



# **Resiliency** Massport





A pathway to a more resilient future



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#### **Overview of Massport**

- Massport is an independent authority governed by a board of directors, appointed by the state's governor
- Massport owns and operates
  - Boston-Logan International Airport
  - Hanscom Field, Bedford, MA
  - Worcester Airport
  - Conley Container Terminal
  - Black Falcon Cruiseport
  - Various real estate assets



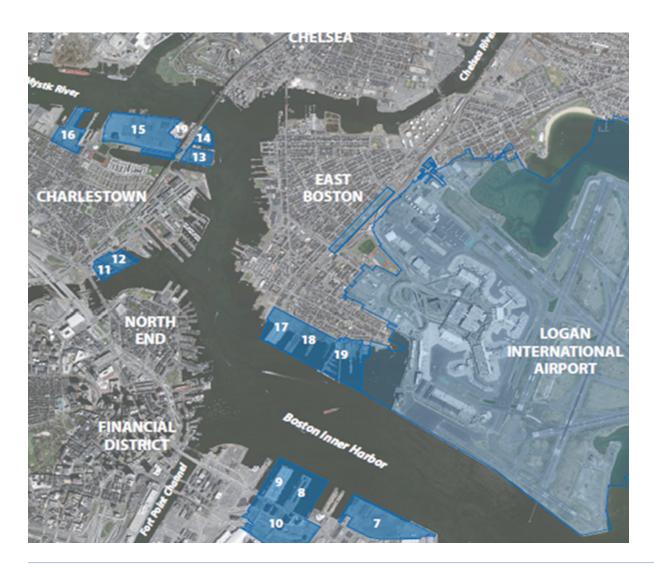






#### Secure and Resilient Massport on Boston Harbor











#### Port of Boston

- Oldest continually active port in Western Hemisphere (400 years)
- New England's maritime hub
- Supports 34,000 jobs
- \$2 billion to local, regional,
- and national economies





## Paul W. Conley Container Terminal







- Serves three of the world's top 10 container lines.
- Handles nearly 1.5 million metric tons of cargo each year.







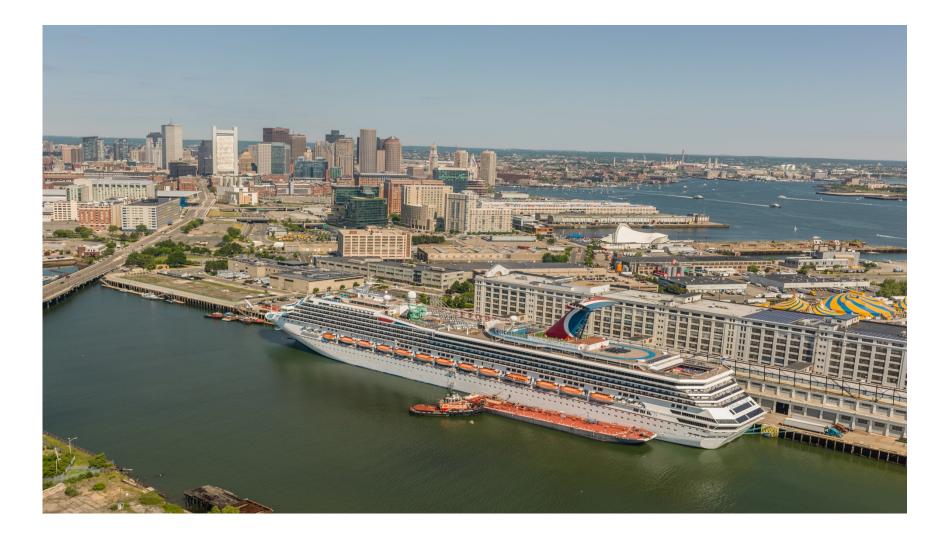
- Privately owned petroleum and liquefied natural gas terminals
- Supplies more than 90% of Massachusetts' heating and fossil fuel needs.
- Two ship repair yards,
- Public and private ferry operations,
- Marinas,
- Coast Guard's Sector Boston





# **Cruiseport Boston**





# Context for our resiliency work





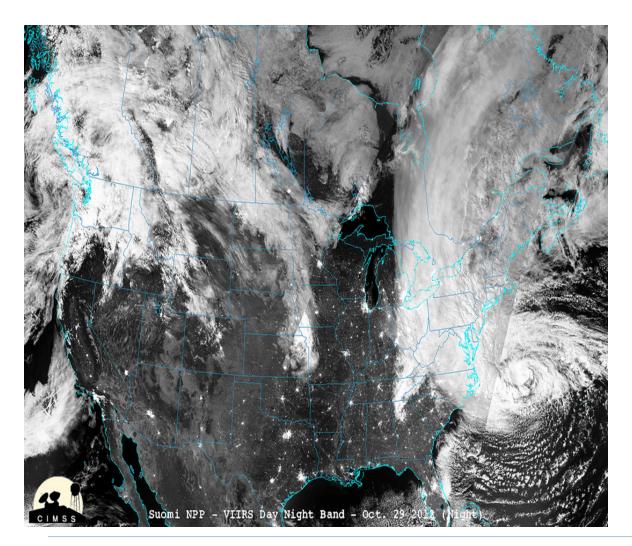
# A City Built on Fill





### **Drivers for Action**











#### Monitoring



- Massport essential personnel
  - Fire
  - Safety
  - Operations
  - Resident Engineers

- Term-contractors on-site
  - Roofing
  - Electrical
  - Mechanical
  - Pumping
  - Cleaning



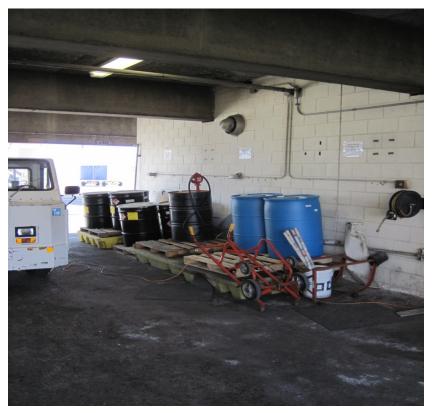


#### Hazardous Waste





Hazardous waste moved inside



Hazardous waste moved inside

#### Assessing Damage

- Solar panels destroyed
- Terminals flooded
- Standards and signs blown over
- Vehicles destroyed
- Roofing membranes peeled off













#### **Possible Impacts**



- Airports
  - Logan Airport prolonged closure regional/national, international transportation/ economic impacts
  - Passenger, business, critical goods, and commerce disruption
  - Lack of ability to serve area-wide storm recovery efforts

#### Maritime

- Major facility and equipment loss leading to long term closure
- Loss of cruise & container business

