Climate Adaptation Academy Clicker Questions

• Answers will be A. B. C. D., etc.
• Some questions have multiple answers
• Answers are anonymous
• Do not hold your questions until the end
• Discussion is encouraged beating a dead horse is not
• Please don’t walk off with the clicker
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C. 3
D. 4
E. 5
UConn Law Symposium Result

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Do you think climate change will have serious negative impacts on your community 30 years from now?

A. Yes
B. No
C. Maybe
D. I’m worried about the impacts next year
Do you think your community would spend money on adaptation actions today if it can be shown that it will save 3 times that amount in 15 years?

A. Yes
B. No
C. Maybe, depends on the amount
D. Maybe, depends on who will benefit
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What infrastructure assets are at greatest risk during the storm events?

A. Roads
B. Storm sewer
C. Waste water treatment
D. Water supply
E. Power distribution network
F. Other
What information and tools do you think communities need to address climate adaptation and storm related issues?

A. Storm surge mapping
B. Stormwater management alternatives and associated costs and impacts
C. Vulnerability assessments
D. Sea level rise inundation mapping
E. Flooding and erosion control alternatives and associated costs and impacts
F. Economic impact assessment
G. Technical design standards
H. Other
In your opinion who should initiate a local response to the effects of a changing climate?

A. Municipal government
B. State government
C. Private government
D. Combination of government agencies
E. Academic institutions
F. A combination of the above
Should municipalities adopt regulations requiring buildings waterward of the LiMWA line be built to V-zone standards?

A. Yes
B. No
C. Maybe
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A. Yes
B. No
C. It depends
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What are the top three priority issues for CIRCA to initially address?

A. Developing alternatives hard shoreline structures
B. Accurate modeling to help communities forecast the flooding and other hazards from storm events.
C. Making infrastructure less susceptible to storms.
D. Providing information to municipalities to help them address the effects of climate change
E. Reducing effects of climate change on the natural environment
F. Helping municipalities cope with regulatory issues related to rebuilding after storms
G. Providing municipalities with model plans and ordinances related to adaptation to climate change
H. Technical help with the protection or rebuilding of infrastructure