of water. The sky is filled with orange and yellow clouds, and the sun is low on the horizon. The water is dark with some ripples. In the distance, there are silhouettes of boats and a pier. The text "THANK YOU!" is overlaid in the center in a large, white, bold, italicized font.

***THANK YOU!***





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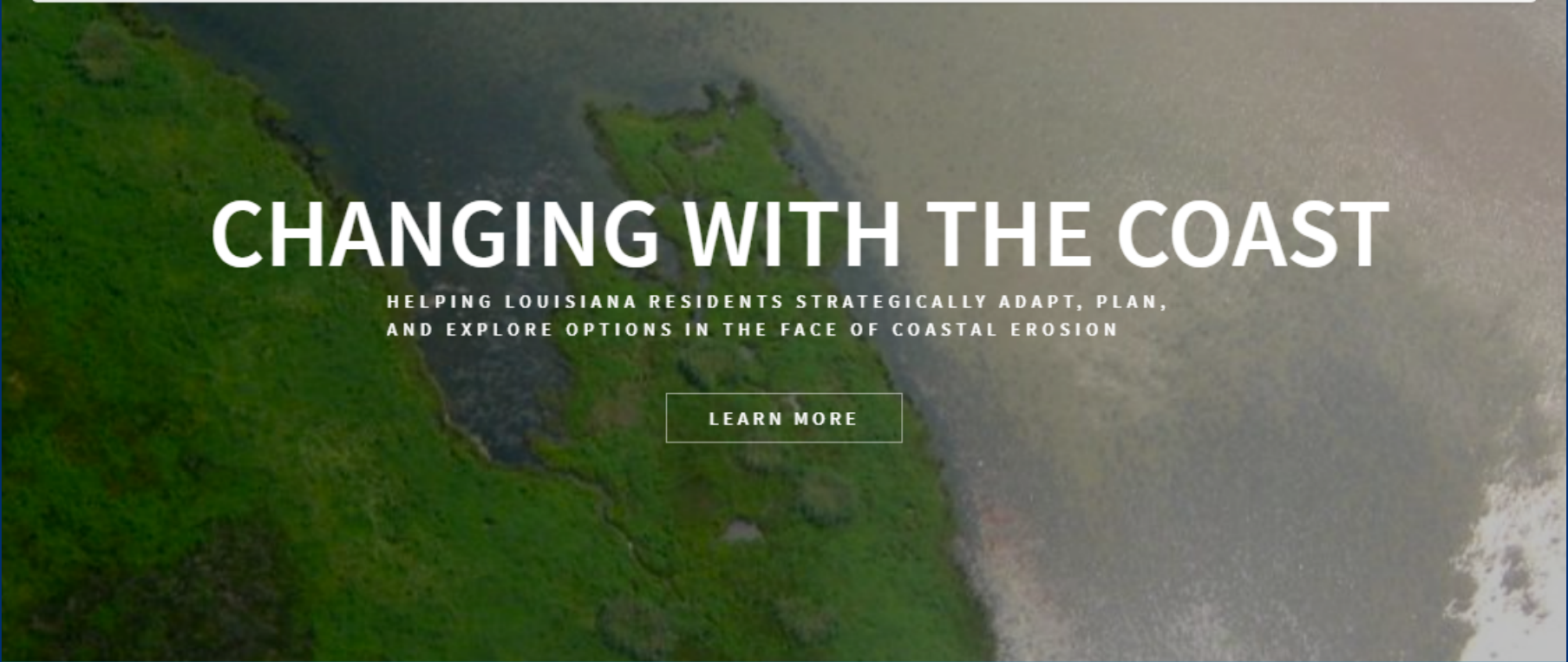
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