#### Real Estate

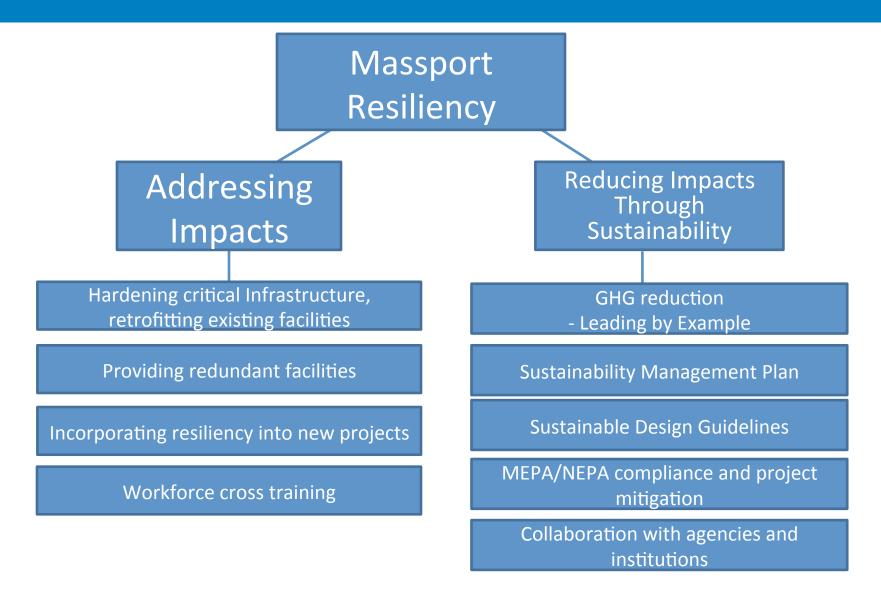
- Financial risks associated with tenant disruptions/recovery
- Disruptions to local/regional transportation system

#### • Agency-wide

- Loss of human resources
- Greater recovery cost







#### **Program Manager of Resiliency**

- First position of its kind at Massport and possibly at any national port authority.
- Directs and coordinates resilience assessment and adaptation preparedness activities of Massport.
- Pursues two complementary objectives:
  - Making the resilience plan and its principles part of business strategy and operations everywhere;
  - Facilitating cooperation among internal staff
  - External stakeholders promoting partnership &collective action.









"Resiliency is the ability of a system to withstand a major disruption within acceptable degradation parameters, recover within an acceptable time, and balance composite costs and risks."

- How to protect Massport facilities against long-term sea-level rise, storm surges, intense storm events, other unplanned events and threats?
- How to maintain and restore operational capabilities during and after disruptive events?
- How to implement a balanced composite cost and risk plan?

### **Resiliency Program Goals**



- Become an innovative and national model for resiliency planning and implementation within the port authority.
- Take responsibility for improving our overall infrastructure and operational resilience.
- Increase our business value and (contextual community responsibilities) through improved resiliency.
- Engage our stakeholders to better understand and address their concerns.
- Incorporate resilient design and construction practices in the development of our airports, maritime systems, and real estate.
- Monitor, measure, and adapt/modify our progress.







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# PROCESS

### **Resiliency Working Group**





- Logan
- Maritime
- Worcester
- Hanscom
- Corporate





## Working Group Charge



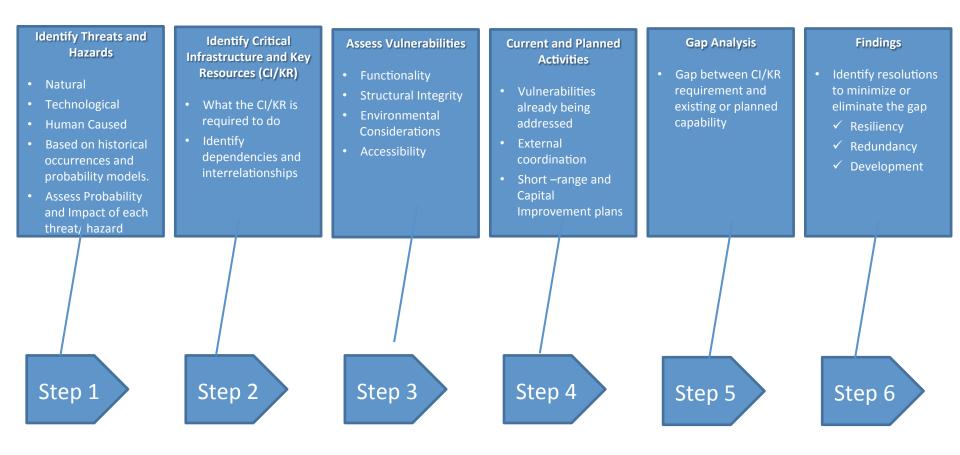
- Identification
  - Threat event
  - Threat level
  - Impacted facilities
  - Effect of impact
  - Critical facilities needing protection
- Devise a Plan
  - Avoid, minimize, recover
  - Short term
  - Long term



#### Methodology



#### Modified DHS Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment (THIRA) Model





| NATURAL   | TECHNOLOGICAL  | HUMAN-CAUSED   |
|---|--|--|
| Resulting from acts of nature   | Involves accidents or the failures of systems and structures | Caused by the intentional actions of an adversary  |
| <ul> <li>Earthquake</li> <li>Flood*</li> <li>High winds*</li> <li>Hurricane*</li> <li>Sea Level Rise*</li> <li>Tornado</li> <li>Tsunami</li> <li>Fire</li> <li>Winter Storm*</li> </ul> * Addressed in Kleinfelder Study for Logan and Maritime | <ul> <li>Data Loss</li> <li>Power Loss</li> </ul>            | <ul> <li>Fire/Accident</li> <li>Sabotage</li> <li>Terrorism Acts (Bomb Blast)</li> </ul> |

#### Critical Infrastructure/Key Resources



| Utilities  | Transp                | ortation            |  |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|--|
| Electrical/Vaults/Sub Stations/Distribution etc. | Parking               | Transit             |  |
| Drainage   | Surface Roads         | Тахі                |  |
| Generators                                       | Elevated Roads        | Shuttle             |  |
| Water  | Tunnels               | Rental Car          |  |
|  | Bridges               |                     |  |
| Fuel Systems                                     | Humar                 | n Capital           |  |
| Aviation Fuel                                    | Workforce             |                     |  |
| Ground Fuel                                      | HR Functions          |                     |  |
| Generator Fuel                                   | Qualified Maintenance |                     |  |
|  | Security              |                     |  |
| IT   | Equipmen              | Equipment/Buildings |  |
| ATC – Tower                                      | Terminals             | Operating Cranes    |  |
| Telecommunications                               | Runway/Taxiway        | Processing Gates    |  |
| Network  | Apron                 |                     |  |
| Software   | Tower                 |                     |  |
| Hardware   | Security Gates        |                     |  |
| Enterprise                                       | Berths                |                     |  |







# Probability



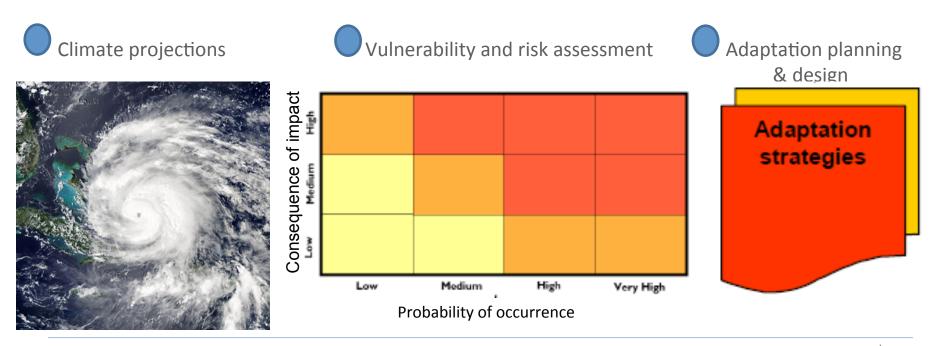
| Hig   | h Probability/High Im | npact                             |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Natural   | Technological         | Human-Caused                      |
| Flood<br>High Winds<br>Hurricane<br>Fire<br>Extreme Temps | Data Loss             |                                   |
| Low Probability/High                                      | Impact                |                                   |
| Natural   | Technological         | Human-Caused                      |
| Tsunami<br>Tornado<br>Earthquake                          |                       | Terrorism<br>Sabotage<br>Epidemic |

