

Building Disaster Resilience in Honiara City

“Honiara faces a myriad of resilience challenges. Not only is the city already exposed to multiple natural hazards, but a changing climate will amplify many of the adverse impacts into the future. At the same time, rapid urbanization - most obviously expressed through the growth of informal settlements in urban and peri-urban areas - is heightening community exposure and sensitivity to a range of climate and non-climate shocks and stresses.”

Trundle & McEvoy, Honiara Urban Resilience and Climate Change Adaptation Plan, 2016: UN Habitat



Mission 1

Reactivate engagement with Honiara City through a one-day workshop - 30 stakeholders participated including city councilors and staff, national government and agency representatives and NGOs.



Mission 2

Conduct meetings with targeted groups to complete a first cut of the Detailed Scorecard.



Mission 3

1. Complete DRR Action Plan
2. Commence work on HCC Disaster Management Plan
3. Advocate on behalf of Honiara City for partners and funding to implement other DRR actions.
4. Integration of DRR and CCA Plans

About Us

ICLEI – Local Governments for Sustainability is the leading global network of more than 1,500 cities, towns and regions committed to building a sustainable future.

Next Steps

ICLEI Oceania is committed to supporting Honiara City over the long-term, as with all our member cities. Honiara has committed to the Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy, which complements Disaster Risk Reduction. Thus, ICLEI will continue to have a strong presence in Honiara and remains willing to partner with UNISDR in future initiatives.

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