

# COLLIER COUNTY COASTAL STORM RISK MANAGEMENT FEASIBILITY STUDY

## National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)

- One of the nation's oldest environmental laws.
- Applies to federal agencies.
- Requires federal agencies to consider and disclose the environmental effects of their proposed actions in a public document.
- Encourages federal agencies to make environmentally responsible decisions.
- The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has prepared an integrated Feasibility Report and Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).
- The EIS will result in a Record of Decision document.

## Resource Areas Evaluated

- Aesthetics and Visual Resources
- Air Quality
- Bathymetry, Hydrology, and Tidal Processes
- Benthic Resources
- Climate, Climate Changes, and Sea Level Change
- Cultural Resources
- Essential Fish Habitat, and Fishery Resources
- Floodplains
- Geology, Physiography, and Topography
- Hazardous, Toxic, and Radioactive Materials and Wastes
- Land Use
- Navigation
- Noise and Vibration
- Recreational Resources
- Special Status Species
- Safety
- Socioeconomics
- Transportation
- Utilities
- Water Quality
- Wetlands and Submerged Aquatic Vegetation
- Wildlife and Terrestrial Habitat

## How can I provide comments?

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**Public Comments are due by:  
September 14, 2020**

Access the Draft IFR/EIS at

<https://www.saj.usace.army.mil/CollierCountyCSRmFeasibilityStudy/>