### **mässport**

#### Goals of the project:

- Understand Massport's vulnerability to climate impacts
- Develop short-term and long-term resiliency strategies

#### Project approach:

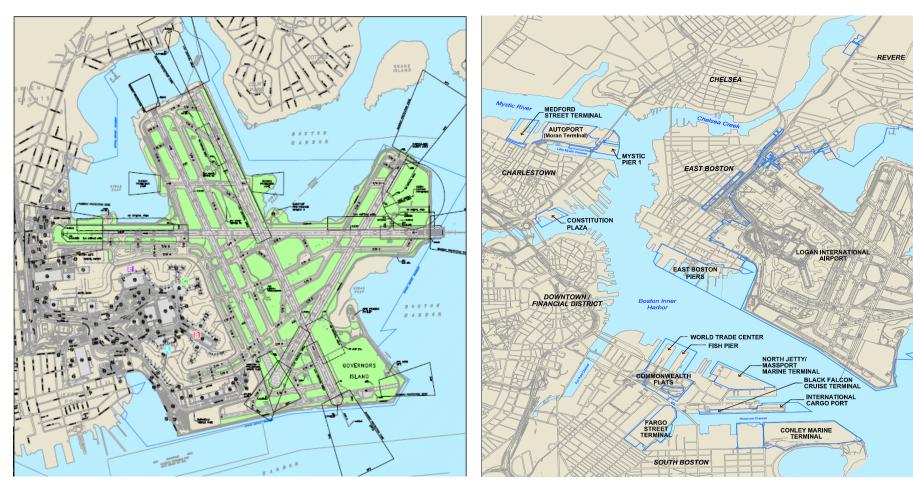


#### **Climate Study Area**



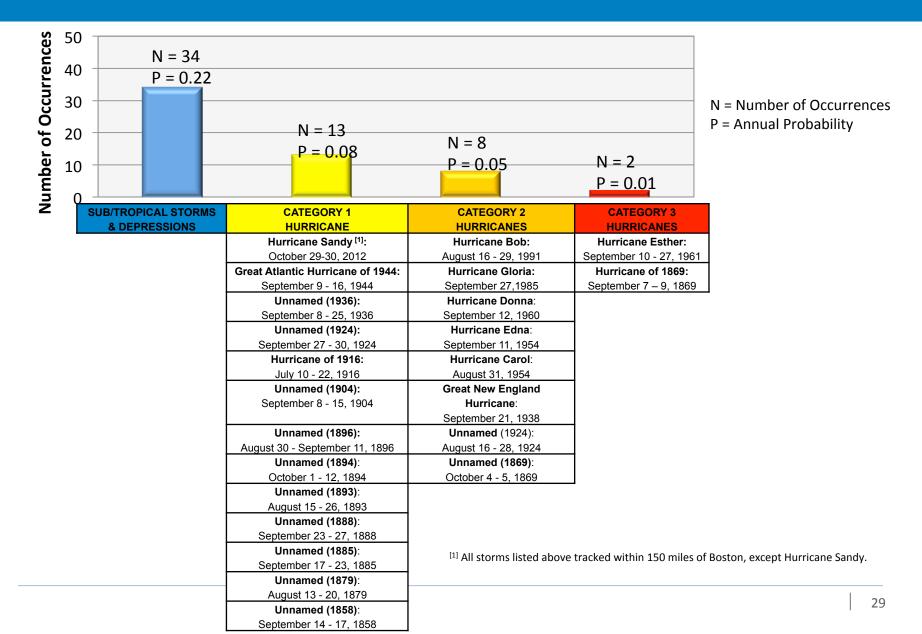
#### Logan Airport

#### **Maritime Facilities**



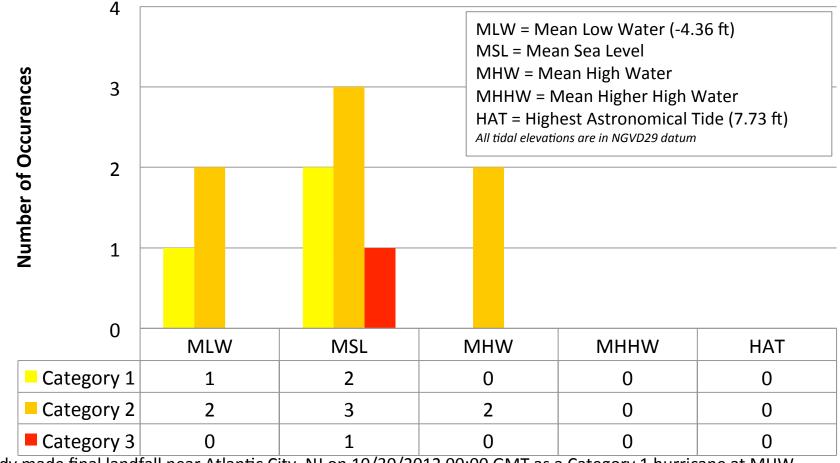
#### Historic Occurrence of Hurricanes – Boston (1858-2013)





#### Tide Levels at Peak Hurricane Storm Surge -Boston (1923-2013)

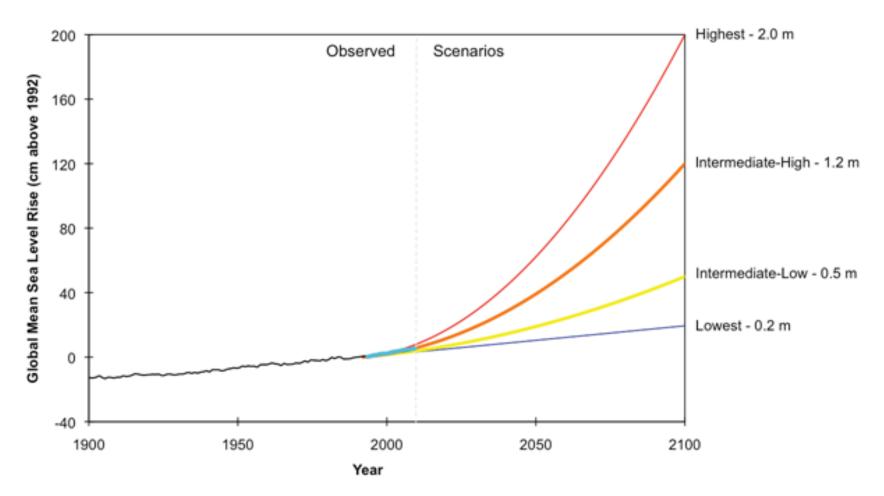




Sandy made final landfall near Atlantic City, NJ on 10/30/2012 00:00 GMT as a Category 1 hurricane at MHW (NOAA, 2013)

#### Sea Level Rise Projections





Global mean sea level rise scenarios provided by NOAA as part of the National Climate Assessment report published in December 2012.

