

**Building Climate Resilient  
Communities in the Upper Valley**  
*Is Your Town Ready for the Next Flood?*

**Hosted by the Upper Valley Adaptation Workgroup**

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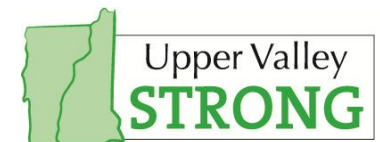
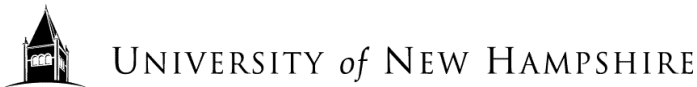
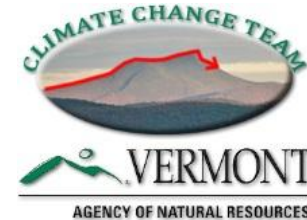
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# Working Definition...

- **Climate Resiliency** is the ability of a community to anticipate, prepare for, respond to and recover from climate impacts in a way that minimizes significant disruption to our lives and compromise of shared resources. This includes our health, safety, built environments, food availability, natural resources, wildlife and financial strength (among others).

# Upper Valley Adaptation Workgroup Partners

Municipal    Regional    State    Medical    Academic    Non-Profit    Business



# Resources

- ***Upper Valley Adaptation Workgroup***  
<http://uvaw.uvlsrc.org/>
- Slides will be posted
- You will receive an email with the link
- We'll distribute a forum participant contact list
- Feel free to share the hand outs:
  - 21 things you can do...
  - 28 things you can do...

# Simple next steps...

- ✓ What is one action that you can take following tonight?
- ✓ Continue this conversation within your communities.
- ✓ Join us for the next forum – targeted for Fall 2014
- ✓ Share your feedback on the on-line survey that will be coming by email