



## NJ Climate Adaptation Alliance

### **New Jersey Climate Adaptation Alliance Advisory Committee**

#### *Summary of February 8, 2013 and March 8, 2013 Conference Calls*

The Advisory Committee of the New Jersey Climate Adaptation Alliance held its quarterly meeting via two teleconferences on February and March 8, 2013 due to inclement weather. The meetings focused on a review of the stakeholder engagement process and the agenda for the May 22 conference.

**New Members:** The Committee welcomed Ana Baptista, John Cecil, Richard Norz, Chris Sturm, and Lucy Vandenberg to the Advisory Committee.

**Stakeholder Engagement/Public Policy Process:** The Committee discussed progress towards reaching out to relevant stakeholders in the six targeted sectors. Initial outreach efforts have begun, focusing first on the public health community.

**May 22 Conference:** The Committee discussed the upcoming conference on Leading Practices and Policy Priorities

**Funding/Budget:** The Committee reviewed the operating budget and potential sources of funding. NJCAA submitted a proposal to the NJ Recovery Fund, which would include initial strategic planning for creation of a common mapping platform (NJADAPT).

The next Alliance Advisory Committee Meeting is May 3, 2013.