# South Boston - Flooding from Category 2 Hurricane at MHHW





# South Boston - Flooding from Category 3 Hurricane at MHHW

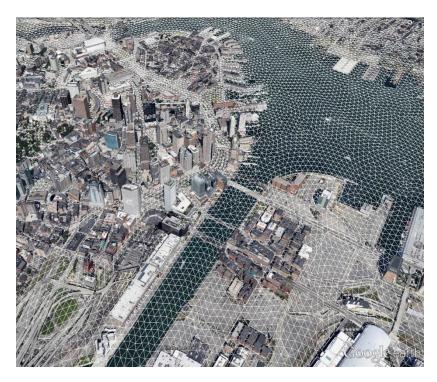


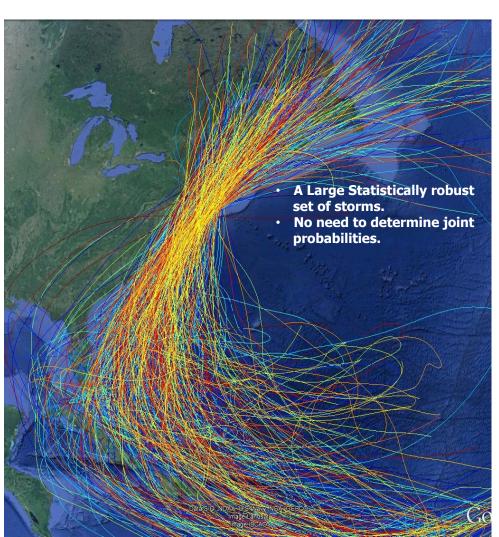


#### Storm Climatology

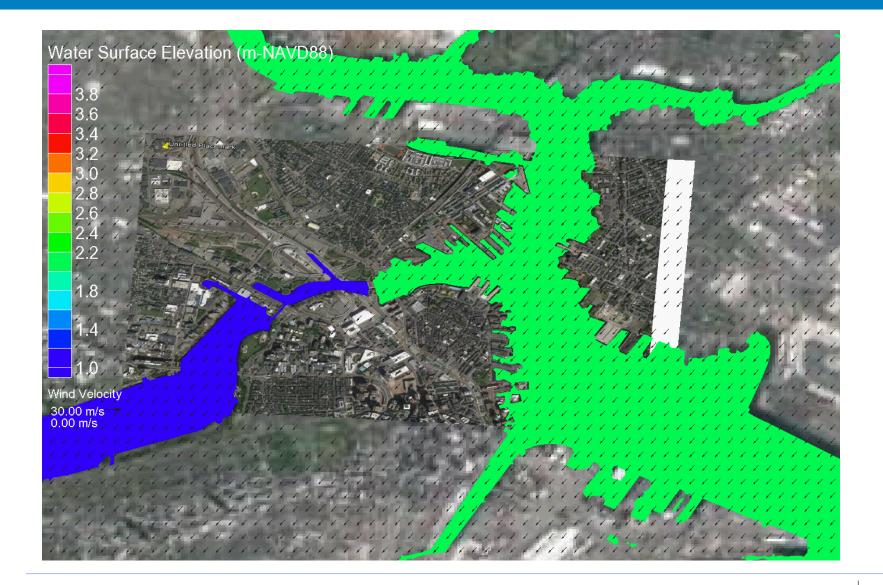


- Includes both tropical and extra-tropical storm sets
- Present and future climate change scenarios







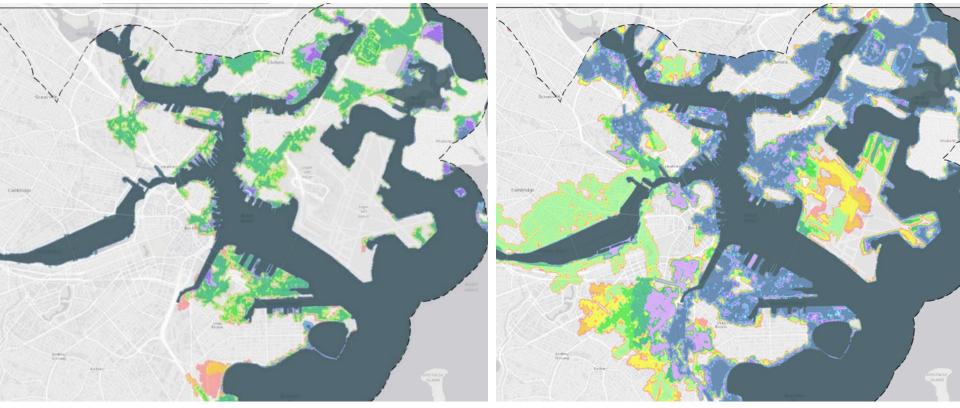


## Flood Risk Model



• 2030

#### • 2070







| 20 |   |
|----|---|
| 18 | OLD - Logan DFE New Facilities: Cat 3 MHW = 19.5 ft (SLOSH)<br>OLD - Maritime DFE New Facilities: Cat 3 MHW = 19.3 ft (SLOSH)         |
| 16 | NEW – MPA DFE New Facilities: 0.2% 2070 +3 ft freeboard = 17 ft (BH-FRM)  |
| 14 | OLD - Logan DFE Existing Facilities: Cat 2 MHW = 15.4 ft (SLOSH)<br>OLD - Maritime DFE Existing Facilities: Cat 2 MHW = 15 ft (SLOSH) |
| 12 | <u>NEW – MPA DFE Existing Facilities: 0.2% 2030 +3 ft freeboar</u> d = 13.7 ft (BH-FRM)<br><u>AE 1% 2013 = 10 to 13 ft (FEMA*)</u>    |
| 10 | AE 1% 2009 = 9 to 11 ft (FEMA)  |
|    |   |

(Feet NAVD88)



## Floodproofing Design Guide:

- Design Flood Elevations
  - New Facilities
  - Existing Facilities
- Floodproofing Strategies
  - Wet Floodproofing
  - Dry Floodproofing
- Performance Standards
- Reviews and Approvals

#### MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY FLOODPROOFING DESIGN GUIDE

November 2014 Revised April 2015







# **New Construction**





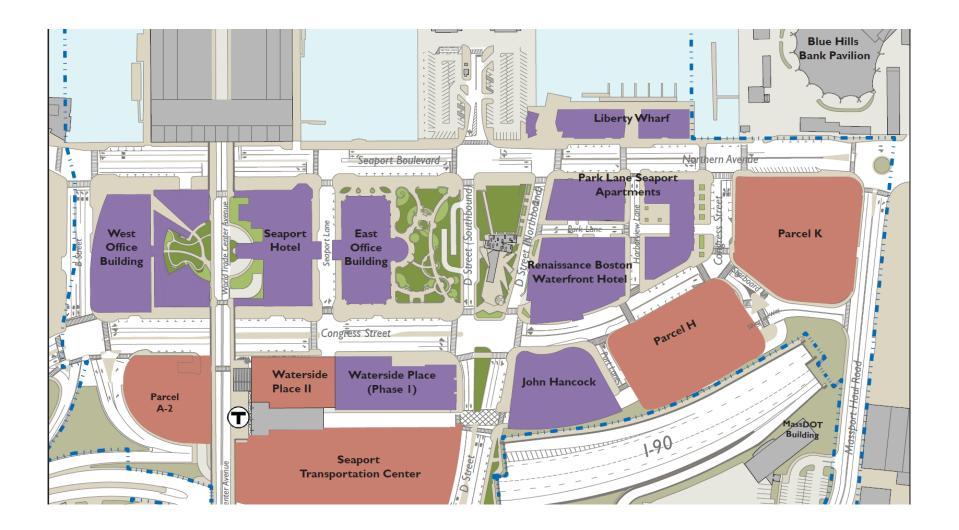
# **New Construction**





# **Real Estate and tenants**





# South Boston Maritime – Critical Facilities





# Consequence: Criticality Score



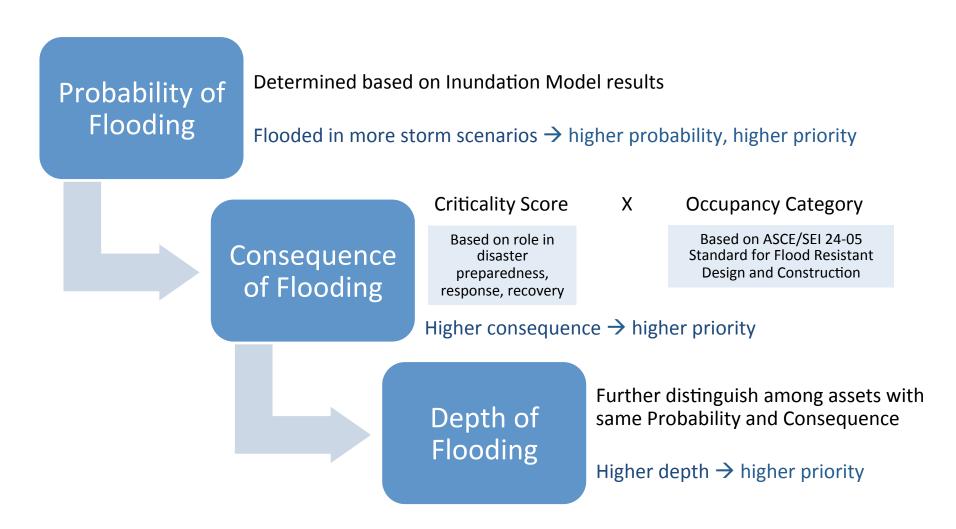
| Description   | Criticality Score |
|---|-------------------|
| Assets required for <b>bare-bones</b><br><b>functionality</b> for disaster<br>preparedness, response, and<br>recovery | 3                 |
| Assets required for <b>disaster</b><br><b>response</b> in the immediate<br>aftermath of a flood event                 | 2                 |
| Assets required for facility to recover to acceptable level of service  | 1                 |





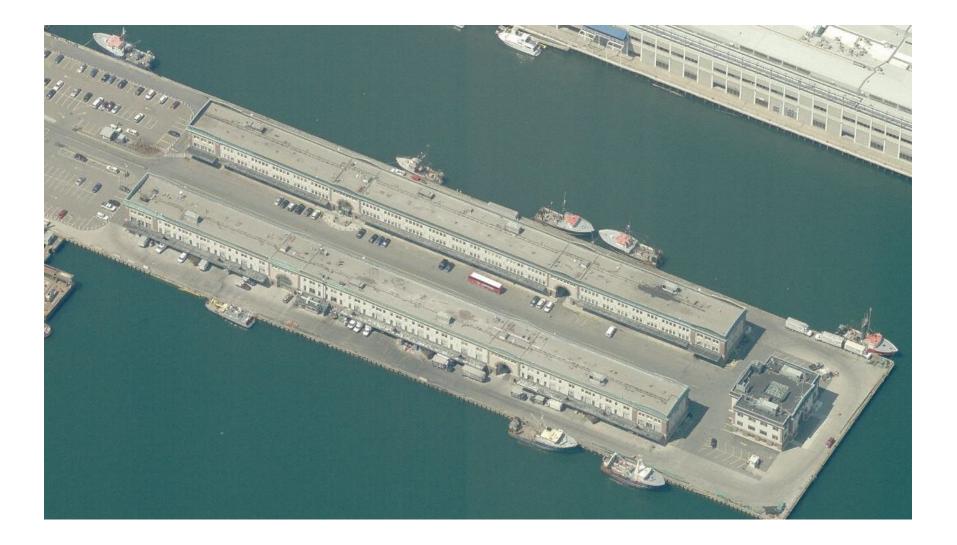






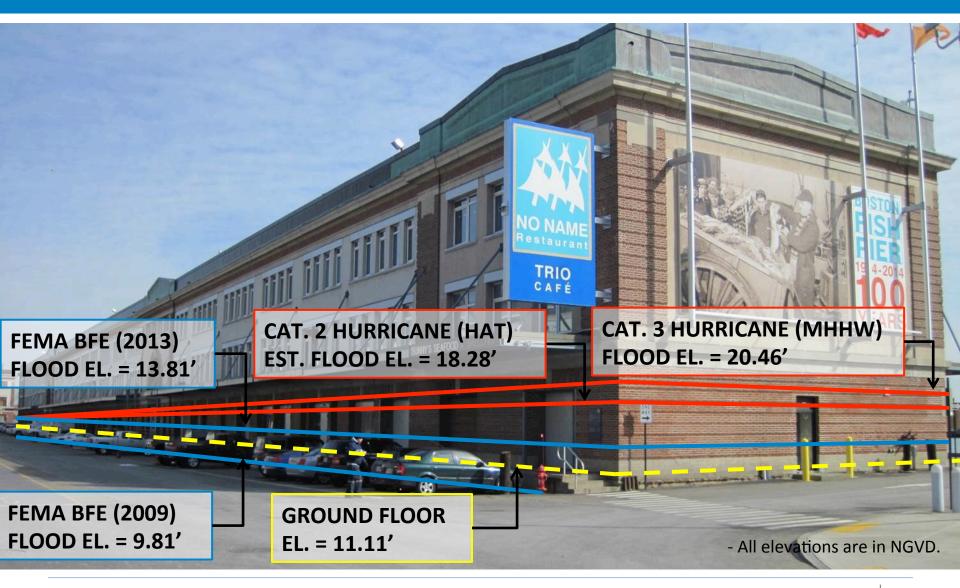
# Fish Pier





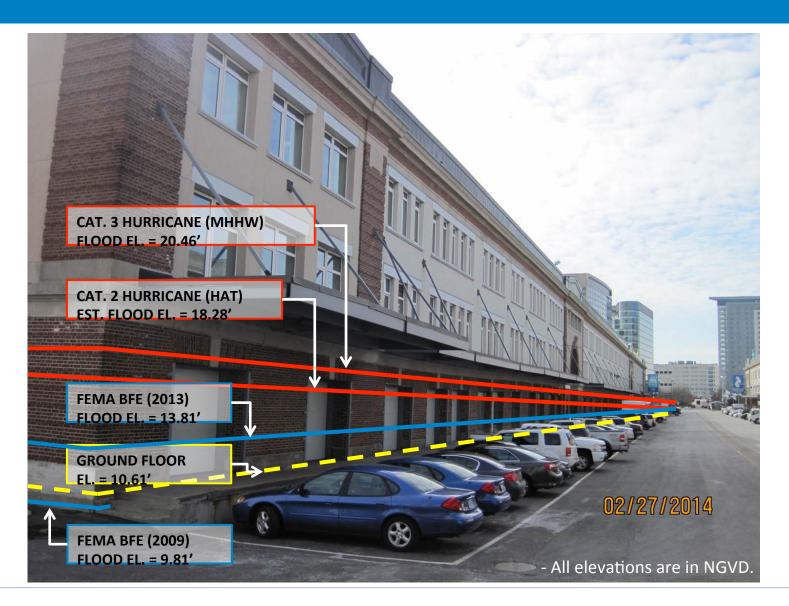
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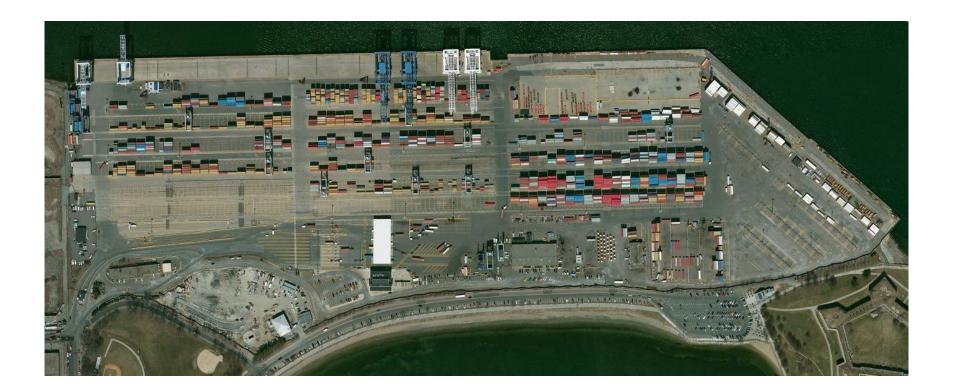


