



Adaptation Webinar 1: A Chicago Regional Climate Plan - Overview and Status

Friday, May 22, 2020, 1 to 2:30 pm

This first of four climate adaptation webinars will recap the [Regional and Metro-Scale Climate Leaders](#) project, the role of MMC and CMAP, and the objectives of the regional climate planning project. The [U.S. Climate Resilience Toolkit](#) and [Steps to Resilience](#) will be introduced, and impacts on our communities will be discussed.

Participants will be invited to participate using the Mentimeter platform. Please be prepared to navigate to <https://www.menti.com> during the session.

Agenda

1. Welcome

Kevin Burns, Mayor, City of Geneva & [Environment Committee](#) Chairman, Metropolitan Mayors Caucus (MMC)

2. Project Overview – GCoM: [Regional and Metro Scale Climate Leaders](#)

Edith Makra, Director of Environmental Initiatives, MMC
Jared Patton, AICP, Associate Planner, CMAP

3. Practical Guidance for Chicago Region Climate Planning: Using the [Steps to Resilience](#)

Ned Gardiner, Engagement Manager, NOAA
Jim Fox, Senior Resilience Associate, NEMAC+FernLeaf

4. Why does it matter?

a. Climate Risk & Vulnerability in the Region

Jared Patton

b. Impacts on Community

Dale Sands, President, Village of Deer Park & Co-Chair [UN ARISE](#)

5. Discussion and questions

Please join us for the next *three* webinars:

2. **Climate Impacts & Hazards**, May 29, 2020, 1:00 – 2:30 pm, [Register here](#)

3. **Climate Risk and Vulnerability**, June 5, 2020, 1:00 – 2:30 pm, [Register here](#)

4. **Regional Climate Adaptation Planning & Prioritization Virtual Workshop**, June 12, 2020, 1:00 – 3:00 pm (2 hours), [Register here](#)

More information [here](#)