## **Resiliency Performance Objectives:**

- Allow the first floors of buildings to flood
- Prevent damage to critical electrical and fire protection systems and building elevator machinery
- Prevent flooding of underground waste storage tanks and associated pump systems
- Prevent structural failure of the building due to flooding

# **Conley Terminal**





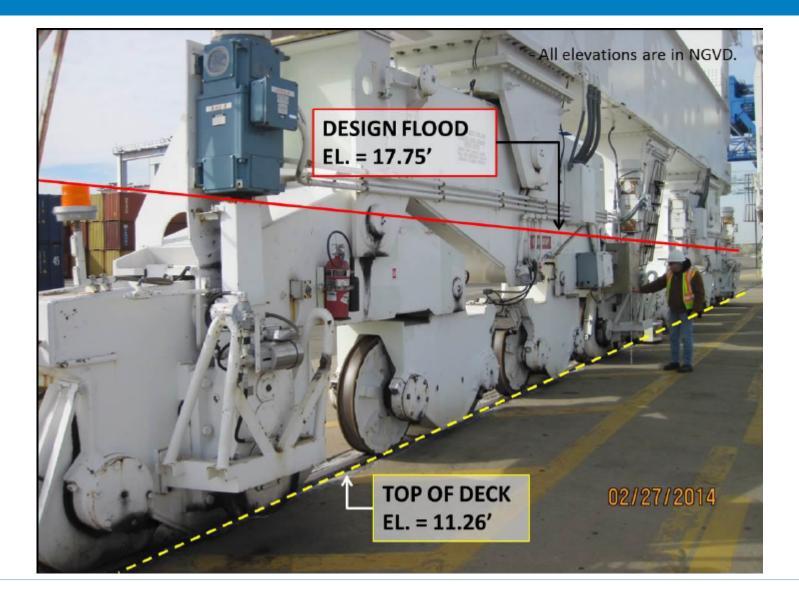
# **Conley Terminal - Vessel Berths**





# **Conley Terminal – Vessel Cranes**







# **Adaptation Planning & Design**

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# 2015 Resiliency Work Plan for Critical MPA Assets at Logan and Maritime

- Task 1 ADCIRC Model
- Task 2 Re-Review Tier 1 Facilities
- Task 3 Temporary Measures Procurement/Demonstration
- Task 4 A/E Services for the Permanent Flood Control at Tier 1 Facilities
- Task 5 Operational Plan







#### Common Adaptation Recommendations – Temporary Flood Walls





| Inflated Height<br>in Feet  | Maximum Controllable<br>Water/Sediment Depth<br>in Inches* | Inflated Volume<br>in Gal. per liner Foot | Inflated Width<br>in Feet | Connection Overlap<br>Requirements in Feet |  |
|---|--|---|---------------------------|--|--|
| 3   | 27   | 131                                       | 7                         | 4.5  |  |
| 4   | 36   | 225                                       | 9                         | 6  |  |
| 5   | 45   | 352                                       | 11.25                     | 7.5  |  |
| 6   | 54   | 506                                       | 13.5                      | 9  |  |
| 8   | 72   | 901                                       | 18                        | 12   |  |
| * The depth of water represents 75% of the inflated height of a fully inflated Aqua-Barrier <sup>™</sup> . It is required that a minimum 25% freeboard (portion |  |   |                           |  |  |

of barrier above water represents 75% of the initiated height of a fully finaled Aduat-Santer ... It is required that a minimum 25% freeboard portion of barrier above water level) inflated capacity be maintained during all phases of a project. Excess slopes and grades, soil composition, moving water, and other related hydrological criteria may increase or decrease the ability of the Aqua-Barrier<sup>14</sup> to perform as projected.

# **Procure Temporary Flood Barriers**



- AquaFence successful bidder
  - Logan Airport 4 facilities
  - Conley Terminal 2 facilities
  - Fish Pier 3 Facilities
- Ready for deployment in September 2015



**Access Stairs** 



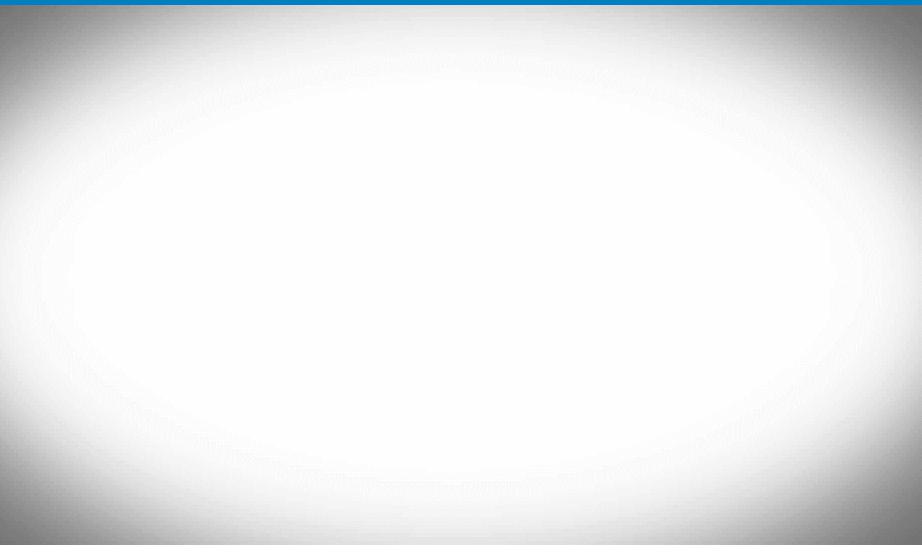
**Stored Barriers** 



**Deployed Barriers** 

# **Temporary Flood Barriers**









AquaFence Storage in Fumigation Building on 12/29/2015

#### A310-S2 Resiliency – Fish Pier – Gate Transformer



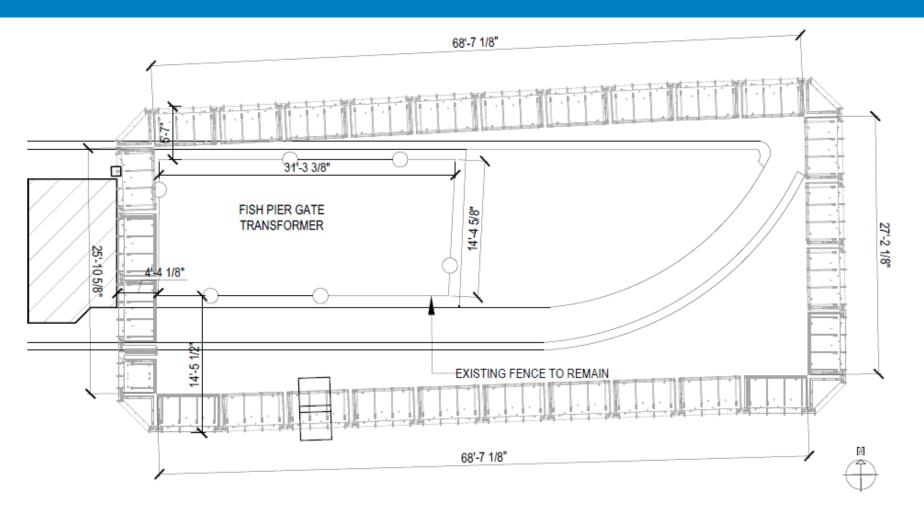
- Seal electrical conduits
- Purchase temporary water pump

- Install water level sensors
- Install ground anchors for AquaFence



#### A310-S2 Resiliency – Fish Pier – Gate Transformer





#### **Permanent AquaFence Layout**

#### A310-S2 Resiliency – Common resiliency





#### **Sealing Electrical Conduits**



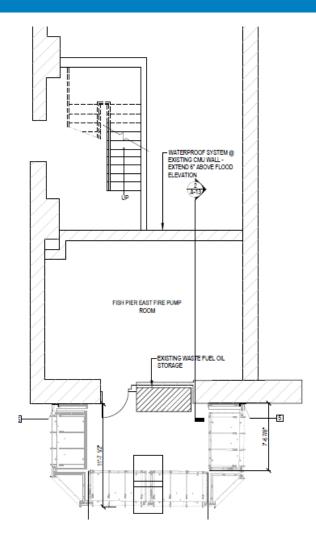
#### Water Level Sensors



#### **Temporary Water Pump**

#### A310-S2 Resiliency – Fish Pier East– Fire Pump Room





**Permanent AquaFence Layout** 

- Seal electrical conduits
- Purchase temporary water pump
- Install water level sensors
- Install ground anchors for AquaFence
- Waterproof interior CMU wall

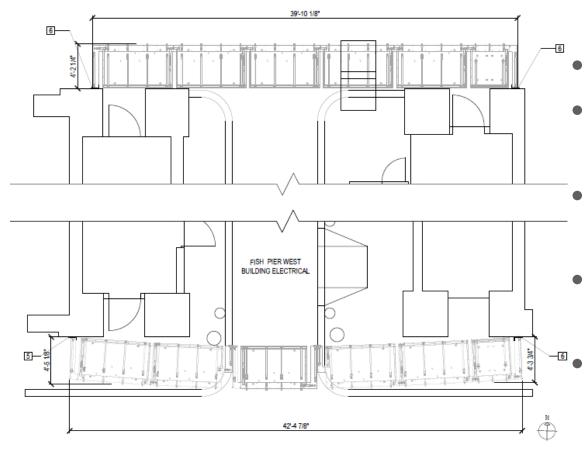






#### A310-S2 Resiliency – Fish Pier West– Electrical Room



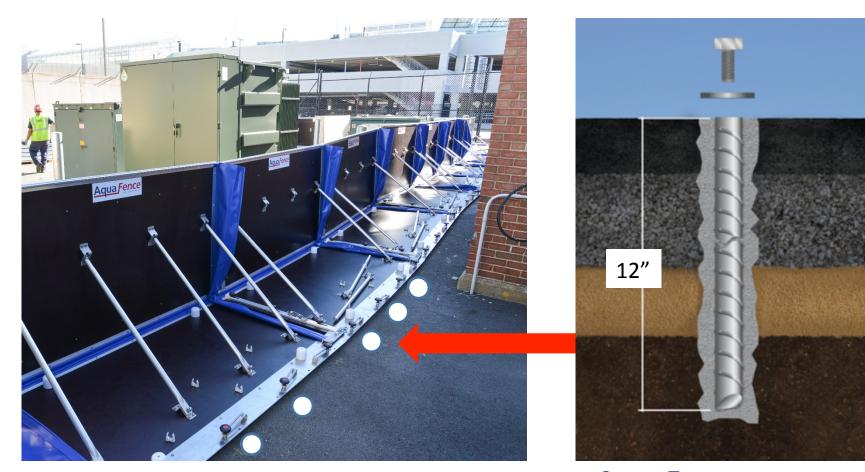


**Permanent AquaFence Layout** 

- Seal electrical conduits
- Purchase temporary water pump
- Install water level sensors
- Install ground anchors for AquaFence
- Install wall anchors at 4 AquaFence wall brackets

#### A310-S2 Resiliency – Ground acnhors



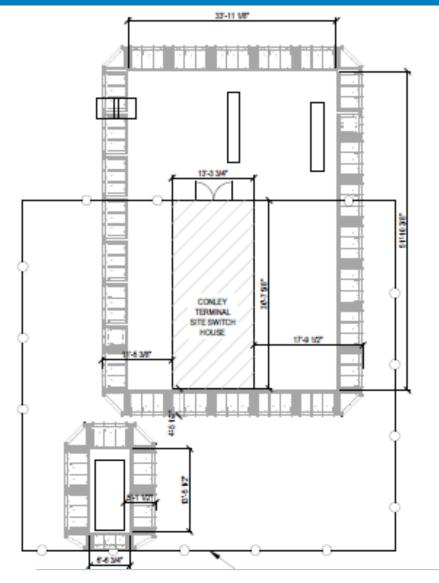


#### **Typical AquaFence Panels**

AquaFence Pavement Anchors

#### A310-S2 Resiliency – Conley – Site Switch House



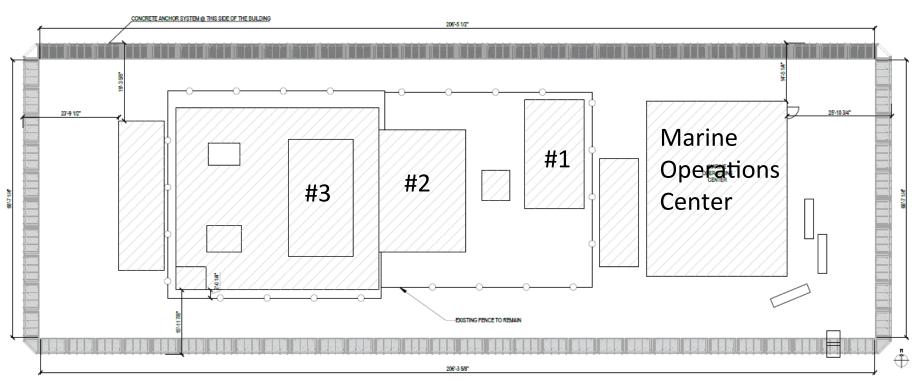


- Seal electrical conduits
- Purchase temporary water pump
- Install water level sensors
- Install ground anchors for AquaFence

#### **Permanent AquaFence Layout**

#### A310-S2 Resiliency – Conley – Wharf Switch Houses





#### **Permanent AquaFence Layout**

- Install water level sensors
- Install ground anchors for AquaFence
- Install sewer shut-off valve

- Seal electrical conduits
- Purchase temporary water pump



| Milestone                       | Date             |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| 60 % Submission                 | January 15, 2016 |
| Final Bid Documents for Bidding | March 3, 2016    |
| Pre-Bid Conference              | March 15, 2016   |
| Filed Sub-Bid Opening           | March 30, 2016   |
| General Contractor Bid Opening  | April 13, 2016   |
| Contract Award                  | May 4, 2016      |
| Notice-to-Proceed               | May 11, 2016     |
| Construction Complete (9 weeks) | August 12, 2016  |





# FOR MASSPORT'S MARITIME FACILITIES



#### LOGAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

#### COASTAL FLOOD OPERATIONS PLAN



November 2015

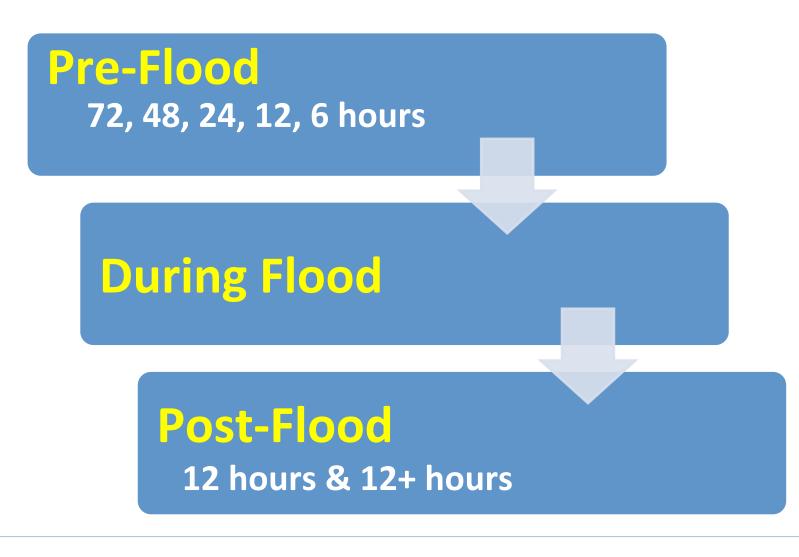
Massachusetts Port Authority

# **Guiding Principles**



- Safety is #1
- Stakeholder-driven
- Integrated in all-hazards planning
- Minimize disruptions & speed recovery
- Realistically reflect available resources
- More than a document







- Flood forecasting and decision framework
- Temporary flood barrier system deployments
- Preventative electrical and IT measures
- Elevating critical stock, equipment, materials
- Relocating fleet out of harms way
- Requiring berthed vessels to leave dock
- Preventative evacuations of at risk buildings
- Debris and waste management planning

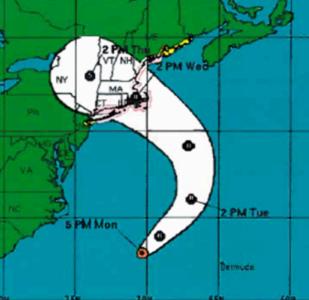
## **Tabletop Exercises**





Heavy Weather and Flood Operations Plan for Massport's Maritime Facilities TABLETOP EXERCISE

September 29, 2015



and child me cure



# **Highly Participatory**











- Who is responsible for flood monitoring?
- How soon do we activate?
- Who is the "decider"?
- When do we notify contractors?
- Where do we operate from during the event?
- Where is the safest place to shelter people?
- Where is safest place to move vehicles?
- Do essential employees live in impacted areas?

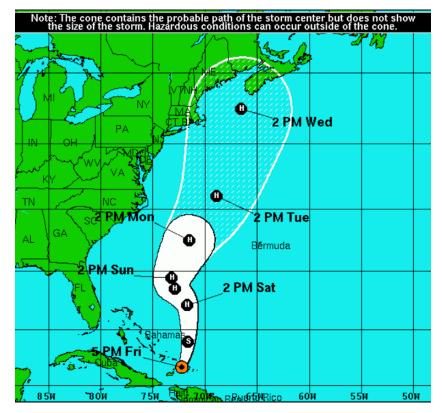
# Flood Forecast Reports



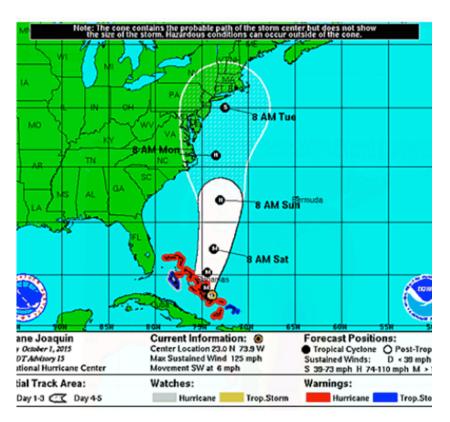
| DESCRIPTION  | FLOOD FORECAST DATA  |
|--|--|
| Date and time of arrival of flood elevation greater than or equal to 9.0 ft. NAVD88      | N/A <sup>(2)</sup>   |
| Maximum flood elevation forecasted (ft.<br>NAVD88 vertical datum)                        | 7.6 ft. NAVD88 <sup>(3)</sup> (a)<br>7.5 ft. NAVD88 <sup>(3)</sup> (b)                 |
| Anticipated wave height at time of maximum<br>flood elevation (ft.) (if available)       | Harbor: 2-3 ft.  |
| Date and time of maximum flood elevation   | (a) 10/1/15 @ 1400<br>(b) 10/2/2015 @ 1500   |
| Date and time of recession of flood to elevation<br>below 9.0 ft. NAVD88                 | N/A <sup>(2)</sup>   |
| Duration of predicted flooding above elevation<br>9.0 ft. NAVD88 from start to recession | N/A <sup>(2)</sup>   |
| Forecasted maximum wind gust speed and direction   | NE - Up to 30 kt <sup>(4)</sup><br>Small Craft Advisory until<br>2000 Friday 10/1/2015 |
| Forecasted maximum sustained wind speed and direction                                    | NE - 15 - 25 kt <sup>(4)</sup><br>Small Craft Advisory until<br>2000 Friday 10/1/2015  |

# TTX to Reality





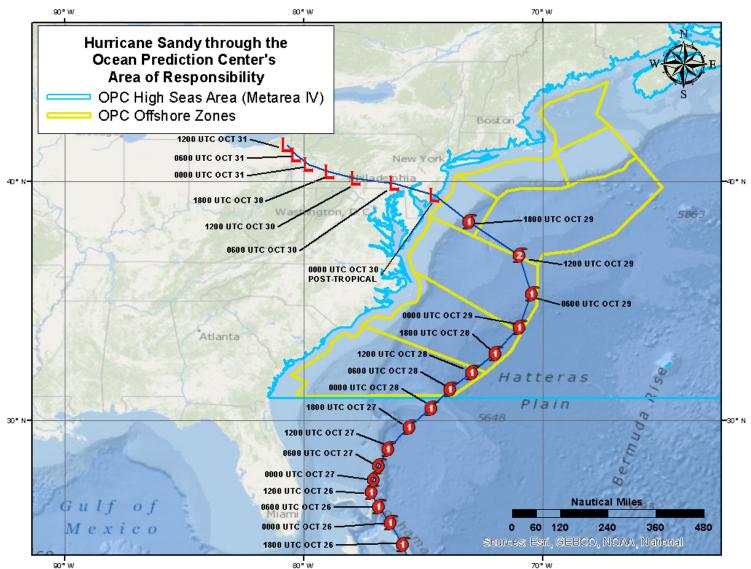
Hurricane Robbin – Table Top Exercise 9/29/15



Hurricane Joaquin – October 1, 2015

# **Expect the Unexpected**





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#### Discussion



















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